1st MEETING OF THE COMCEC TOURISM WORKING GROUP

(April 25th, 2013, Ankara, Crowne Plaza Hotel)

“A New Trend in Sustainable Tourism Development: Community Based Tourism in the COMCEC Region”

DRAFT AGENDA

Opening Remarks

1. The COMCEC Strategy and Improving the Tourism Sector
   - Presentation: The COMCEC Strategy on Tourism
   - Outlook of the Tourism Sector in the COMCEC Region
   - Discussions

2. Alternative Tourism Trends: Exploring Community Based Tourism
   - Presentation: Community Based Tourism as an Alternative Tourism Form: Key Concepts and Definitions, Benefits and Challenges
   - Discussion

3. Implementation of the Community Based Tourism in the COMCEC Region
   - Presentation: Analytical Study on “Community Based Tourism: Finding the Equilibrium in the COMCEC Context”
   - Discussions

4. Member State Presentations
   - Sharing Experience and Best Practices in Community Based Tourism
   - Discussions

5. Brainstorming Session: The Ways and Means of Enhancing Cooperation in Community Based Tourism among the COMCEC Member Countries


Closing Remarks