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**PROGRAMME
OF THE**

7TH MEETING OF THE COMCEC TRADE WORKING GROUP
(February 25th, 2016, Crown Plaza Hotel Ankara-Turkey)

“Strengthening the Compliance of the OIC Member States to International Standards”

08.30-09.00 Registration

09.00-09.15 Opening Remarks

09.15-09.35 Presentation: COMCEC Trade Outlook

*- Ms. Vildan BARAN
Expert
COMCEC Coordination Office*

09.35-09.45 Discussion

09.45-10.30 Presentation: Rationale for Compliance to International Standards

*- Dr. Ben SHEPHERD
Principal
Developing Trade Consultants*

10.30-11.00 Discussion

11.00-11.15 Coffee Break

11.15-12.00 Presentation: Compliance of the OIC Member States to International Standards

*- Dr. Ben SHEPHERD
Principal
Developing Trade Consultants*

12.00-12.30 Discussion

12.30-14.00 Lunch

**14:00-14:15 Presentation: Responses of the Member Countries to the Policy Questions on
Compliance of the OIC Member States to International Standards**

*- Mr. Ahmet OKUR
Expert
COMCEC Coordination Office*

14:15-15:30 Policy Debate: Policy Options for Alignment to International Standards in the OIC Member States

There will be a policy discussion under this agenda item. The discussions will be based on the Analytical Study and responds to the Policy Questions circulated by the CCO. Following the presentation of the CCO, which summarizes the responses of the Member Countries to the policy questions, each participant is expected to explain his/her country's experience on alignment to international standards.

15.30-15.45 Presentation: Utilizing the COMCEC PCM

*- Mr. Hasan YENİGÜL
Expert
COMCEC Coordination Office*

15.45-16.00 Discussion

16.00-16.15 Coffee Break

16.15-17.15 Member Country Presentations

- Views and Comments

17.15-17.45 Presentation: International Institutions' Perspective

*- Mr. Çağrı CANKURTARAN
Specialist
SMIC*

*- Dr. Raymond TAVARES
Officer
UNIDO*

17.45-18.00 Discussion

18.00-18.10 Closing Remarks