



**8th MEETING OF THE COMCEC
FINANCIAL COOPERATION WORKING GROUP
(March 30th, 2017, Crowne Plaza Hotel, Ankara)**

“Improving Public Debt Management in the OIC Member Countries”

DRAFT PROGRAMME

08.30-09.00 **Registration**

09.00-09.05 **Recitation from the Holy Quran**

09.05-09.15 **Opening Remarks**

Financial Outlook of the OIC Member Countries

09.15-09.35 - *Presentation: Mr. Alper BAKDUR
Financial Sector Specialist
COMCEC Coordination Office (CCO)*

09.35-09.45 - *Discussion*

Global Practices in Public Debt Management

09.45-10.25 - *Presentation: Prof. Dr. Siegfried SCHOENHERR and Dr. Marina RIEM
Ifo Institute*

10.25-10.45 - *Discussion*

10.45-11.00 *Coffee Break*

Public Debt Management in the OIC Member Countries, Selected Case Studies and Policy Options

11.00-11.50 - *Presentation: Prof. Dr. Siegfried SCHONHERR and Mr. Martin MOSLER
Ifo Insittutte*

11.50-12.30 - *Discussion*

12.30-14.00 *Lunch*

Policy Debate Session on Improving Public Debt Management in the OIC

There will be a moderation session under this agenda item. The participants are expected to deliberate on the policy options/advices for improving public debt management in the OIC Member States. The Room Document was prepared by the CCO, in light of the findings of the analytical study prepared specifically for the Meeting and the answers of the Member Countries to the policy questions which have already been sent by the CCO. This Document was shared with the Financial Cooperation Working Group focal points before the Meeting with a view to enriching the discussions during the Session and coming up with concrete policy advices for the policy approximation among the Member Countries in this important field. At the beginning of the session, CCO will make a short presentation introducing the responses of the Member Countries to the policy questions as well as the Room Document.

14.00-14.15 - *Presentation: “Responses of the Member Countries to the Policy Questions on Public Debt Management”*

*Mr. Selçuk KOÇ
Director
COMCEC Coordination Office*

14.15-15.30 - *Discussion*

Utilizing the COMCEC Project Funding

15.30-15.45 - *Presentation: Mr. Burak KARAGÖL
Director*

COMCEC Coordination Office (CCO)

15.45-16.00 - *Discussion*

16.00-16.15 *Coffee Break*

16.15-17.15 Member States’ Presentations

- *Presentation(s)*

- *Discussion*

International Institutions’ Perspective on Improving Public Debt Management

17.15-17.30 - *Presentation: “Advances in Sovereign Debt Management in OECD Countries”*

*Ms. Fatoş KOÇ
Head of Public Debt Management Unit
OECD*

17.30-17.45 - *Presentation: “World Bank Group Capacity Building Activities on Public Debt Management”*

*Mr. Emre BALIBEK
Senior Debt Specialist
World Bank*

17.45-18.00 - *Presentation: “Sovereign Sukuk as a Public Debt Management Instrument”*

*Mr. Ijlal Ahmed ALVI
CEO
IIFM*

18.00-18.15 - *Presentation: “An institutional Framework for Regular Issuance of Sovereign Sukuk”*

*Mr. Amine HILLAL
Financial Product Development Specialist
Financial Products Development Center
IDB Group*

18.15-18.30 - *Discussion*

18.30-18.45 **Closing Remarks**