

PROGRAMME OF THE 2^{nd} MEETING OF THE COMCEC TOURISM WORKING GROUP

(October 3rd, 2013, Ankara, Crowne Plaza Hotel)

"Tourism Product Development and Marketing Strategies in the COMCEC Region"

08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-09.15	Opening Remarks

09.15-10.00 The COMCEC Tourism Outlook

Presentation: Ms. Aslı TAŞMAZ DADAKOĞLU Expert COMCEC Coordination Office

10.00-11.00 **Tourism Product Development in the COMCEC Region**

Presentation: Peter MAC NULTY Managing Director Tourism Development International (TDI)

Questions for Discussion:

- Are there any policies/programs or strategies implemented in your country for developing new tourism products?
- What are the types of tourism products developed in your country? What are the key factors for their success?
- How do you evaluate the role of government agencies in tourism product development? What is the situation in your country?

11.00-11.15 Coffee Break

11.15-12.30 Marketing Strategies in the COMCEC Region

Presentation: Robert CLEVERDON

Director-International Projects

Tourism Development International (TDI)

Questions for Discussion:

- Does your country have any specific/special marketing strategies for the tourism products?
- How does your country ensure involvement of relevant stakeholders in tourism product development and marketing?

12.30-14.00 **Lunch**

14.00-16.00 **Member State Presentations**

Questions for Discussion:

- Does your country have a specific strategy, plan or program for developing tourism products?
- What are your country experiences in tourism product development and marketing?
- How do you evaluate the impacts of new tourism products developed in your country on tourism development in general?

16.00-16.15 Coffee Break

16.15-17.00 Private Sector Perspective on Tourism Product Development and Marketing

- Presentation: Canan ALİABET

Vice President

Karnak International Travel & Tourism

17.00-17.45 The Way Forward: Utilizing the New COMCEC Project Cycle Management

- Presentation: Mr. Deniz GÖLE

Expert

COMCEC Coordination Office

17.45-18.00 **Closing Remarks**