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CONFERENCE MINISTERIELLE SUR LA COOPERATION HALIEUTIQUE ENTRE LES ETATS AFRICAINS
RIVERAINS DE L'OCEAN ATLANTIQUE

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE ON FISHERIES COOPERATION AMONG AFRICAN STATES BORDERING THE
ATLANTIC OCEAN

Executive Secretariat

SEMINAR ON "QUALITY ASSURANCE AND SANITARY SAFETY, KEY ELEMENTS FOR PROMOTING THE MARKETING AND CONSUMPTION OF FISHERY PRODUCTS" Casablanca, 6 – 7 December 2017

Information Note for Participants

Meeting details

This is a two-day seminar dealing with the contribution to efforts aiming at improving market access opportunities for fisheries and aquaculture products in ATLAFCO members countries.

Date and Place

6 -7 December 2017 in Casablanca, Morocco.

Travel arrangements

ATLAFCO will cover the cost of air tickets for all sponsored participants. Electronic tickets will be sent to all those who have confirmed their participation.

VISA

Nationals of the following countries: Senegal, Guinea (Republic of), Gabon, Côte d'Ivoire and Congo (Republic) do not need an entry visas to Morocco. Countries that have a Moroccan Embassy or Consulate on their territory are requested to apply for a visa to enter Morocco as soon as possible. The ATLAFCO Secretariat may on request, prepare a Verbal Note to the Moroccan authorities in order to facilitate obtaining of the entry visa.

Similarly, the ATLAFCO Secretariat will approach the Moroccan authorities for providing visas on arrival at the Mohamed V International Airport in Casablanca to participants from countries where there is no Consulate or Embassy of Morocco. In this case, participants must provide the logistics team of the ATLAFCO Secretariat with a scanned copy of their passport for the visa application process, to Ms. Choukrani Karima (mkarima241@gmail.com) or (Secretariat.comhafat@gmail.com) as soon as possible.

Registration

All participants are kindly requested to confirm their participation in the following e-mail addresses: secretariat.comhafat@gmail.com and hayat.comhafat@gmail.com before the dates of the meeting.

Place of the meeting/Accommodation

The Meeting will be held in **Grand Hôtel Novotel Casablanca City**

Participants supported by COMHAFAT will be accommodated at **Hôtel Novotel Casablanca City**

Address: Angle Zaid Ouhmad, Rue Sidi Belyout, Casablanca 20190 Casablanca, Morocco,

Phone: +212 0520-480001

Airport-Hotel transfer

The transfer airport-hotel-airport is provided by ATLAFCO.

Perdiem

To allow the payment of the applicable Perdiem in accordance with ATLAFCO Regulations, please submit your boarding passes and your passport copy to the secretariat during the Conference.

Health

We recommended that you have valid medical insurance during your stay in Morocco.

Climate

The average annual temperature in Casablanca is around 18°C. Its Mediterranean climate, distinguished by a strong oceanic tendency, makes it a particularly pleasant place. The weather in December is characterized by a few days of nice thinning and rainfalls. With temperatures ranging from 17°C et 19°C.

Change

The MAD (Moroccan Dirham) is the national currency in Morocco. The exchange rate of the dollar to the MAD is about US \$ 1 = 9.44494 MAD. This rate varies.

Other travel information

Local time is GMT +01: 00

The power supply is 220-240 volts. Please note that the connectors are round.

Technical and logistic arrangements

For other arrangements please contact:

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We wish you a good stay in Morocco.