

# ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION (AALCO) FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL SESSION HOSTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF REPUBLIC OF KENYA $\mathbf{1}^{\text{ST}}$ TO $\mathbf{5}^{\text{TH}}$ (Monday-Friday) May, 2017

#### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

1. The Fifty-Sixth Annual Session of the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO) will be hosted by the Government of Republic of Kenya from 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

The Venue for the Fifty-Sixth AALCO Annual Session is as follows:

Address: Kenyatta International Convention Centre (KICC)

Harambee Avenue,

Next to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Building

**NAIROBI** 

Telephone +254 (0) 20 3261000 Email: <u>info@kicc.co.ke</u> Website: <u>www.kicc.co.ke</u>

The Government of Republic of Kenya has established an Organizing Committee under the Chairmanship of *Mr. James Wambura*, *Assistant Secretary* for the smooth functioning of the Session.

#### 2. Focal Points for Contact of the Committee:

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Attorney General Chambers Building

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E-mail: mail@aalco.int, website: www.aalco.int

#### 3. Invitations

- a) The Host Government shall send invitations to the Ministers of Justice/Minister of Foreign Affairs/Attorneys General of Member States to allow them to arrange their schedules. Invitations shall also be sent by the Secretary General of AALCO to Heads of Diplomatic Missions of Member States of AALCO in New Delhi.
- b) The Secretary-General shall also send the Administrative Arrangements, the Provisional Agenda, Annotated Agenda and the Schedule of Meetings to all Member States, Observers (non-Member States and International Organizations) in due course of time.

#### 4. Registration

The registration form is as attached to this document. Alternatively, the form will be available at <a href="https://www.aalco.int">www.aalco.int</a>. All forms should be completed and returned by facsimile or email to the Secretariat by 14<sup>th</sup> April 2017 at the following address.

1. Kenya Host Committee

Attorney General's Chambers

Harambee Avenue

P.O. Box 40112-00100 Phone: +254202227461 Fax:+254-020-2211082

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### 2. Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization 29C, Rizal Marg, Diplomatic Enclave, Chanakyapuri

Phone:+911126117641/42 Fax: +911126117640 Email: mail@aalco.int

#### 5. <u>Immigration</u>

Participants are requested to obtain entry visas before departure from their country. Delegates from countries where Kenya has no diplomatic/consular mission therein are required to apply for an appropriate visa in the neighboring countries where a Kenyan diplomatic/consular mission is situated. Specifically, for these delegations the Visa application can also be made online by following the instructions through the link below:

#### http://evisa.go.ke/evisa.html

In case of any exigency the delegates are invited to contact the below mentioned person in time:

#### Mr. Alfred Omangi

Designation: Chief Immigration officer Email: omangiabuya2013@gmail.com

Phone +254 720220321

#### 5. Quarantine

International certificates of vaccination against yellow fever are required only for those participants arriving from countries specified by the World Health Organization (WHO) for that purpose.

**Country entry requirement**: The Government of Kenya requires proof of yellow fever vaccination if you are traveling from a country with risk of yellow fever.

#### 6. Flight Arrangements

Participants are requested to make their own flight arrangements and inform the AALCO Secretariat and the Host Government of the details at the earliest.

#### 7. Hotel Accommodation

The Government of the Republic of Kenya has partnered with several hotels to offer discounted rates to the conference delegates. Below are the details for use to make reservations. However, the participants may book other hotels of their choice through their Embassy/Missions in Kenya.

The details of the Room Types and the Special Tariffs are listed below for the information of the participants. The booking is on first come first served basis. The rate is per night, per room.

Please note that conversion rate is USD 1 = 103.700 KES (approx)

	Name of Hotel & Address and Contact Person	Room Type	Special Rates (US Dollars)	Inclusion
1	Hotel Intercontinental (5 Star),	Superior	165	,
	Mr. Wilson Ndagara	Room		taxes and Wi-Fi
	Email: wilson.ndagara@ihg.com Tel: +254203200316 Mob. +254701293881	Single	195	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
		Deluxe	225	Buffet Breakfast,
		Room		taxes and Wi-Fi
		Single		
2	Laico Regency Hotel (5 Star)  Ms. Damaris Kalee	Deluxe Room Single	150	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	Tel No. +254- 721- 595026 <b>Sales Executive</b> Email:	Deluxe Double	180	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	damaris.kalee@laicohotels.com	Executive Suite	450	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
3	Heron Portico Hotel (2 Star)  Ms. Lilian Nganga	Standard	110	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	www.theheronportico.com Telephone: +254 20 2720740/1/2/3 Mobile: +254725329024/07319888	Single	140	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	25 Email:sales1@heronhotel.com	Double	265	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
4	Kivi Milimani Hotel (2 Star)	Standard single	74	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	<b>Mr. William Ndemwa</b> Tel No. +254- 735- 491064/ +254-	Double	120	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	723- 491064 Email: reservations@kivimilimanihotel.co m	Triple	160	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
5	Kenya Comfort Suites (2 Star)	Superior Single	60	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	<b>Ms. Kezia Awuour</b> Tel. No. +254- 727- 777777	Superior Double	80	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi

6	Crown Plaza Hotel (4 Star)  Ms. Josephine Ndongo josephine.ndongo@cpnairobi.com reservations@cpnairobi.com	Standard Single occupancy	140	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
7	New Stanley Hotel (5 Star)	Standard Single	175	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	<b>Arafa Kenji</b> DL: +254 20 2767217,	Club Suite Executive	350	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	Mobile: +254 722 618 358 Reservations: +254 709 111 000 E: centralreservations@sarovahotel			Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
	s.com WWW.SAROVAHOTELS.COM			
8	Panafric Hotel (4 Star)  Arafa Kenji Senior Sales Account Manager, DL: +254 20 2767217 Mobile: +254 722 618 358 Reservations: +254 709 111 000 E: centralreservations@sarovahotels.com WWW.SAROVAHOTELS.COM	Standard Single	155	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
		Executive Single	190	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi
		Executive Double	230	Buffet Breakfast, taxes and Wi-Fi

\*these inclusions are a part of the Special Rate. Anything extra apart from these inclusions will be on chargeable basis and must be settled directly by the respective delegate.

Please note that the Luxury and the Service taxes are exempt for all the participants. AALCO secretariat, if required, will provide tax exemption certificate for all delegations. For the purpose of hotel accommodation booking, the following particulars will be required:

- a. Name of delegate/s
- b. Country / Organization
- c. Type of room
- d. Date and estimated time of arrival in Kenya (indicate flight number)
- e. Date and time of departure from Kenya
- f. Credit card number with date of expiry

Kindly note that for Room Reservations, please contact the persons mentioned under the hotel above. Also be advised if any room is not blocked through the contact person, the above mentioned rates will not be honored.

### All the participants are kindly requested to make their hotel accommodation booking directly with the Hotel.

A copy of the same should be sent to the AALCO Secretariat and the Host Government for information and follow-up action.

#### 8. Venue

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Tel: +254 (0) 20 3261000 Email: info@kicc.co.ke Website: <u>www.kicc.co.ke</u>

Contact Person: Ms. Anastasia Kodi Tel: +254734478276

Email: anastacia.kodi@kicc.co.ke

#### 9. <u>Arrivals</u>

The Host Government Organizing Committee Personnel will be at the Airport to meet and assist the Ministers, Attorneys General, Solicitors General, Secretary General of AALCO and to render assistance to other delegates on their arrival and departure at the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA).

#### 10. Transportation

#### Airport – Hotel – Airport

Heads of Delegation will be provided with the appropriate means of transport at the airport for transportation to the hotel on their arrival and for transportation from the hotel to the airport on their departure. The Organizing Committee personnel will also assist the other delegates at the airport for transportation to the hotel on their arrival and from the hotel to the airport on their departure.

#### **Transportation during the Annual Session**

Transportation will be provided by the Host Government for all delegates who are staying at the specified conference hotel to/from the Conference venue and to attend any official/social functions.

#### 11. Conference Arrangements

#### I. Registration

A Registration desk will be opened at the Kenyatta International Convention Centre (KICC). Registration will commence on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2017 from 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. and will continue on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2017 from 8.00 a.m. to 02:00 PM. All delegates and observers are advised to register their names prior to the Inaugural Session and to obtain their Conference Badges, which are required for access to the Conference Hall. (**Participants are requested to** 

send their names/delegation names in advance to enable the Secretariat to prepare badges for entry to the Conference Hall.)

#### **II. Distribution of Documents**

Delegates of Member Governments are requested to bring the sets of documents dispatched to them in advance. For economical purposes, only one set for each member country delegation will be provided at the time of registration.

Observer delegations will receive one set of documents at the time of registration.

AALCO's Fifty-Sixth (56<sup>th</sup>) Session Documents will also be displayed on the official website of AALCO i.e.<u>www.aalco.int</u> (except organizational and budget documents). Additional copies can be downloaded from the above-mentioned website.

#### III. General Information Services

A general information desk shall be opened at the venue of the conference throughout the Session.

#### IV. Inaugural Session

The Inaugural Session will be held on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017 at 09:30 a.m. After the completion of the Inaugural Session, there will be a group photo of all the Heads of Delegations with the Chief Guest of the Host Government participating in the session. A detailed programme will be distributed at the time of registration.

#### V. Interpretation

There will be simultaneous interpretation during the Session from English into Arabic and vice versa at the General Meetings and the Meetings of the Delegations of the AALCO Member States.

#### VI. Secretariat

The AALCO Secretariat office will be located at the conference venue.

#### 12. Social Functions

Invitation for receptions and social functions will be distributed before the events.

#### 13. General Information

- a) **Banking Services and Currency**: Kenyan Shillings exchange rate (US \$ 1= KEN 103.700 approximately; subject to change)
- b) **Climate:** The average temperature in Nairobi in May is somewhat warm at 18 °C (64.4 °F). Afternoons can be fairly hot with average high temperatures reaching 23 °C (73.4 °F). Overnight temperatures are generally mild with an average low of 13 °C (55.4 °F).
- c) **Time Zone:** + 03:00 hrs.
- d) **Tipping** (TIPS): 5 to 10%

- e) **Electric supply**: 220-240 Volts. Primary Socket Type: British BS-1363; round 2-pin or flat 3 pin
- **f) Airport tax**: An airport departure tax of US\$40 per person, or its equivalent, is payable when leaving Kenya. This fee is often included in your international airfare, unless stated otherwise. Please check with your agent when purchasing your international tickets.
- **g) Health Advisory:** Get vaccinated, eat and drink safely, prevent bug bites, reduce exposure to germs and keep away from animals.
- h) **Local Transport:** Taxis may be arranged with the assistance from the hotel for personal travel on chargeable basis.
- i) **Sight-seeing:** Sightseeing excursion to show the natural and scenic beauty of the Republic of Kenya may be organized by the Host Government.

#### **MEMBER STATES**

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Please Complete in capital letters:		
COUNTRY		
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DATE OF DEPARTURE	ETD	
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NAME OF HOTEL		
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#### **OBSERVER STATES/**

#### INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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