



**EACO REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON SUSTAINABLE E-WASTE MANAGEMENT IN THE EAST AFRICAN REGION**

**THEME “TOWARDS ZERO NEGATIVE IMPACT OF E-WASTE IN THE EACO MEMBER STATES BY 2030”**

**PROGRAMME**

**DATE: 19<sup>TH</sup> – 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2017**

**VENUE: UCC HOUSE, BUGOLOBI, KAMPALA, UGANDA**

**Day 1: Wednesday 19<sup>TH</sup> July 2017**

<b>09:00 - 09:30</b>	<b>Guest arrival and registration</b>
<b>09:30 – 10:30 (Opening Plenary)</b>	Welcome remarks – Master of Ceremony (UCC)
	Anthems (East African , Uganda)
	Opening remarks – EACO Secretariat - Executive Secretary – <b>Hodge Semakula</b>
	Remarks from Uganda National Bureau of Statistics (UNBS) – <b>Deputy Executive Director – Patricia Bageine</b>
	Remarks by Executive Director, UCC – <b>Susan Atengo Wegoye – Commission Secretary, UCC (Ag. Executive Secretary)</b>
	Opening address/ Guest of Honour – Minister of ICT and National Guidance (MOICT&NG) – <b>Vincent Bagiire</b> – Permanent Secretary, MoICT&NG
	Key Note Speaker: <b>Bruno, Mr. Otto Tokwiny</b> - Country Representative United National Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)  <b><u>Sustainable options for an e-waste management framework in the East African Region</u></b>
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:00 – 11.15</b>	<b>Session 1: Presentation on activities of EACO WG 10 (Environment and e-waste management)</b>

	Chairperson of EACO WG 10 - <b>Mr. Juma Ooro - Communications Authority of Kenya (CA)</b>
<b>11:15 – 13:00</b>	<p><b>Session 2</b>  <b><u>Validation of the draft EACO regional e-Waste management strategy</u></b>  Moderator: Juma Ooro – Chairperson, EACO WG 10 (Environment and E-waste)  Presentation by: Oliver Mbeera - Chairperson – EACO Regional E-waste Management Steering Committee  Discussions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- John Bosco Kavuma (E-waste management policy and strategy expert)</li> <li>- Dr. David Turahi, MoICT&amp;NG, Chair National Steering Committee, Uganda</li> <li>- Nancy Allimadi (NEMA Uganda)</li> <li>- Jonathan Serugunda</li> <li>- Eric Guantai , CEO, Recykla International, Vice Secretary, National Steering Committee, Kenya</li> </ul> <p>Rapporteurs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Helen Nakiguli, Uganda Communications Commission – UCC)</li> <li>- Immaculate Simiyu (National Environment Management Authority [NEMA] - Kenya)</li> </ul> <p>Reaction from the audience.  Wrap-up and Closing remarks</p>
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
<b>14:00 – 15:30</b>	<b>Session 3:  Closed Session for Regional E-waste Management Steering Committee</b>

## Day 2: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017

<b>09:00 – 10:30</b>	<p><b>Session 4:</b>  <b><u>Panel Discussion 1: Challenges and needs of the e-waste management sub sector at international, regional and national level</u></b>  The session shall discuss the challenges of sound environmental management of e-waste and identify the needs of stakeholders at international, regional and national level, such as; government, private sector, academia, informal and formal recyclers, etc.</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Jonathan Serugunda, Lecturer, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering/Senior Researcher, netLabsUG  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dr. Tom Musili, Director, WEEE Centre Kenya,</li> <li>- Allan Kasagga (Director Finance ad Administration, NEMA Uganda)</li> <li>- Chairperson, EACO Regional e-Waste Management Steering Committee – Olivier Mbera, RRECPC/Ministry of Trade and Industry, Rwanda.</li> <li>- Alex Kakuuku – Health and Safety manager, EATON Towers Uganda</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Yvonne Nabasa – (National IT Authority [Uganda]- NITA- U)</li> <li>- Christine Mugimba, Head – Strategy and Research , UCC</li> <li>- Edwin Muhumuza, Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Authority (Uganda)</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
<b>11:00 – 12:00</b>	<p><b>Session 5:</b>  <u><b>Role of policies, standards and regulations in e-Waste management.</b></u>  This session shall describe the importance of policies, regulations and standards in e-waste management and key parameters of successful implementation of these.</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Juma Ooro, CA Kenya</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Charles Kalule, Senior Materials Engineer, Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS)</li> <li>- Buhigiro Seth, Director of Infrastructure &amp; Technical Support Unit, ICT in Education &amp; Open Distance e-Learning, Rwanda Education Board (REB),</li> <li>- Immaculate Simiyu, National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) – Kenya</li> </ul>
<b>12:00 – 13:00</b>	<p><b>Session 6:</b>  <u><b>Impact of international, regional and national collaboration in e-waste management</b></u>  This session shall highlight the international obligations and recommendations in e-waste management (such as connect 2020 agenda and SDG 2030) as well as the regional collaboration (such as the Smart Africa Manifesto, EACO policy harmonization) with an aim to identify the positive impact of collaborations towards effective e-waste management.</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Peter Gitau, Digital pipeline Africa (Burundi)</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- John Bosco Kavuma ( E-waste management policy and strategy expert)</li> <li>- Harry Oryema Langala - UETA</li> <li>- Helen Nakiguli, Senior Office Environment Management(UCC), Vice Chair EACO WG 10, Chair ITU-T SG5 RGA – Uganda</li> <li>- Dr. Tom Musili, Director Computer for schools</li> </ul>
<b>13:00 – 14: 00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
<b>14:00 – 16: 00</b>	<p><b>Session 7:</b>  <u><b>Best practices for designing e-Waste management systems</b></u>  The session shall describe the aspects required in designing both small and large scale e-waste management systems/facilities keeping in view the quantification of e-waste as well as the human and financial aspects for least developed or low developed countries.</p> <p><b>Moderators:</b> Eric Guantai , CEO, Recykla International, Vice Secretary, National Steering Committee, Kenya</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ms. Anne Nkwimba Magashi, Deputy Director, Cleaner Production Centre of Tanzania (CPCT).</li> <li>- Dr. John Wasswa (Makerere),</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Michael Koech (Saficom Kenya) – E-waste management program</li> <li>- Dickson Kwesiga (UCC, Uganda) – Linkage between the e-waste burden and sustainable business models</li> <li>- Gideon Chilambo, Director, Chilambo General Trade Company</li> </ul>
<b>16:00</b>	<b>Coffee break and participants leave at pleasure</b>

### **Day 3: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2017**

<b>09:00 – 10: 30</b>	<p><b>Session 8:</b>  <b><u>Panel Discussion 2: Effective training and awareness raising on e-waste and its management for producers, recyclers and consumers</u></b>  This session shall discuss the importance of effective training and awareness on e-waste management keeping in view the valuable resource aspect of e-waste.</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b>* Virginia Onyara, Multimedia University, Kenya  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Eric Guantai, CEO CEO, Recykla International</li> <li>- James Ludigo – Uganda Cleaner Producer Center (UCPC) - Uganda</li> <li>- Dr. John Wasswa, Department of Chemistry, Makerere ) Uganda</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:00 – 12:00</b>	<p><b>Session 9:</b>  <b><u>Role of public private partnerships (PPP) in e-waste management</u></b>  This session shall highlight the role of PPPs in effectively managing e-waste in the East African Region</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Ms. Kulthum Nancy Shushu from NEMC, Tanzania  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ambassador Peter Gitau, Digital Pipeline Africa</li> <li>- Alexis Siniranzi, ARCT, Burundi,</li> <li>- Virginia Onyara (MMU, Kenya) – PPP models for establishing sustainable e-waste management in East Africa.</li> <li>- Dr. Najib B. Lukooya - KCCA Uganda</li> <li>- Eric Guantai , CEO, Recykla International, Vice Secretary, National Steering Committee, Kenya</li> </ul>
<b>12:00 – 13:00</b>	<p><b>Session 10:</b>  <b><u>Wrap-up and Closing remarks</u></b>  Helen Nakiguli, Uganda Communications Commission, Juma Ooro (Kenya), Anita Hodari (Rwanda)</p>
<b>13:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>Lunch Break and participants leave at pleasure</b>