8 th African Coffee Symposium – Programme Summary		
Session	Moderator	Speakers
Session 1: Coffee growing systems adapted to climate change.	H.E. Ato Oumer HUSEN, Minister of Agriculture, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia.	 Dr. Charles AGWANDA, Coordinator Commodities, CABI AFRICA, Kenya Mr. Hyacinthe LEGNATE, CNRA, Côte d'Ivoire Dr. Simplice Nouala Fonkou, Head of Agriculture and Food Security, African Union Commission (AUC), Ethiopia Dr. Gilbert Anim-Kwapong, Director, Monitoring and Evaluation of CODAPEC Ghana Cocoa Board
Session 2: Financial and technical support to improving productivity.	Mr. Jose D. SETTE, Executive Director, ICO	 Mr. Abah OFON, Manager, Research & Intl Cooperation, Afreximbank, Egypt Mrs Nancy Chelangat CHERUIYOT, Managing Trustee Commodities Fund, Kenya. Mr. Andoh Obed MENSAH, Division Manager – Trade and Investment Climate, frican Development Bank (AFDB), Côte d'Ivoire Dr. Morris AKIRI, Regional Director, CABI AFRICA, Kenya
Session 3: Social dialogue between stakeholders in the value chain: What cooperation for improved productivity and competitiveness of African coffee?	H.E. Nelson OCHEGER, Ambassador of the Republic of Uganda, to the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, Uganda High Commission, Abuja-Nigeria	 Hajj Ishak LUKENGE, Director, Star Cafe Limited, Kampala, Uganda Chief Nat Ebo NSARKO, President, Ghana Coffee Federation Mr. Michael OWUSU-MANU, Ag. Deputy Director Ghana Cocoa Board Mr. Kambale KAMUNGELE, Executive Director, Café Africa, DRC.
Session 4: Coffee quality and access to high value-added niche markets.	Mr. Samuel N. KAMAU, Executive Director, AFCA	 Dr. Denis SEUDIEU Chief Economist, ICO, London Mr. Amir HAMZA, Chairman and CEO of Amir Hamza (T) Limited, Tanzania Mr Benson APUOYO, Market Research & Product Development Manager, Coffee Directorate, Agriculture & Food Authority, Kenya Mrs. Emi-Beth Quantson, CEO & Founder, Kawa Moka Coffee, AccraGhana
Session 5: National policies conducive to improved productivity and competitiveness of African coffee.	Hon George Boahen ODURO, Deputy Minister in charge of Perennials, Ministry of Food & Agriculture, Ghana	1.Dr Koffi N'GORAN, Directeur Général Adjoint, Conseil Café Cacao, Côte d'Ivoire 2. Dr. Emmanuel IYAMULEMYE, Managing Director, UCDA, Uganda 3. Dr Debela ADUGNA, Director General, Ethiopian Coffee & Tea Authority (ECTA) Ethiopia