

**FEDERAL MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, TRADE
AND INVESTMENT**

**13TH MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL
ON INDUSTRY, TRADE AND INVESTMENT**

**DATE: MONDAY, 22ND – FRIDAY, 26TH
NOVEMBER, 2021**

**VENUE: EKITI STATE CIVIC AND CONVENTION
CENTRE, FAJUYI, ADO-EKITI, EKITI STATE.**

**THEME: "MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM
ENTERPRISES DEVELOPMENT IN NIGERIA:
THE ROLE OF STAKEHOLDERS"**

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS		
S/N	TIME	EVENT
	DAY 1 (MONDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER, 2021)	
	8a.m. – 4.00pm.	Registration
1.1	TECHNICAL MEETING OF OFFICIALS	
	9.40a.m.- 9.45a.m.	Arrival of the Officials of Respective State Ministries of Industries, Commerce and Tourism, Directors and CEOs of Parastatals under FMITI, Stakeholders and other Participants.
	9.45a.m- 9.50a.m.	Arrival of the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment.
1.2	Opening Ceremony	
	9.50a.m.– 9.55a.m	National Anthem.
	9.55a.m.–10.00a.m.	Introduction of Dignitaries and other Members on the High Table by the Master of Ceremony .
	10a.m. – 10.05a.m	Welcome Address by Ekiti State Commissioner, Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry, Aare Muyiwa Olumilua.
	10.05am.-10.10a.m	Opening Remarks by the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment, Dr. Evelyn N. Ngige .
	10.10-a.m 10.15a.m.	Vote of thanks by Director, Policy, Planning, Research and Statistics, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment, Baba Gana Alkali .
	10.15a.m.– 10.45a.m	Paper Presentation on the “ The Role of Non-Governmental Organization (NGOs) in the Development of Micro, Small and Medium-Scale Enterprises (MSMEs) ” by Professor Yahaya Kuta (University of Ibadan) .
	10.45a.m.– 11.00a.m	Paper Presentation on the “ Benefit of the Survival Fund Scheme to the Public ” by Special

		Assistant to the President on MSMEs, Tola Adekunle-Johnson
	11.00a.m.– 11.15a.m	Comments/Question and Answer
	11.15a.m.– 11.40a.m	Tea Break.
1.3	Technical Meeting of Officials	
	11.40a.m – 1.00p.m	i. Consideration of the Report of the 12 th Meeting of the National Council on Industry, Trade and Investment held from 7 th -10 th Dec. 2020 at NAF Conference Centre and Suite, Abuja. ii. Update on the Matters Arising from the Report of the 12 th National Council on Industry, Trade and Investment.
	1.00p.m. -.2-00p.m.	Lunch Break.
	2.00p.m – 4.00p.m	Presentation/Consideration of Memoranda
	4.00p.m	Closing of Day 1

DAY 2 (TUESDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER, 2021)		
S/N	TIME	EVENT
	8a.m. – 4pm.	Registration continues
	9.40a.m.- 9.45a.m.	Arrival of the Officials of Respective State Ministries of Industries, Commerce and Tourism, Directors and CEOs of Parastatals under FMITI, Stakeholders and other Participants.
	9.45a.m- 9.50a.m.	Arrival of the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment.
	9.50a.m. – 9. 55a.m	National Anthem.
	9.55am.-10. 00a.m	Wrap-up of Day 1 by Director, Policy, Planning, Research and Statistics, Federal Ministry of

		Industry, Trade and Investment, Baba Gana Alkali.
	10.00a.m.- 10.15a.m.	Paper Presentation on “ How MSMEs can benefit from the continental Market through the implementation of the Africa Continental Free Trade Agreement (AfCFTA) ” by Secretary, National Action Committee, Francis Anatogu.
	10.15a.m.– 10.30a.m	Paper Presentation on the “ The Role of MSMEs in the development of economic activities of the Country ” by Head of Ministry’s Delivery Unit, Kamar Bakrin.
	10.30a.m.– 10.35a.m	Comments/question and answer
	10.35a.m.– 11.00a.m	Tea Break.
2.1	Technical Meeting of Officials	
	11.00a.m – 3.00p.m	Technical Session (Continues)
	3.00p.m. -.3.30p.m.	Breakout and syndicate group session
	3.30p.m – 4.00p.m	Lunch Break.
	4.00p.m	Closing of Day 2

DAY 3 (WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 2021)		
S/N	TIME	EVENT
3.1	9a.m. – 10.00am.	Tea Break.
	10a.m. – 4pm.	Plenary and consideration of report.
	4.00pm	Lunch Break.

DAY 4 (THURSDAY, 25 TH NOVEMBER, 2021) COUNCIL MEETING PROPER		
S/N	TIME	EVENT
4.1	Opening Ceremony	
	7.30a.m – 9. 00a.m	Breakfast Meeting of the Council members with the Honourable Ministers.
	9.00a.m.- 9.10a.m.	Arrival of Officials and Delegates.
	9.10a.m- 9. 20a.m	Arrival of States Officials, Directors and Chief Executives Officers of Parastatals under FMITI and Invited Dignitaries.
	9.20a.m. – 9. 30a.m	Arrival of Dr. Evelyn N. Ngige , Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment.
	9.30a.m. – 9. 40a.m	Arrival of Council Members and Members of Ekiti State Executive Council.
	9.40a.m. – 9.55a.m	Arrival of Otunba Richard Adeniyi Adebayo con , Hon. Minister Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment, Amb. Mariam Yalwaji Katagum , Hon. Minister of State, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment and Members of the NATIONAL ASSEMBLY .
	9.55a.m. – 10.00a.m	Arrival of His Excellency, the Governor of Ekiti State Dr. Kayode Fayemi
	10.00a.m–10. 10a.m	National Anthem/Opening Prayers/Welcoming song by Ministry of Commerce and Industry Ekiti State.
	10.10a.m.– 10. 15a.m	Introduction of Dignitaries and other Members on the High Table, Master of Ceremony .

4.2	Goodwill Messages	
	10.15a.m – 10. 20a.m	Chairman Senate Committee on Industry
	10.20a.m – 10. 25a.m	Chairman Senate Committee on Trade & Investment
	10.25a.m – 10. 30a.m	Chairman House Committee on Industry,
	10.30.a.m- 10. 35a.m	Chairman House Committee on Commerce
	10.35a.m -10. 40a.m	UNIDO Country Representative.
	10.40a.m. -10. 50a.m	Welcome Remarks by the SSG, Ekiti State Government.
	10.50a.m – 11. 10a.am	Opening Address by Hon. Minister, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment, Otunba Richard Adeniyi Adebayo con
	11.10am.-11. 25a.m	Address by His Excellency, the Executive Governor of Ekiti State, Dr. Kayode Fayemi.
	11.25a.m – 11.35a.m.	Closing Remarks by Hon. Minister of State, Federal Ministry of Industry, Trade and Investment, Amb. Mariam Yalwaji Katagum.
	11.35a.m. – 12pm.noon	Inspection of the Exhibition Stand
	12 noon	Departure of the Executive Governor of Ekiti State.
4.3	Ministerial Council Proper	
	12noon – 2. 00p.m	Presentation of the Report of the Technical Meetings to the Council by the Permanent Secretary; Deliberations on the Report of Technical Meeting by the Council.
	2.00p.m. -.3.00p.m.	Updates from States
	3.00p.m. -.3.30p.m.	Lunch Break.
	3.30p.m – 4. 30p.m	Guided Tour to places of interest.

	4.30p.m – 5. 00p.m	Communiqué/Closing
	8.00p.m	Gala Night/Dinner.

DAY 5 (FRIDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 2021)

DEPARTURE.