

## 22<sup>nd</sup> MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC COUNSELLORS TO THE EMBASSIES OF THE OIC MEMBER STATES ACCREDITED TO THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO

29<sup>th</sup> January 2024, The View Hotel, Rabat

### PROGRAM (GMT)



#### 08H30 - 9H00: Opening Session

- Welcoming speech of Mrs. Latifa ELBOUABDELLAOUI, Director General of the Islamic Centre for Development of Trade (ICDT);
- Speech of the Representative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, African Cooperation and Moroccan Expatriates of the Kingdom of Morocco;
- Projection of a documentary film on the activities of the ICDT;
- MoU signing ceremony with ICDT's partners.

#### 09H-09H15: Coffee break

#### 9H15-10H45: Session n° 1: Presentation of the recent developments in international trade and prospects of Intra-OIC Trade:

***Chairperson: Representative of the Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Kingdom of Morocco***

- Presentation of ICDT's Program by Mrs. Latifa ELBOUABDELLAOUI, Director General of ICDT;
- Presentation of the initiatives of the Kingdom's economic diplomacy aimed at fostering collaborations and partnerships between Morocco and member states of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation, by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, African Cooperation and Moroccans Expatriates of the Kingdom of Morocco;
- Presentation of IsDB's Program on Trade Facilitation and Investment by the Representative of the Department of Cooperation and Capacity Development of the IsDB;
- Presentation on the Preliminary Report on the Halal Economy of OIC Countries by Mr Rafiuddin Shikoh, Dinar Standard;
- Presentation of the joint activities of ICDT and ITC Geneva in the field of Trade Facilitation in OIC Member States by ITC Geneva.

- Presentation of the Program on Trade Facilitation by the Global Alliance for Trade Facilitation (GATF).

**10H45-12H15: Session n° 2: Presentation of the activities of ICDT for the Year 2024**

***Chairperson: Mrs. Latifa EL BOUABDELLAOUI, Director General of ICDT***

- Program for the promotion of trade and investment
- Program on trade facilitation
- Programs on women and youth economic empowerment and on the development of a sustainable and competitive tourism sector
- Program on economic intelligence
- ICDT New programs on food and health security

**12H15-12H45: Debate and proposition of activities by the Embassies for 2025**

**12H45-13H00: Closing remarks of Mrs. the Director General of ICDT and the Representative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, African Cooperation and Moroccan Expatriates of the Kingdom of Morocco.**

**13H00-15H00: Lunch break**