



Vienna, 10 November 2016 - co-organized by the Government of Senegal and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), the fifth Forum on Inclusive and Sustainable Industrial Development will be held on 14 and 15 November 2016 in Dakar. The Forum extends the efforts of previous ISID events, while introducing dedicated activities for investment promotion and a new regional dimension to the Programme for Country Partnership (PCP) approach.

During the Forum, the first results of Ethiopia and Senegal - the first PCP pilot countries - will be presented, also to encourage the replication of the PCP model in Africa. As an immediate result of these discussions, an Action Plan for PCP replication will be proposed to mobilize partners that will come in support of the Third Industrial Development Decade for Africa (IDDA III).

Over 350 participants are expected, including senior representatives of the Government of Senegal, the 15 Industry Ministers of ECOWAS Member States, technical development partners, United Nations agencies, international and regional financial institutions, the private sector and civil society.

On the first day of the event, the progress achieved for each PCP will be presented by senior representatives from each pilot country. Then, a round table will focus on the Action Plan to replicate the PCP model in Africa and on reaching a consensus related to its implementation modalities.

The second day will be dedicated to investment promotion for PCP projects that are fully aligned with the Plan Senegal Emergent (PSE). B2B and B2G meetings will also be organized, which should strengthen public-private partnerships. In addition, an exhibition of industrial products from the region will be organized, as well as guided tours to the Integrated Diamniadio Industrial Park, the flagship project of this partnership between the Government of Senegal and UNIDO.

For more information on the event, please go to: <https://isid.unido.org/forum-5.html>

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