### **HOTEL RESERVATION**

Kindly be advised that participants are requested to reserve their hotel accommodations via telephone, fax or E-mail, directly with the hotels of preference, indicating their arrival schedules before **15 January 2017**, with a copy to Event Coordinator at E-mail: <a href="mailto:arab.rpm@ntc.gov.sd">arab.rpm@ntc.gov.sd</a>, to ensure the reception at the airport of Khartoum.

Please be aware of the fact that the transportation between the hotels and the airport will be provided only for delegates who are staying in one of the following officially recommended hotels:

Hotel	Star Rating	Facilities Included	Daily Rate (USD)	Contact
Alsalam Rotana Hotel Africa Road (venue)	5	Wifi/breakfast	Single Classic Room: 160 USD Double Classic Room: 180 USD Subject to 17% VAT, 5% Service Charge & 5% Residence fees	Tel: +249 187 007777 Fax: +249 187 007788 E-mail: <u>sales.alsalam@rotana.com</u> URL: <u>www.rotana.com</u>
Corinthia Hotel	5	Wifi/breakfast	Single Deluxe room: 197 USD Double Deluxe room: 197 USD Subject to 17% VAT & 5% Residence fees	Tel: +249 187 155 555  Fax: +249 187 555 666 E-mail: reservations.khartoum@corinthia.com URL: www.corinthia.com/khartoum
Holiday Villa Hotel	5	Wifi/breakfast	Standard Single Room: 90 USD Standard Double Room: 110 USD Prices are inclusive of all taxes and service charge	Tel: 249 183 774 039 Fax: 249 183 773 961 E-mail: reservation@holidayvillakhartoum.com URL: www.holidayvillakhartoum.com

<b>Kanon Hotel</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> Street Al Amarat Khartoum	4	Wifi/breakfast	Single Room: 80 USD Double Room: 120 USD Subject to 17% VAT, 5% Service Charge & 5% Residence fees	Tel: +249 183 595 959 Fax: +249 183 595 555 E-mail: sales@kanonhotel.com URL: www.kanonhotel.com
Kanon Hotel Khartoum 2	4	Wifi/breakfast	Single Room: 60 USD Double Room: 90 USD Subject to 17% VAT, 5% Service Charge & 5% Residence fees	Tel: +249 183 595 959 Fax: +249 183 595 555 E-mail: sales@kanonhotel.com URL: www.kanonhotel.com
Coral Hotel	4	Wifi/breakfast	Single room: \$ 130 Double room: \$ 150 Subject to 17% VAT & 5% Residence fees	Tel: +249 183 774 100 Fax: +249 183 775 793 E-mail: info@khartoumregencyhotel.com URL: www.hmhhotelgroup.com/coral/sudan/khartoum/coralkhartoum

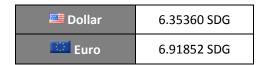
#### TRANSPORTATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Khartoum International Airport is the main point of entry into to Sudan. Airport taxis and shuttles are available from the airport to hotels. Hotels can arrange pick up for participants.

Please note that the NTC will provide transportation from the airport to the recommended hotels, as long as the participant's itinerary has been provided to the Event Coordinator in advance. There will be an authorized representative from NTC to welcome the participants who have provided their flights details and may assist to solve any problems.

### **CURRENCY**

- The official currency is the **Sudanese Pound (SDG).**
- Visa, American Express, Access/MasterCard, and Diners Club cards CANNOT be used for direct payment, but can be used to withdraw local currency cash from ATM machines
- Foreign currencies may be changed into Sudanese Pounds at banks or private exchange offices. Most banks are open from Sunday until Thursday, from 0830h to 1430h.
- The exchange current rates in Sudan as of 24 October 2016 are as follows:



### **CLIMATE**

The weather is cold and dry in January and February. Approximate temperatures in January-February will vary between 20-38 degrees Celsius.

## **SECURITY**

Khartoum is a venue for major conferences and presents a low risk to business travelers. However, as when travelling to any major city, it is important to take responsibility for your personal safety and exercise common sense security precautions at all times.

Delegates should observe common sense security precautions and not venture outside the main business and tourist areas unless accompanied by a trusted local guide.

For any security incident, visitors should contact the police on 999.

### **ELECTRICITY**

AC power voltage in Sudan is 220 V, frequency 50Hz. Most electrical outlets -are British standards: 2 and 3 outlets (as shown below).



Government	Republic	
President	H.E. Mr. Omar Hassan Ahmad Al-Bashir	
Minister in charge of ICT	Dr. Tahani Abdalla Attia	
Area	1882000 km2	
Population	37,419,625	
Capital	Khartoum	
Official Language	Arabic is the official language. English is widely spoken (in most hotels and official offices)	
Country Code/CCTLD	+249 / .sd	
Time Zone	GMT+3	

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