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## Expert Group Meeting

### Transition to renewable resources for energy and food security in North and West Africa

Accra, 1<sup>st</sup> November 2023

### Provisional programme of work

Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> November

- 11.30 – 11.45 a.m. Introduction of the EGM Sessions**
- Mrs. Zuzana Schwidrowski, Director, SRO-NA
  - Mrs. Ngoné Diop, Director, SRO-WA
- 11.45 am– 1.15 p.m. Session 1: Rethinking energy security in the face of the challenges of climate change, the cases of Morocco and Ghana**
- Moderator: Kodjo Esseim Mensah-Abrampa, Director general, National Development Planning Commission**
- Energy transition issues in the face of climate change in Africa (Mekalia Paulos, *TCND – ECA*)
  - Case of Ghana: Dr. Robert B. M. Sogbadji, Deputy Director, Nuclear and Alternative Energy, Ministry of Energy, Ghana,
  - Discussions
- 1.15. –2.15 pm Health break**
- 2.15 – 4.15 pm Session 2: Food security and agricultural transition**
- Moderator: Abdoulaye Zonon, Coordinator of ECOWAS Community Development Program**
- Priority regional value chains in West Africa (Mamoudou Sebego SRO – WA)
  - Food security in Africa: Trends and policies (Zuzana Schwidrowski, Director – SRO- NA)
  - Impacts of the war on food security in Tunisia and Mitigation plan (Samia Hamouda, SRO – NA)
  - Discussions
- 4.15 pm – 4.30 pm Health Break**
- 4.30 pm – 5.15 pm Closing of the Experts Group Meeting**