

Agenda for CEPA Fair Side Event

Date: Monday, 15 October 2012

Time: 13:00 to 15:00

Total duration: 2 hour

Venue: Hyderabad International Convention Center, Hyderabad, India

Room No:

- 1) The side event will contain a short 10 minute documentary film highlighting the story of Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve features including its opportunities to the locals of Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve.
- 2) Three presentations, each 20 minutes long and a Q&A session after the following three topics
 - a) Success Story of Ecosystem Conservation in Baa Atoll (Environment Protection Agency, GoM representative)
 - Policies of government
 - Collaborative efforts
 - AEC project
 - Outcomes and way forward towards conservation
 - b) Baa Atoll Conservation Fund and key Protected Areas in Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve (Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve Office, GoM representative)
 - Hanifaru Regulation
 - How it is implemented
 - Revenue generation from July (per day how many tourists???)
 - Sustainability and opportunities of Baa Atoll Conservation fund
 - c) Tourism and Biodiversity Conservation: Maldives Story (Mini
 - Economic values of biodiversity
 - Revenues to tourism from Biodiversity
 - Tourism Act : contribution to conservation
 - Resorts commitment / case studies from different projects being implemented in resorts
 - d) The role of UNEP and other international organizations in the achievements

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