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The Chair,
Local Development Partners Group
Kampala, Uganda

Dear Sir/Madam,

INVITATION TO THE NDPIII VALIDATION MEETING

Greetings from the National Planning Authority!

As you are aware, Parliament of the republic of Uganda approved the third National Development Plan (NDPIII) with additional comments. As we finalize the plan, validation with the LDPG is key.

As such, NPA invites the members of the LDPG and other south to south corporation members for a one-day retreat on Tuesday, 11th February, 2020 at HUMURA hotel starting at 10:00 am. The retreat program is attached. Please note that copies of the draft plan were already shared with your team.

I count on your usual support.

Yours sincerely,


Joseph Muvawala (PhD)
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

LDPG-NPA retreat on NDPIII

Venue: Humura Resort, Yusuf Lule Road

Date: 11th February

Time	Session	Activity Lead and Participation
10am – 10.30am	Welcome and Opening remarks Speeches by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NPA • LDPG Quartet 	NPA and LDPG Chairpersons
10.30am – 11am	Presentation to outline NDP III Strategic direction and programmatic areas	NPA
11am – 1pm	Working Lunch and group sessions to discuss and reflect on key strategic concerns/issues in the NDPIII: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group 1: How do we ensure that we achieve vibrant sustainable economic productive sector • Group 2: How do we balance human capital development and social wellbeing with the economic productive sector investments 	All Participants
1pm – 2pm	Feedback session (plenary)	NPA Including coffee/tea break
2pm – 2.30pm	Presentation on linkage and financing of NDP3	MoFPED
2.30pm – 4pm	Plenary session to discuss implementation issues including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financing the plan in sustainable manner (DRM, debt sustainability, enhancing private sector engagement) • Alignment of plan and PIP and capacity to implement core projects; • Development cooperation and partnerships 	All Participants
4pm – 4.30pm	Next steps and Roadmap	NPA
4.30pm	Concluding remarks and cocktails	NPA and LDPG Chairs

***Participation:**

- LDPG Principles and key non-traditional development partners
- NPA, MoFEDP, OPM and UBOS