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Convention to Combat Desertification

FORUM ON ARTS AND CULTURE IN THE CONTEXT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNCCD
COP.6 HAVANA, CUBA 30 - 31 AUGUST 2003

PROVISIONAL AGENDA (as of 19 august 2003)

Saturday, 30 August 2003

09:00 - 10:00	Registration of participants
10:00 - 11:00	Opening ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Statement by Mr. Hama Arba Diallo, Executive Secretary of the UNCCD- Statement by Mr. Francisco Jose Lacayo Parajon, representative of UNESCO- Statement by Mr. Abel Prieto, Minister of Culture of Cuba
11:00 - 11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 - 13:00	Introduction by A. Sissako and Projection of " <i>La vie sur terre</i> " realized by A. Sissako, Cineaste from Mauritania and winner of the last Film Festival of Ouagadougou. Discussion on the film " <i>La vie sur terre</i> "
13:00 - 13:30	Inauguration of Paintings Exposition Presentation of poet and writer M. Pablo Armando Fernández. Presentation of women Chorus « <i>Ensamble Vocal Luna</i> »
	Stamps emission, COP.6

13:30 - 15:00 *Lunch break*

15:00 - 17:00 Election of the Facilitator and adoption of the provisional agenda
Presentation of the terms of reference of the Forum
Establishment of the basis and objectives of the Forum
Presentation made by Mrs. Aminata Traore, former Malian minister of culture

20:00 - 21:30 Cocktail and concert of Salif Keita on the courtesy of UNESCO-UNCCD and the Ministry of culture of Cuba
Hotel Palco

Sunday, 31 August 2003

9:30 - 11:00 Modalities and Preparation of the next Forum
Identification of Concrete tasks to be undertaken for the next Forum
Discussion on the venue of the next Forum

11:00 - 11:30 *Coffee break*

11:30 - 12:30 Consideration and adoption of the draft " Havana Call"

12:30 - 15:00 *Lunch break*

15:00 - 16:00 Concluding statements and closure of the forum
- Statement by the Facilitator of the Forum
- Statement by Mr. Hama Harba Diallo, Executive Secretary of the UNCCD

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