GFMD – AU French Regional Consultation: Online Closing Plenary – List of Speakers and Interveners

Opening Remarks:

1. Opening Remarks: **GFMD 2020 Chair-in-Office:** H.E. Abdulla Ali Alnuaimi, Assistant Undersecretary for Communications and International Relations

Thematic Leads' Summary Remarks:

- 2. Moderator: Mr. Alex Zalami, Head of GFMD 2020 Taskforce
- 3. Thematic Selection 1 The Governance of Labour Migration in the Context of a Changing Employment Landscape: Ms. Michelle Leighton, Chief, Labour Migration Branch, ILO (Thematic Lead)
- 4. Thematic Selection 2 Skilling Migrants for Employment: Ms. Michele Klein Solomon, Director, Policy Hub IOM (Thematic Lead)
- 5. Thematic Selection 3 Addressing Gaps in Migrant Protection: Mr. John Bingham, Representative, NGO Committee on Migration (Thematic Lead)

GFMD Mechanisms' Summary Remarks:

- 6. **Business Mechanism Perspective**: Mr. Edouard Ladouyou, Head of IR focal point IOE/ILO, Confédération Générale des Entreprises de Côte d'Ivoire (CGECI)
- 7. **Civil Society Perspective**: Mr. Mamadou Goïta, Executive Director of the Panafrican Network in Defense of Migrants Rights (PANiDMR)
- 8. **Mayoral Mechanism Perspective**: Mr. Adama Zerbo, Head of International Cooperation, City of Ouagadougou

LaMP Partnership Matching Session

- 9. Moderator: Ms. Rebekah Smith, LaMP
- 10. Mr. Ali Serhani, Associate Director, Gesper Services (Private Sector)
- 11. Ms. Brice Monnou, Head, Femmes et contributions au développement (FECODEV, Civil Society)
- 12. Mr. Thierno Abdoul Bah, Africa Focal Point, UNMGCY
- 13. Mr. David Martineau, Project Coordinator, IOM
- 14. Mr. Mohamed Boussraoui, Director of Programme, UCLG
- 15. Ms. Imen Ouardani, Deputy Mayor, City of Sousse

Closing Remarks

- 16. African Union Co-Chair Closing Remarks: Sabelo Mbokazi Head, Labour Employment & Migration, African Union
- 17. GFMD 2020 Chair Closing Remarks: H.E. Abdulla Ali Alnuaimi, Assistant Undersecretary for Communications and International Relations