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ATTACHMENT 1

**SARTTAC Seventh Annual Steering Committee Meeting (Hybrid)
Final Agenda**

Monday, June 19, 6:30 - 8:00 PM		Welcome Reception		Venue: JW Marriott Hotel New Delhi Aerocity (Studio 5 and 6), Aerocity, New Delhi – 110037			
Main Meeting: Tuesday, June 20, 2023							
Venue: SARTTAC							
Item		Time (IST)		Topic/Item		Moderator/Speaker(s)	
1		10:00 – 10:15 AM		Meeting Opening and Introductions		Speakers: David Cowen, Director, SARTTAC; R. Subramanian, Executive Director, Reserve Bank of India; and Mahimapat Ray, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Finance (India)	
2		10:15 - 11:00 AM		Presentation: Highlights of SARTTAC Operations and Activities in FY23 and Endorsement of Minutes of Interim SC Meeting		Speaker and moderator: David Cowen Other speakers: Celeste Kubasta, Public Financial Management (PFM) Advisor; and Ravinder Saroop, Revenue Administration Advisor, SARTTAC	
3		11:00 -11:30 AM		Coffee/tea break and Group Photo			
4		11:30 AM - 12:30 PM		Discussion: SARTTAC Proposed Workplan for FY24—Selected Highlights and Endorsement		Moderator: R. Subramanian Highlights: David Cowen Main speakers: Steering Committee Other speakers: Oleg Churiy, Monetary and FX Operations Advisor; and Nitin Jain, Financial Supervision and Regulation Advisor, SARTTAC	
5		12:30 -12:45 PM		Government Finance Statistics (GFS) Program in SARTTAC: Presentation and Discussion		Speaker: Andrew Evans, Government Finance and Public Sector Debt Statistics Advisor, SARTTAC	
6		12:45 - 1:45 PM		Lunch at SARTTAC			
7		1:45 - 2:30 PM		Presentation: Draft SARTTAC Phase II Program Document		Speakers: David Cowen and Ankit Singh, Economist, SARTTAC	
8		2:30 - 3:30 PM		Discussion: New Areas of CD Support and Member Country Needs in Phase II		Moderator and speaker: Saji Thomas, Deputy Director, SARTTAC Other speakers: Raju Sharan, PFM Advisor, SARTTAC; Jose Roberto Effio, Senior Financial Sector Expert, IMF Monetary and Capital Markets Department; and Rajeswari Thondiyil, Real Sector Statistics Advisor, SARTTAC Discussants: Other IMF capacity development departments	
9		3:30 – 3:45 PM		Coffee/tea break			



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10	3:45 - 4:15 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Financial update on current and next phaseUpdates from development partners and member countries on their financial contributions to Phase II	<i>Speaker:</i> Reem Sweiss, Senior Technical Assistance Officer, Global Partnerships Division, IMF Institute for Capacity Development		
11	4:15 - 4:45 PM	Open discussion	<i>Moderator:</i> David Cowen		
12	4:45 - 5:00 PM	Closing remarks	<i>Speakers:</i> Anne-Marie Gulde-Wolf, Deputy Director, APD; and David Cowen, SARTTAC		
Coffee/Tea and Lunch will provided by SARTTAC.					
Meeting times (local):					
Washington DC	12:30-7:30 AM	Male	9:30 AM-4:30 PM	Dhaka and Thimphu	10:30 AM-5:30 PM
London	5:30 AM-12:30 PM	Delhi and Colombo	10:00 AM-5:00 PM	Seoul	1:30-8:30 PM
Brussels	6:30 AM-1:30 PM	Kathmandu	10:15 AM-5:15 PM	Canberra	2:30-9:30 PM