Programme

Monday, 8 October

08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:20 Opening addresses
• Mr. Yasuyuki NODERA, ILO-Regional Director, Asia Pacific Region

09:20-09:30 Overview of the Technical Meeting
Election of the chairperson and vice-chairperson

09:30-10:00 Introduction to ILO/APSDEP
• Mr. Naoki HAMADA, Chief Technical Advisor, APSDEP

10:00-10:20 Coffee Break

10:20-11:20 Panel Discussion on APSDEP: Its role as an ILO programme and its linkages with other ILO activities.
• Technical panellists: Mr. Ian CUMMINGS and Mr. Alex GORHAM

11:20-12:00 General discussion: Training policies and programmes
• Some key issues by Mr. Trevor RIORDAN, Coordinator, Training Policies and Programmes, IFP/SKILLS

12:00-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-13:45 Summary report of the feedback to the Questionnaires and analysis of the findings.
• Mr. Derek BOWLAND, Consultant

13:45-15:00 Discussion 1: Future Direction of APSDEP
• Discussion of key issues in skill development;
• Types of activities; and
• Linkages with other ILO activities.

15:00-15:20 Coffee Break

15:20-16:20 Discussion 1 continued

16:20-17:00 Future Direction of APSDEP
• Summing up of discussion 1
• Conclusions

18:00-20:00 Reception
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09:00-10:30 Discussion 2: Future working arrangements for APSDEP
  - Secretariat
  - Networking
  - Direct Support
  - Cost-sharing, etc.

10:30-10:50 Coffee Break

10:50-11:30 Discussion 2 (continued)

11:30-12:00 Future Working Arrangements for APSDEP
  - Summing up of discussion 2
  - Conclusions

12:00-13:30 Lunch Break

13:30-14:30 Panel Discussion
  - Conclusions reached
  - Proposed future plan and programmes
  - Follow-up action

14:30-15:00 Coffee Break

15:00-15:30 Closing Remarks
  - The Government of Japan
  - ILO

End of Meeting