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## Second Capacity Building Workshop on the Regional Review of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration in the Arab Region

### Proposed Draft AGENDA

Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2020

from 9:30am to 12:30pm (Cairo time)

- Please note that the working language will be Arabic, French and English.
- Simultaneous interpretation will be provided through an online platform (Interprefy).

#### (Cairo Time)

9:30-10:00	<b>Online registration</b>
10:00-10:15	<b>Welcoming remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Mr. Othman Belbeisi, Senior Regional Advisor for MENA - International Organization for Migration</li> <li>– Ms. Enas El Fergany, Director, Refugees, Expatriates and Migration Affairs Department, League of Arab States</li> <li>– Ms. Sara Salman, Regional Advisor on Population Affairs, ESCWA</li> </ul>
10:15-11:00	<b>Member States’ presentations on the progress in preparing voluntary GCM reviews</b> <i>Guiding questions for Member States presentations</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Please describe the progress on preparing the Voluntary GCM Review report</i></li> <li>- <i>Please indicate your experience in the whole-of-government approach for the national review/consultation process: which government entities are involved in the report preparations?</i></li> <li>- <i>Please share about your experience in the whole-of-society approach for the national review/consultation process: which other non-governmental entities are involved in the report preparations?</i></li> <li>- <i>Did you encounter any challenges responding to the guiding template? Please specify the needed support that can be of assistance to you in preparing the review process and the report?</i></li> <li>- <i>What are some of the initial key findings of your Voluntary GCM Review?</i></li> </ul>

	<p>- <i>How did your country incorporate the GCM principles in the ongoing COVID response, and how did your country interventions of the COVID-19 response contributed to the achievement of the 23 objectives of the GCM?</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Othman Belbeisi, Senior Regional Advisor for MENA International Organization for Migration</p>
11:00-11:15	<b>Break</b>
11:15-12:00	<p><b>Member States' presentations on key findings in preparing voluntary GCM reviews (Continued session after the break)</b></p> <p><i>Same guiding questions as above</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Sara Salman, Regional Advisor on Population Affairs, ESCWA</p>
12:00-12:20	<p><b>Open Discussions</b></p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Enas El Fergany, Director, Refugees, Expatriates and Migration Affairs Department, League of Arab States</p>
12:20 – 12:30	<p><b>Wrap-up: way forward</b></p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Kristina Mejo, Senior Regional Liaison and Policy Officer and Deputy Regional Director, Regional Office MENA, International Organization for Migration</p>