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**National Workshop on SAFE Framework of Standards (SAFE) and Authorized  
Economic Operator (AEO)  
27-29 May 2015, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia**

**Draft Programme**

Day and Time	Activities	Remarks
Day 1: 27 May 2015 (Wednesday)		
09:00 – 09:30	➤ Registration	
09:30 – 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Opening Remarks               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Byambaa. Radnaa, Director of Customs Control and Risk Management Department (MCGA)</li> <li>• Mr. Pettersson Anders, Senior Portfolio Management Specialist, ADB Mongolia Resident Mission</li> <li>• Ms. Asha Menon, Senior Technical Officer, Compliance and Facilitation Directorate, World Customs Organization</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
10:00 – 11:00	➤ Introduction to the Workshop	<i>Mongolian Customs</i>
	➤ Introduction of the World Customs Organization	WCO
11:00 – 11:20	Group Photo/ Break	
11:20 – 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Introduction to SAFE Framework of Standards</li> <li>➤ Current developments of SAFE</li> </ul>	WCO
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 – 15:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Presentation on the type of programme Mongolia Customs has</li> <li>➤ How is the Customs to Business relationship in Mongolia?</li> <li>➤ WCO C2B Partnership</li> </ul>	<i>Mongolia Customs</i>
15:20 – 15:40	Break	
15:40 – 17:00	➤ SAFE Package	



Day 2: 28 May 2015 (Thursday)		
09:00 – 11:00	What is an AEO Programme? ➤ Requirements ➤ Authorization/validation and re-assessment processes ➤ Implementation	<i>Participants</i> WCO Other stakeholders
11:00 – 11:20	Break	
11:20 – 12:00	➤ Benefits (including benefits provided by Private Sector Consultative Group (PSCG))	
12:00 – 12:30	➤ Discussion and Q&A session with the other stakeholders	
12:30 – 13:00	➤ Best Practices and Challenges in implementing in some countries Malaysia	
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 – 15:30	➤ Update of AEO programmes ➤ AEO – MRA Research ➤ Discussion on the difference of AEO (under the SAFE FoS) vs Authorized Trader (AT) under the RKC (GA 3.32) and Authorized Operator under Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA) Article 7.7	<i>Participants</i> WCO
15:30 – 15:50	Break	
15:50 – 17:00	➤ WTO TFA ➤ Security programmes AEO vs Regulated Agent / Known Consignor	
Day 3: 29 May 2015 (Friday)		
09:00 – 10:00	➤ What is Mutual Recognition Agreements/Arrangements (MRAs)?	<i>Participants</i> WCO
10:00 – 11:30	➤ Group exercise on practical implementation of AEO requirements in Mongolia through gap analysis of the requirements between SAFE AEO and Mongolian Programme	WCO
11:00 – 11:20	Break	
11:30 – 13:00	➤ Presentation of the gap analysis and way forward	
13:00 – 14:00	Break	
14:00 – 15:30	Problems of Prospects of implementing AEO	<i>Discussion by all</i>



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	Programme in Mongolia <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Need for having a dedicated AEO Implementation Team</li><li>• Open Discussion</li></ul>	
15:30 – 15:50	Break	
15:50 – 17:00	Develop strategic plan/vision of programme Time-bound implementation plan and arrangements	<i>Discussion by all</i>