

Regional Workshop on Mobile Money Financial Services

Outline on Case Studies Presentation

Guidelines

Length not more than 2,000 words in Word format (.doc), including tables, figures and references. Power-point presentation should not exceed 10 slides.

Please send us the Word format of your case study preferably by **Monday, 15th February, 2016** and power-point presentation by **Monday, 29th February, 2016** to facilitate our preparation of the workshop documents.

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Proposed topics to be covered in your case study

1. Brief description of banking situation (no. of banks, account holders, branches etc.),
2. Status of **Mobile Money Operations**
 - Number of operatives, volume of transactions, regulatory provision /policy guidelines (if any)
 - How the industry has evolved since its inception in terms of expanding financial inclusion
3. Country experiences and/or plans (if any) on the following areas:
 - Lending and credit for mobile money providers
 - Treatment of interest on a mobile money account / trust account for non-bank led operators
 - Partnerships with telecoms regulators, and cooperation between banks and telecoms or service providers
 - Regional considerations and cooperation
 - Customer protection & empowerment through financial literacy
 - Regulations governing agent networks
 - Capital requirements for mobile providers
 - Taxation on transactions and on salary payments for the informal sector
 - International remittances
 - How are financial intermediation issues handled?
4. Opportunities and Challenges
5. Conclusions and Next steps