



INFORMATION ON THE REGIONAL TRAINING ON THE IOTC E-PSM APPLICATION *PORT STATE MEASURES*

Maputo, Mozambique

1. Workshop dates and venue

The regional training on the e-PSM application will be held from 23rd to 26th June 2015 in Maputo, Mozambique.

The venue of the training will be:

AFRIN HOTEL
Rua Ngungunyane, 56 -
Maputo
☎ Tel: +258 21 358 900 -
☎ Fax: +258 21 358 901

Website:

<http://maputo.afrin-hotels.com/en/hotel-overview.html>



Figure 1: Maps of Maputo indicating the training venue

2. Contacts

The contacts for the training at the Secretariat are:

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3. Registration

Participants are reminded that the final list of participants will be based on information provided by your country and the registration process during the first day of the training (23rd June 2015).

4. Travel arrangements

Getting to Maputo:

Most international flights arrive from South Africa, although direct international routes also exist between Mozambique and Tanzania, Kenya and Portugal.

There are several flights daily from Johannesburg to Maputo, operated by South African Airways (SAA) and the Mozambican flag-carrier Linhas Aereas de Moçambique (LAM).

5. Accommodation

Rooms are available at the Afrin Hotel where the training will take place.

Participants from countries legible to the GPO/WB and GEF/FAO/ABNJ funding have been booked at the venue of the training.

Participants from other countries may wish to book at the Afrin hotel (IOTC Negotiated Rate 5,500 MZN):

AFRIN PRESTIGE HOTEL
TELEF. +258 21 358900
FAX +258 21 358901
MOBILE: +258 82 3580001 / +258 84 3580001
E-MAIL: prestige.reservas@afrinhotels.co.mz

If you do not wish to stay at the hotel of the training venue, please find below a list of hotels in the vicinity of the training venue in Maputo.

Terminus Hotel ***	http://www.terminus.co.mz/ email: reservas@terminus.co.mz Tel. +258 21 486257/21491284
Hotel VIP ****	http://maputo.hotel-vip-maputo.tobook.com/Mozambique/Hotels/Hotel-Vip-Maputo?cityname=Maputo email: hotelmaputo@viphotels.com Tel: +258 21 35 10 00
Rovuma Hotel ****	http://www.pestana.com/hotels/pt/hotels/africa/MaputoHotels/Rovuma/Home/ email: reservas.africa@pestana.com Tel: +258 21 305 000
Hotel Tivoli	Email: tivoli@tvcabo.co.mz Tel. +258 21 307600

6. Arrival and entry formalities

Visas

Participants should make their own arrangements for their entry visa in Mozambique and it is recommended to do so as soon as possible.

When a Mozambican diplomatic/consulate representation is available in the country of the participant, visa must be obtained from this representation.

Contact of diplomatic representation are available at:

http://www.minec.gov.mz/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=68&Itemid=106

When a Mozambican diplomatic/consulate representation is not available in the country of the participant, visa can be obtained at the airport (80 USD, visa rate can be changed without notice).

Nominative letter of invitation will be issued by the Government of Mozambique to facilitate the visa application process.

You must present on entry a return air ticket (for air travelers) and either a confirmed hotel reservation.

Passport validity

Your passport should be valid for a minimum period of 6 months from the date your visa for Mozambique was issued, and have at least two blank pages.

Yellow fever Certificate

Yellow fever vaccination is required for travelers arriving from countries with risk of yellow fever transmission. If you can't present a valid certificate on entry you may need to be vaccinated locally at your expense.

The visa may be reimbursed during the training. **Reimbursement is conditioned** to the presentation of a copy of the visa and the payment receipt.

7. Transportation

For the participants staying at Afrin Hotel, free bus services from the airport to the hotel are available.

The bus driver shall be waiting for you at the exit of the airport.

For the participants staying in another hotel, consult the hotel's reservation office for availability of transfer from the airport to the hotel.

Care hire companies are available at the airport. Public transport in and around Maputo includes taxis and buses.

8. Dress code

The dress code for the meeting is Smart Casual.

9. Delegates kit

All documents and other materials for the training will be made available during the training. The training programme will be provided by email to each participant.

10. Electricity

Electricity in South Africa is 220/240 volts AC, 50 Hertz. It is recommended to delegates to bring adequate adaptors with them. Most hotel rooms have 100 volt outlets for electric shavers and appliances.



11. Telephone service

International dialing code

The International dialing code for Mozambique is +258

Mobile services:

There are two mobile operators, Mcel (Mozambican operator) numbers start with 82, or Vodacom Mozambique (South African operator) numbers start with 84 and they can be found on arrival at the airport. They offer SIM card and prepaid recharge for mobile phones.

12. Internet

Wi-Fi facility and internet service are available in the conference area and at hotels. They are at participants' own expense.

13. Currency and exchange

The currency of Mozambique is the new Metical (Meticais Nova Família, MZN), plural meticais (Mts), divided into 100 centavos. The current exchange rates are available at: <http://www.oanda.com/>

All major credit cards can be used in Maputo.