TICAD VI Side Event on CARD "Progress of CARD and the Future of Rice Sector Development in Africa"

Date: 08:45 – 11:30, Thursday, 25th August 2016,

Venue: Hotel Sarova Panafric, Nairobi, Kenya

Program		
Time	Agenda	Presenter
08:30-08:45	Registration	
08:45-08:50	Opening remark	Mr Hiroshi Kato, JICA Vice President
08:50–08:55	Welcoming remark	Hon. Willy Kiokorir Bett, CS of MoALF, Kenya
First Session: The mechanism and progress of the CARD Initiative and Partnership among stakeholders		
08:55–09:10	Achievement of the CARD Initiative in the past seven years.	CARD Secretariat
09:10-09:30	Country Level success – Cote d'Ivoire – Government (ONDR) and Rice Producer	Mr. Yacouba Dembele Mr. Morry Diabate
09:30–09:50	Country - level success – Nigeria– Government (FMARD) and Private Sector (OLAM)	Mr. George Opara Mr. Regi George
09:50–10:20	 Comments and Feed Back From attending VIPs: Dr. Harold Roy-Macauley, Director General, AfricaRice Dr. Masa Iwanaga, President, JIRCAS Mr. Bukar Tijani, Regional Representative in Africa, FAO Mr. Rivo Rakotovao, Hon. Minister for Agriculture, Madagascar 	
Second Session: Future of CARD and Rice Sector Development in Africa		
10:20-10:35	In Pursuit of an African Green Revolution	Prof. K. Otsuka, GRIPS
10:35–10:50	Transformation of African Agriculture	Dr. Yaw Ansu, ACET
10:50-10:55	Implications on Future Direction for Rice Sector Development in Africa – some conclusion from the 6 th CARD General Meeting	CARD Secretariat
10:55–11:25	 Comments and Feed Back From attending VIPs: Dr. Chiji Ojukwu Director for Agriculture, AfDB Dr. Matthew Morell Director General, IRRI Dr. Yemi Akinbamijo, Executive Director, FARA Dr. Papa Seck, Hon. Minister for Agriculture and Rural Equipment, Senegal 	
11:25–11:30	Conclusion and Closing	Dr. Agnes Kalibata AGRA President