

**PARTNERSHIP FOR MARKET READINESS (PMR)**

**Eight Partnership Assembly Meeting**

**Mexico City, March 3-5, 2014**

**Resolution No. PA8/2014-1**

**Confirmation of Tunisia's Participation as an Implementing Country Participant in the PMR  
and Allocation of the PMR Preparation Phase Funding for Activities in Tunisia**

**WHEREAS:**

1. According to Section 4.2 of the PMR Governance Framework, the participants of the Partnership Assembly shall include, in addition to the Contributing Participants, the countries that have submitted an expression of interest (EoI) to participate in the PMR and whose participation has been confirmed at the Organizational Meeting or any meeting of the Partnership Assembly (Implementing Country Participants);
2. Pursuant to Section 4.3(c) of the PMR Governance Framework, the Partnership Assembly's roles and responsibilities include approving the allocation of PMR resources to the Implementing Country Participants, in the absence of the establishment of a Partnership Committee;
3. Tunisia submitted an EoI and its Organizing Framework for the Scoping of PMR Activities (the "Organizing Framework") to the PMR Secretariat, and presented its EoI and Organizing Framework to the Partnership Assembly at this meeting.
4. The Organization Meeting, by its Resolution No. ORG-4, decided that the amount of the PMR preparation phase funding, to be allocated by the Partnership Assembly or Partnership Committee for assisting an Implementing Country Participant's formulation of its Market Readiness Proposal, shall be US\$350,000;
5. The Partnership Assembly acknowledged the efforts made by Tunisia in its preparation of the EoI and the Organizing Framework.

**THE PARTNERSHIP ASSEMBLY:**

1. Confirms, in accordance with Section 4.2(b) of the PMR Governance Framework, Tunisia as an Implementing Country Participant of the PMR.
2. Decides to allocate the PMR preparation phase funding for carrying out PMR activities in Tunisia in the amount of US\$350,000.

3. Invites PMR Participants to provide comments on the Organizing Framework presented at this meeting by March 21, 2014.

4. Invites the PMR Secretariat to summarize the comments on the Organizing Framework shared by the PMR Participants at this meeting, as well as the comments to be received in paragraph 3 (the “Summary”), and to circulate the Summary to all the PMR Participants.

5. Invites Tunisia to take into account the Summary in formulating its Market Readiness Proposal.