



**Fourteenth Meeting of the  
GEO Science and Technology Committee  
The Department of Science and Technology, St George Hotel, Pretoria**

**20th May 2010**

**Draft AGENDA**

**Thursday, 20 May 2010**

<b>Time</b>		<b>Supporting Document</b>
<b>8:30-9:00</b>	<b>Arrival and Registration</b> (Chair: TBD)	
<b>9:00-9:30</b>	<b>1. Introduction</b> Welcome by the host (SA) Welcoming remarks (Co-Chairs and GEO Secretariat) Round table of introductions Adoption of the 14 <sup>th</sup> STC Agenda Approval of 13 <sup>th</sup> STC Outcomes and Meeting Record	- <i>Agenda</i> - <i>Outcomes/Mtg Record</i>
<b>9:30-10:00</b>	<b>2. Short Keynote: Water Topic: Asian Water Cycle Initiative</b> ( <i>T. Koike</i> )	
<b>10:00-10:30</b>	<b>3. Status of 13<sup>th</sup> STC Actions</b> ( <i>GEO Secretariat</i> )	- <i>Action Item List</i>
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>11:00-11:30</b>	<b>4. ST-09-01 Survey process and Progress</b> ( <i>K. Fontaine</i> )	- <i>current Task Sheet</i>
<b>11:30-12:00</b>	<b>5. ST-09-02 Survey process and Progress</b> ( <i>H-P Plag</i> )	- <i>current Task Sheet</i>
<b>12:00-12:30</b>	<b>6. Assessment Report on Earth Observations (AREO)</b> ( <i>J. Hoffmann</i> )	- <i>GEO-AREO</i>
<b>12:30-13:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>13:30-15:30</b>	<b>7. SBA Theme Review: Water</b> - detailed agenda to be included prior to meeting	
<b>15:30-16:00</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>16:00-17:30</b>	<b>7. SBA Theme Review: Water</b> ( <i>continued</i> )	
<b>17:30-18:00</b>	<b>8. Short Keynote: South Africa and Water</b> ( <i>Stewart Bernard, CSIR</i> )	
<b>18:00-18:15</b>	<b>9. Any Other Business</b> - Preparation for joint Committee session - Date and Place of Next Meeting(s)	
<b>18:15-18:30</b>	<b>10. Meeting Conclusion</b> - Summary of Meeting Outcomes - Concluding Statements	