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## Consultative Workshop on “Disability inclusion within the Productive Safety Net Programme (V) in Ethiopia”

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## Organizers

- Ministry of Women and Social Affairs (MoWSA) in Collaboration with the European Commission Directorate General for International Partnerships funded ILO/UNICEF joint Project on “Improving Synergies between Social Protection and Public Finance Management”.

## Objectives

- To initiate discussions and explore possibilities for a programme review of the Productive Safety Net Programme (PSNP) V to consider disability inclusion through provision of disability grants.
- To influence effective inclusion of persons with disabilities in the PSNP V (Rural) and the Urban programmes through disability awareness raising to scheme designers and implementers.

## Agenda

The workshop will focus on the following thematic areas:

- Disability inclusion in social protection in light of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD)
- ILO social security standards
- Mainstreaming disability in Urban and Rural PSNP V in Ethiopia
- Mechanisms to ensure disability inclusion within PSNP V including establishment of a Working Group.

## Expected Outcomes

- Initiate discussions and explore possibilities for a programme review of the PSNP V that would consider and make explicit, disability inclusion through provision of disability grants
- Raise disability awareness of PSNP Programme designers and implementers
- Develop a roadmap on next steps in line with disability inclusion in the PSNP V
- Formulate recommendations from the consultative workshop
- Form a social protection working group comprising of MoWSA (Social Protection and Disability Directorates), Ministry of Agriculture (MoA), Urban Job Creation and Food Security Agency (UJCFSA) and Federation of Ethiopian Associations of Persons with Disabilities (FEAPD) that works to ensure disability inclusion and adequate social protection cash transfers in PSNP Programmes

## Participating organizations

- There will be up to 25 participants in the consultative workshop. Participants will be officials, programme designers and implementers involved in PSNP V and UPSNP Programmes
- The institutions from which participants are expected to participate are mainly the following:
  - Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (MoLSA: Social Protection and Disability Directorates)
  - Ministry of Agriculture (MoA)
  - Urban Job Creation and Food Security Agency (UJCFSA)
  - Job Creation Commission (JCC)
  - Federation of Ethiopian Association of Person with Disabilities (FEAPD) and its social protection Working Group
  - Ethiopian Women with Disabilities Association (EWDNA)