Opening

Welcome by the event moderator: Mr. Willem Adema, Senior Economist in the OECD Social Policy Division, Directorate of Labour, Employment and Social Affairs

Opening remarks: Mr. Rakesh Patry, Director General for International Affairs, Employment and Social Development Canada, and Chair of the EPIC Steering Committee (recorded message)

Pay transparency: Perspectives and policies in the Asia/Pacific region

Panel discussion

Gender policy development in Japan:
Mr. Katsumi Ishizu, Director, Equal Employment Opportunity Division, Employment Environment and Equal Employment Bureau, Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare

Policy developments and practice in New Zealand:
Ms. Kellie Coombes, Secretary for Women and Chief Executive, Manatū Wāhine - Ministry for Women

Policy developments and practice in Australia:
Ms. Chantelle Stratford, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, Australian Government

Policy developments and practice in Korea:
Mr. Woojeong Kang, Deputy Director, Women’s Policy Employment Division, Ministry of Employment and Labor

Corporate practice in Japan:
Ms. Tomoko Hasegawa, Managing Director, Keidanren – Japan Business Federation

Open discussion with Q&A

Corporate practices to support equal pay for work of equal value:

Workplace experiences from the Asia/Pacific region

Panel discussion

Gender-equality practice in Asian companies:
Ms. Joni Simpson, Senior Gender Specialist, ILO Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific

Perspectives from a Japanese trade union:
Ms. Kumie Inoue, Executive Director of the Gender Equity and Diversity Promotion Division, Japanese Trade Union Confederation – JTUC RENGO

Corporate practice in Korea:
Ms. Selim Choi, Employment Policy Research Division, Korea Labor Institute

Corporate practice in Australia:
Ms. Rae Cooper, Professor, University of Sydney Business School

Open discussion with Q&A

Closing remarks