

## Scotland Malawi Partnership Members' Meeting with DFID Malawi

28<sup>th</sup> July 2015

Edinburgh City Chambers, Mandela Room

### Aims of meeting:

1. To connect SMP members with DFID Malawi;
2. To increase mutual awareness of our respective work;
3. To feed into DFID Malawi's strategic plan development;
4. To support two-way shared learning based on experience in and with Malawi;
5. To support networking between SMP members'; and
6. To explore and agree clear steps we can take to strengthen links between SMP members and DFID Malawi for mutual benefit.

**08.40** Arrival, networking and teas/coffees

### **SESSION ONE: SETTING THE SCENE:** *Introductions and opening comments*

- 09.00** Welcoming remarks and roundtable introductions *Ken Ross*
- 09.10** SMP presentation: our network's plans, priorities and principles *Ken Ross and Charlie Bevan*
- 09.25** DFID Malawi presentation: DFID Malawi's recent activities and strategic planning *Jen Marshall*
- 09.45** Initial Q&A with Jen Marshall *Jen Marshall*

### **SESSION TWO: DFID STRATEGIC PRIORITIES:** *Discussions framed around strategic considerations for DFID*

- 09.55** Business, Investment, Trade and Tourism
- 10.05** Energy and environment
- 10.15** Governance
- 10.25** Humanitarian and resilience building
- 10.35** More efficient and effective delivery of services (health, education) for greater health, nutrition and learning outcomes
- 10.45** Disability
- 10.55** Girls and women/gender
- 11.05** Funding civil society
- 11.15 – 11.30** **COFFEE BREAK – active networking and time to feed in discussion points for session three**

### **SESSION THREE: OPEN DISCUSSION** *Final time for discussion around topics not yet covered*

- 11.30** Discussion around topics proposed during break *Chaired by Ken Ross*
- 12.10** Bringing the gap: discussion and agreement on actions and next steps *Chaired by Ken Ross*
- 12.25** DFID Malawi closing remarks *Jen Marshall*

**12.30 - 13.30** **LUNCH and active networking**