

**PROGRAMME OF THE 22ND IORA COUNCIL OF MINISTERS (COM)
AND RELATED MEETINGS**

Dhaka, Bangladesh

22-24 November 2022



**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
BANGLADESH**

Draft Programme: 24th Meeting of the Committee of Senior Officials

Venue: Ballroom, the InterContinental Hotel, Dhaka

<u>Sunday, 20 November 2022</u>	
Morning/ Afternoon	Arrival of Delegates



Day 2: Wednesday, 23 November 2022

BST 0900–0930 hrs	Light refreshment
BST 0930–1030 hrs	[Continued] 24 th Meeting of the CSO (only Member States)
BST 1030–1045 hrs	Light refreshment
BST 1045–1330 hrs	[Continued] 24 th Meeting of the CSO (only Member States)
BST 1330–1430 hrs	Lunch Break
BST 1430–1615 hrs	[Continued] 24 th Meeting of the CSO (only Member States)
BST 1615–1630 hrs	Light Refreshment
BST 1630–1800 hrs	Interactive Dialogue between Senior Officials of the Member States and Dialogue Partners (Open to Dialogue Partners)
BST 1800–1830hrs	Closing Session - 24 th Meeting of the CSO (only Member States)

Conclusion of the 24th Meeting of the Committee of Senior Officials

Welcome Dinner

To be hosted by H.E. Dr. A. K. Abdul Momen, MP, Hon'ble Foreign Minister, Bangladesh

Venue: Ballroom, the InterContinental Hotel

Time: 2000 hrs



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Meeting Venue: Ballroom, the InterContinental Hotel, Dhaka

Thursday, 24 November 2022

Session I & II [Member States and Dialogue Partners]

BST 0900–0930 hrs	Light refreshment
BST 0930–1030 hrs	Opening Session (Opening Remarks – Media present) & Group Photograph
BST 1030–1330 hrs	General Debate & Discussion on Topic “Saving environment of the Indian Ocean to be included in the Country Statements” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Country Statements by Member States (2 minutes, timed)• Country Statements by Dialogue Partners (2 minutes, timed)
BST 1330–1430 hrs	Lunch Break
BST 1430–1530 hrs	Strategic Dialogue: “IORA Development Initiative (IDI)”



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Friday, 25 November 2022

BST 1000 hrs	Council of Ministers Call on the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh
Morning / Afternoon	Departure of Delegates and Bilateral Meetings

N.B : Bilateral meeting/ Courtesy call on will be arranged as per the requests of the delegates at the designated venue.

