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Electronic Single Window & Regional Integration



Presentation Outline

1. Objectives of Implementing Single Window
2. The African Union Experience
3. Opportunities available
4. Challenges
5. Conclusion



Objectives/Benefits of SW System

- System enables intl traders / x border to submit regulatory docs at a single entity
- Increase efficiency through time & cost savings
- Individual data elements usually submitted once
- Cross border trade-related data timely available

African Union Experience



- Consultative meetings on the subject held
- Endorsed by the AUSCDGCs
- Studies on Interconnectivity
- Adopted a Policy Statement on Interconnectivity



Opportunities Available

- Quick wins through Interconnectivity
- Some Customs systems already interconnected-Raddex
- Corridor approach-smart corridors
- Transit & electronic cargo tracking



Conclusion

- Need for Political Support
- Inadequate resources
- Collaboration with dvpt partners



Thank You

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