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Third African Food Regulatory Authorities Forum (AFRAF)

Advancing Africa's Integrated Food Regulatory Future

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About AFRAF

The African Food Regulatory Authorities Forum (AFRAF) is Africa's regulator-driven platform dedicated to strengthening cooperation among national food competent authorities, Regional Economic Communities (RECs), the African Union Commission (AUC), Codex structures, academia, development partners and the food sector.

Established in Cairo in 2023, AFRAF supports the implementation of the African Union Food Safety Strategy (2022–2036) and contributes to the development of an integrated African food regulatory environment that protects public health, facilitates safe trade, enables innovation and strengthens food security across the continent.

The Third AFRAF Annual Meeting will convene senior decision-makers from African food competent authorities together with representatives of Regional Economic Communities, the African Union Commission, international organizations, scientific institutions, academia, development partners and selected stakeholders from the food and agri-food sector to advance practical cooperation and food regulatory integration across Africa.

Why Become an AFRAF Sponsor?

Supporting AFRAF provides a unique opportunity to contribute directly to the modernization of African food regulatory systems while engaging with the continent's senior food regulatory leaders.

Your sponsorship will contribute to:

- Strengthening science-based and risk-informed food regulatory systems across Africa.
- Supporting implementation of the African Union Food Safety Strategy.
- Advancing regulatory cooperation and harmonization under the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA).
- Supporting food innovation and sustainable agri-food sector development.
- Building scientific and regulatory capacity through the AFRAF Academy.
- Promoting constructive dialogue between regulators, industry, academia and development partners.

Profile of Sponsors

AFRAF welcomes sponsorship from both corporate organizations and non-profit institutions that share a commitment to advancing food safety, food regulatory science, innovation, sustainable agri-food systems and regulatory cooperation across Africa. Sponsorship of AFRAF provides an opportunity to support the modernization of African food regulatory systems while engaging with senior food regulatory leaders from across the continent and contributing to a stronger, science-based and innovation-enabling regulatory environment.

Potential sponsors include:

1. Food and agri-food companies, including manufacturers, processors, exporters, retailers, food ingredient suppliers and biotechnology companies.
2. Food testing, laboratory equipment and analytical technology providers, including suppliers of analytical instruments, laboratory information systems, reference materials and quality assurance solutions.
3. Digital technology, artificial intelligence and regulatory data solution providers, supporting digital inspection, traceability, e-certification, food safety intelligence and regulatory information systems.
4. Certification, conformity assessment and quality infrastructure organizations, including certification bodies, accreditation organizations, standards organizations and providers of quality infrastructure services.
5. Industry associations and professional organizations representing the food, agriculture, biotechnology, laboratory and food technology sectors.
6. Foundations, international non-profit organizations and development organizations supporting food safety, public health, sustainable agriculture, trade facilitation and regulatory capacity development.
7. Scientific societies, universities, research institutions and centres of excellence active in food science, food regulatory science, risk analysis, laboratory sciences, innovation and capacity building.

AFRAF is committed to maintaining the highest standards of transparency, integrity and scientific independence. Sponsorship supports the organization of the Forum, the implementation of its technical activities and the development of the AFRAF Academy, while having no influence over the scientific, technical or regulatory deliberations of the Forum. All sponsorship contributions will be transparently acknowledged and publicly recognized in accordance with AFRAF governance principles.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Silver Sponsor

Egyptian Sponsors	EGP 100,000
International / Global Sponsors	USD 3,000

Benefits

- Recognition as an AFRAF Silver Sponsor.
- Sponsor logo displayed on the AFRAF website.
- Sponsor logo included in all printed meeting materials.
- Recognition during the meeting.
- Sponsor logo displayed in at least two prominent locations throughout the meeting venue.

Gold Sponsor

Egyptian Sponsors	EGP 200,000
International / Global Sponsors	USD 6,000

Benefits

Includes all Silver Sponsor benefits, plus:

- Sponsor logo displayed throughout plenary presentations and official audiovisual presentations.
- Enhanced visibility throughout the Forum.

Platinum Sponsor

Egyptian Sponsors	From EGP 350,000
International / Global Sponsors	USD 10,000

Benefits

Includes all Gold Sponsor benefits, plus:

- Opportunity to display promotional material during designated intervals of the meeting.
- Participation in a **Public-Private Partnership Roundtable** with selected African food regulatory authorities.
- Opportunity for a short speaking intervention during the Forum to introduce the organization's activities and discuss key regulatory challenges and opportunities.
- Premium recognition throughout the meeting.

Diamond Sponsor

Egyptian Sponsors	From EGP 500,000
International / Global Sponsors	USD 15,000

Benefits

Includes all Platinum Sponsor benefits, plus:

- Half-page acknowledgement in the official AFRAF programme.
- Premium logo placement throughout the venue and during official presentations.
- Highly prominent sponsor displays throughout the meeting.
- Priority updates on AFRAF activities following the meeting.
- Continued engagement in AFRAF public-private partnership initiatives and stakeholder dialogue activities.

Strategic Partner

Contribution level	USD 20,000 and above
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Organizations making major strategic contributions may be recognized as AFRAF Strategic Partners.

Recognition and engagement opportunities will be tailored according to the level and nature of the contribution and may include enhanced visibility, long-term collaboration opportunities, strategic participation in AFRAF initiatives and recognition as a leading partner supporting food regulatory integration across Africa.

Continuing Engagement Beyond the Annual Meeting

AFRAF sponsorship extends well beyond the three-day Forum. Sponsors become part of an ongoing platform supporting the evolution of African food regulatory systems through:

- Continued engagement with African food regulatory authorities.
- Regular updates on developments in Africa's food regulatory environment.
- Participation in stakeholder engagement activities organized by AFRAF.
- Opportunities to contribute to public-private dialogue on food safety, food regulation, innovation and trade facilitation.
- Participation, where appropriate, in AFRAF Working Group activities.
- Engagement with the AFRAF Academy and its capacity-building initiatives.
- Opportunities to contribute expertise to future AFRAF technical meetings, webinars and regional initiatives.

Transparency and Independence

AFRAF is committed to the highest standards of transparency, integrity and scientific independence. Sponsorship supports the organization of the Forum and its technical activities while preserving the independence of AFRAF's scientific, technical and policy discussions. All sponsorship contributions will be transparently acknowledged and publicly recognized in accordance with AFRAF governance principles.

Highlights of Previous AFRAF Events

Previous AFRAF meetings have brought together Africa's senior food regulatory leaders, Regional Economic Communities, the African Union Commission, Codex representatives, international organizations, academia and industry to advance food regulatory cooperation across the continent.

Highlights from previous AFRAF meetings, technical workshops and webinars are available at:

- 1- [Highlights of Inaugural AFRAF Meeting October 2023](#)
- 2- [Highlights of the Second AFRAF Meeting – December 2025](#)
- 3- [Highlights of the AFRAF Working Group Meeting on Food Innovation Regulatory Transformation](#)
- 4- [Launch of the AFRAF Academy](#)

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