



**6<sup>th</sup> Retreat of the Association of Senates, Shoora and Equivalent Councils  
in Africa and the Arab World (ASSECAA), 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> September 2014, in  
Amman, Kingdom of Jordan**

**Final Communiqué**

At the kind invitation of the Speaker of Al Ayan Council of the Kingdom of Jordan, H.E Dr. Abdulraouf Al Rawabidah, the Association of senates, Shoora and Equivalent Councils in Africa and the Arab World (ASSECAA) held its sixth Retreat in Amman, the capital city of the Kingdom of Jordan from the 24<sup>th</sup> to the 25<sup>th</sup> of September, 2014. The Retreat had as its theme “**The Role of Parliaments in Combating corruption, Conflicts and promoting Regional Integration**” attracted participants from many member councils/senates, high government officials of the Kingdom of Jordan, members of the diplomatic community resident in Jordan and other regional organizations. The media, both print and broadcast and the academia were not left out.

**Attendance**

The under-listed member shoora, senates and equivalent councils in Africa and the Arab world attended the meeting.

1. Kingdom of Bahrain
2. Republic of Yemen
3. Republic of Algeria
4. Republic of Zimbabwe
5. Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
6. Republic of Burundi
7. Kingdom of Morocco
8. Republic of Cameroon
9. State of Qatar
10. Republic of Sudan
11. Republic of Namibia

