

MIDTERM COMPREHENSIVE GLOBAL REVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR THE LDCs FOR THE DECADE 2001-2010  
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## ROADMAP AND RELATED ACTIONS

TIME FRAME	MILESTONES	ACTIONS / FOLLOW-UP	DOCUMENTATION
DEC. 04	59 <sup>th</sup> GA Resolution on UNLDC III decided to hold MTR during 61 <sup>st</sup> GA session in 2006	Modalities to be decided by 60 <sup>th</sup> GA	GA Resolution on UNLDC III <a href="#">A/RES/59/244</a> OP 5, 6
<b>JULY 05</b>			
	2005 ECOSOC HLS	Inputs to SG Report on HLS theme	SG Report on HLS theme ( <a href="#">E/2005/56</a> )
15 JULY	1 <sup>st</sup> Inter-Agency consultations on MTR	Logistical and substantive organization Circulation of summary of the consultations to all UN and other agencies Continuing consultations with multilateral partners for individual roles and inputs	Background Paper on MTR <a href="#">Summary</a>
18 JULY	Workshop for the LDC National Focal Points focusing on the MTR	Logistical and substantive organization 22 NFPs participated	
19 JULY	2005 ECOSOC General Segment: annual review of BPoA	Third SG Progress Report and Matrix of Achievement Joint UN-OHRLLS/UNDP Letters to UNRCs on national reviews Letters to Ex. Sec. of Reg. Commissions on regional reviews	Third SG Progress Report on BPoA ( <a href="#">E/2005/68, A/60/81</a> ) Matrix (CRP.7 Part <a href="#">I</a> , <a href="#">II</a> , <a href="#">III</a> ) ECOSOC Resolution
<b>SEPT. 05</b>			
14-16 SEPT.	60 <sup>th</sup> GA High level plenary meeting Plenary + 4 Interactive roundtables	Advocacy to get MTR/BPoA issues incorporated in statements by HoS/G	HLPM outcome document refers to the LDCs and Brussels Programme of Action A Chart with all references made by speakers to the LDCs-related issues has been prepared.
17-28 SEPT.	60 <sup>th</sup> GA General Debate	Same as above	

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28 SEPT.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations	Interactions of LDC Chair and Bureau with UN and other agencies. Inter-agency consultations Continuing consultations with multilateral partners for individual roles and inputs	Updated background Paper on MTR Circulation of summary of the consultations to all UN and other agencies
<b>OCT-NOV. 05</b>			
OCT.- DEC. 05 9 Nov.	60 <sup>th</sup> GA Second Committee Consideration of agenda Item 55 on countries in special situations (LDCs and LLDCs) by GA Second Committee	Negotiations on Resolution on MTR modalities Mandate on SG Report on comprehensive review covering period 2001-2005	SG's Third Progress Report on BPOA ( <a href="#">E/2005/68</a> , <a href="#">A/60/81</a> ) SG's Progress Report on APoA ( <a href="#">A/60/287</a> ) GA Resolution on UNLDC III focusing on MTR modalities
1 <sup>ST</sup> WEEK OF OCT.  28 Oct.05	Consultations with UNDG and UN Res. Coordinators  CEB received SG's note on MTR preparations.	Follow up on support for national reviews  Continuing contacts with National Focal Points and UNRCs to finalize dates for national reviews	
<b>DEC. 05</b>			
	Consultations with LDC Group and Development Partners on MTR	Firm up activities leading to MTR after adoption of GA resolution	
<b>JAN. 06</b>			
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations on special preparatory events organized in collaboration with UN System as contributions to MTR  National reviews – broad-based, inclusive dialogue in each LDC to prepare national inputs to be completed by 15 January 2006	Monitoring and coordination by UN-OHRLLS Preparation of synthesis reports for Africa and Asia / Pacific	50 national reports

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<b>FEB.-APR. 06</b>			
FEB.06	LDC Watch to organize a Conference of LDC Civil Society Organizations in Africa (proposed)	Follow-up for coordination	
21-23 FEB.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNECA and UN-OHRLLS in ADDIS ABABA</b>	34 LDCs + Haiti (invited participant)	34 national reports for Africa + Haiti ECA Regional report Synthesis of African national reports Third Annual report of the SG on the BPoA UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet (EN and FR) Draft Outcome Document
14-15 MAR.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNESCAP and UN-OHRLLS in BANGKOK</b>	14 LDCs + Yemen (invited participant)	14 national reports for Asia + Yemen ESCAP Regional report Synthesis of Asian/Pacific national reports Third Annual report of the SG on the BPoA UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet (EN) Draft Outcome Document
20-24 MAR.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNECLAC and UN-OHRLLS for Haiti in MONTEVIDEO</b>	Haiti: Commission session to discuss <i>Haiti will also participate at the UNECA regional review</i>	1 national report
9 APR.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNESCWA and UN-OHRLLS for Yemen in BEIRUT</b>	Yemen: Commission session to discuss <i>Yemen will also participate at the UNESCAP regional review</i>	1 national report
<b>MAR. 06</b>			
	Special preparatory events organized in collaboration with UN System as contributions to MTR	Suggested: Forum on Aid Effectiveness (OHRLLS-OECD-UNDP) FDI (World Bank) Trade (UNCTAD) Governance (UNDP) Sustainable Development (UNEP)	Background Papers

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	4 <sup>th</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations focusing on the Cotonou Ministerial Meeting	Gender Development ((UNIFEM/UNFPA/DAW) Employment (ILO)	
<b>APR. 06</b>			
	<p><b>Consultations with Development Partners (EU, Japan, USA, Norway, Australia, New Zealand)</b></p> <p>Inputs from Development Partners</p> <p>Inputs from multilateral partners that have mainstreamed the BPoA</p> <p>Submission of SG's Fourth Annual Progress Report on the implementation of BPoA for ECOSOC 2006</p>		
7-8 APR.06	CEB to discuss UN agencies' involvement in the MTR preparations in MADRID		
<b>MAY 06</b>			
	<p><b>Preparations for (Proposed) LDC Ministerial Meeting in Cotonou</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roundtable discussions on the Integrated Framework (UNCTAD) (proposed to take place during the expert meeting)</li> </ul> <p>5<sup>th</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations</p>		

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	<p>One-day informal interactive hearings of NGOs, civil society and the private sector in New York chaired by the UNGA President (A/RES/60/228)</p>		<p>Synthesis reports of the national reports of respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs Regional Commissions reports for respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs Outcome documents of both Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings UNGA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPOA booklet National reports by LDCs</p>
<b>JUNE 06</b>			
13-14 JUNE 06	Preparatory Experts Meeting in Cotonou, Benin (proposed)		<p>Synthesis reports of national reports of respectively African and Asia/Pacific LDCs</p>
15-16 JUNE 06	LDC Ministerial Meeting in Cotonou, Benin (Proposed)		<p>Report of the Regional Commissions respectively for African and Asian/Pacific LDCs Outcome documents of respectively the Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet Ministerial Declaration/Communiqué on LDCs' platform for MTR</p>
<b>JULY 06</b>			
GENEVA	<p>2006 ECOSOC General Segment: fourth annual review of BPoA</p> <p>Civil society and Private Sector events on MTR</p>	<p>Coordination by UN-OHRLLS</p>	<p>SG's Fourth Progress Report on BPoA HR to introduce Report ECOSOC Resolution</p>
<b>SEPT.-DEC. 06</b>			
	<p>Release of UNCTAD LDC Report 2006</p> <p>61<sup>st</sup> GA General Debate</p>	<p>Advocacy to get MTR/BPoA issues incorporated in statements by HoS/G</p>	<p>UNCTAD LDC Report 2006</p>

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4-6 SEPT. 06	Experts meeting on the MTR (A/RES/60/228)		<p>SG's comprehensive report on MTR                      Synthesis reports of the national reports of respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs                      Regional Commissions reports for respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs                      Outcome document of the LDC Ministerial Meeting                      Outcome documents of both Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings                      UNGA resolution A/RES/60/228                      BPOA booklet</p>
19-20 SEPT. 06	<p>High-Level Meeting of the UNGA Plenary on the midterm comprehensive global review of the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010. (A/RES/60/228)</p> <p>61<sup>st</sup> GA Second Committee</p>		<p>SG's comprehensive report on MTR                      Outcome document of the LDC Ministerial Meeting (LDCs platform)                      Outcome draft document of the Experts Group Meeting                      Synthesis reports of the national reports of respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs                      Regional Commissions reports for respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs                      Outcome documents of both Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings                      UNGA resolution A/RES/60/228                      BPOA booklet                      National reports by LDCs                      Sectoral reports by UN System Orgs:                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Synthesis of sectoral and thematic reviews of progress (UNCTAD) (proposed)</li> </ul>                     MTR outcome document</p>