

# INTERNATIONAL MEETING TO REVIEW THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR SIDS

Port Louis, Mauritius, 10-14 January 2005

## PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE OF SIDE EVENTS & PARTNERSHIPS ACTIVITIES

(In Swami Vivekananda International Conference Centre) \*

### I. SIDE EVENTS

Date	Time	Title	Requesting Organization
Monday 10/01/2005	1:15-2:45 PM	Sustainable Development Strategies in SIDS	The International Institute for Environment and Development The Caribbean Natural Resources Institute
10/01/2005	1:15-2:45 PM	Impact of Tourism for the Economies of Small Island Developing States	World Tourism Organization
10/01/2005	6:15-7:45 PM	RANET Environmental Information to the Last Mile	National Weather Service RANET NWS-NOAA, USA
10/01/2005	6:15-7:45 PM	Agriculture and Sustainable Development in SIDS: agricultural trade and economic vulnerability international treaty on Plan Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture	FAO
Tuesday 11/01/2005	1:15-2:45 PM	Contribution of the Mauritius International Meeting to the Development of the CBD Programme of Work on Island Biodiversity	Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity
11/01/2005	1:15-2:45 PM	Trade Liberalisation Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development: Opportunities and Challenges for SIDS	UNCTAD
11/01/2005	1:15-2:45 PM	Governance for Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	Government of Italy DPADM/DESA

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<b>11/01/2005</b>	<b>6:15-7:45 PM</b>	<b>Removing Obstacles to Growth- Doing Business in 2005</b>	<b>World Bank</b>
<b>11/01/2005</b>	<b>6:15-7:45 PM</b>	<b>Lessons Learned in Implementing Multilateral Environmental Agreements in SIDS</b>	<b>Government of Saint Lucia</b>
<b>Wednesday 12/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>Work with SIDS on Integrated Approaches to Marine, Freshwater and Land Management</b>	<b>OHRLLS</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>Resilience Building elements for a programme of action 2005-2015 Combined with Vulnerability Reduction Coastal Human Settlements</b>	<b>International Strategy for Disaster Reduction Secretariat and UN HABITAT</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>UNEP's Global and Regional Cooperation with SIDS and Future Perspectives</b>	<b>UNEP</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>6:15-7:45 PM</b>	<b>Energy For Sustainable Development</b>	<b>German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>6:15-7:45 PM</b>	<b>Delineation of the Continental Shelf</b>	<b>GRID - ARENDAL</b>
<b>Thursday 13/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>SIDS in the Climate Change Process combined with Reducing Vulnerability to natural disasters &amp; climate change sea level rise</b>	<b>United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and World Meteorological Organization</b>
<b>13/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>Support for the Formulation of National Sustainable Development Strategies in the Pacific</b>	<b>Divivsion for Sustainable Development/DESA</b>
<b>13/01/2005</b>	<b>6:15-7:45 PM</b>	<b>Launch of a Network for Coastal Marine Livelihoods in the Western Indian Ocean</b>	<b>WWF and West Indian Ocean Programme Office</b>
<b>Friday 14/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>The GEF Small Grants Programme and SIDS</b>	<b>Global Environment Facility</b>
<b>14/01/2005</b>	<b>1:15-2:45 PM</b>	<b>Vulnerability, Adaptation and Insurance for the Small Island Developing States: A Strategy for Action</b>	<b>UNDP</b>

## II. PARTNERSHIPS ACTIVITIES

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Requesting Organization</b>
<b>Monday 10/01/2005</b>	<b>3PM- 6PM</b>	<b>Pacific Partnerships for Sustainable Development</b>	<b>Secretariat of Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)</b>
10/01/2005	3PM - 6PM	Adaptation to Climate Change in the Pacific	Secretariat of Pacific Regional Environment Programme
10/01/2005	3PM - 6PM	Mainstreaming Conservation & Traditional Knowledge – Pacific Type II Initiatives	Secretariat of Pacific Regional Environment Programme
10/01/2005	3PM - 6PM	Pacific Type II Umbrella Partnership Initiatives- Best Practice Examples	Secretariat of Pacific Regional Environment Programme
<b>Tuesday 11/01/2005</b>	<b>10AM - 1PM</b>	<b>Caribbean Partnerships for Sustainable Development</b>	<b>Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Secretariat</b>
11/01/2005	10AM- 1PM	CARIFORUM/ FAO Food Security Partnership in the Caribbean	Caribbean Community Secretariat
11/01/2005	10AM- 1PM	Ocean Governance (Partnerships in the Caribbean, Pacific and Indian Oceans)	Caribbean Community Secretariat
11/01/2005	10AM- 1PM	GEF Partnerships in the Caribbean	Caribbean Community Secretariat
<b>11/01/2005</b>	<b>3:00 PM - 4:25 PM</b>	<b>Mobilizing for Further Implementation of Ocean and Coastal Management in SIDS</b>	<b>International Ocean and Coastal Organization</b> <b>Partners: UNEP, Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission , Global Forum on Oceans, Coasts, and Islands, GEF</b>
<b>11/01/2005</b>	<b>4:35 PM - 6:00 PM</b>	<b>White Water to Blue Water</b>	<b>WW2BW</b>
<b>Wednesday 12/01/2005</b>	<b>10:00 AM -11:25 AM</b>	<b>Launch of the Global Environmental Vulnerability Index (EVI)</b>	<b>South Pacific Applied Geosciences Commission (SOPAC)</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>11:35 AM-1:00 PM</b>	<b>Invasive Species</b>	<b>The Nature Conservancy</b>
<b>12/01/2005</b>	<b>3:00 - 4:25 PM</b>	<b>Reefs, Island Communities and Protected Areas</b>	<b>International Coral Reef Initiative</b>

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12/01/2005	4:35- 6:00 PM	Clean Energy Islands – SIDS as Examples of Sustainable Development (Global Sustainable Energy Islands Initiative – GSEII)	Climate Institute Partners: Government of St. Lucia, Government of Grenada, Government of Dominica, OAS, and UNIDO

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