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No. 2

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 18 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

10 a.m.-1 p.m.

1st PLENARY MEETING

Conference Room 1

- 1. Opening of the Conference
- 2. Election of the President of the Conference and Co-Presidency of the high-level officials and ministerial segments
- 3. Adoption of the rules of procedure (A/CONF.198/2)
- 4. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (A/CONF.198/1/Rev.1, A/CONF.198/5)
- 5. Election of officers other than the President (A/CONF.198/4/Rev.1)
- 6. Organization of work, including the establishment of the [Main Committee], the high-level officials segment, the ministerial segment and the Summit segment (A/CONF.198/4/Rev.1)
- 7. Credentials of representatives to the Conference:
 - (a) Appointment of members of the Credentials Committee

High-level officials segment

- 8. High-level officials segment (A/CONF.198/5):
 - (c) Reports on activities by relevant stakeholders:

Reports from Co-Chairs of the Preparatory Committee (H.E. Mr. Shamshad Ahmad (Pakistan) and H.E. Ms. Ruth Jacoby (Sweden))

Reports on other relevant process: from the Chairs of the Preparatory Committee on the World Summit for Sustainable Development (Mr. Emil Salim (Indonesia)) and the Co-chairs of the Ministerial Seminar of the Global Environmental Facility (H.E. Mr. Valli Moosa (South Africa) and H.E. Ms. Claire Short (United Kingdom))

(a) General exchange of views:

Statements by the Executive Secretaries of the regional commissions:

Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) (Ms. Brigita Schmögnerova)

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) (Mr. Kim Hak-Su)

Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) (Mr. José Antonio Ocampo)

Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) (Mr. K.Y. Amoako)

Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA) (Ms. Mervat Tallawy)

Statements by development banks:

Islamic Development Bank (Mr. Ahmad Mohamed Ali, President)

Council of Europe's Development Bank (Mr. Apolonio Ruiz Ligero, Vice-Governor)

Ministerial segment

3 p.m.-

6 p.m.

2nd PLENARY MEETING

Conference Room 1

- 9. Ministerial segment [9]:
 - (a) General exchange of views:

Statements on behalf of intergovernmental economic, financial, monetary and trade bodies and regional development banks:

Chairman of the Development Committee (Mr. Trevor Manuel, Minister of Finance, (South Africa))

President of Economic and Social Council (H.E. Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia))

Chairman of the G-10 (H.E. Mr. Didier Reynders)

Chairman of the G-20 (Mr. Arun Shourie, Vice-Minister (India))

Chairman of the G-24 (H.E. Mr. Joseph Sanusi, Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria)

Chairman of the Financial Stability Forum (Mr. Andrew Crockett, General Manager of the Bank for International Settlements)

Asian Development Bank (Mr. Myoung-Ho Shin, Vice-President)

United Nations bodies and intergovernmental organizations:

United Nations Development Programme (Mr. Mark Malloch Brown, Administrator)

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) (Mr. Rubens Ricupero, Secretary-General)

International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) (Mr. Lennart Bage, President)

United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) (Ms. Carol Bellamy, Executive Director)

World Meteorological Organization (WMO) (Mr. Godwin O.P. Obasi, Secretary-General)

United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) (Mr. Klaus Töepfer, Executive Director)

United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) (Mr. Carlos Magariños, Director-General)

United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) (Ms. Thoraya A. Obaid, Executive Director)

Commonwealth Secretariat (Mr. Don McKinnon, Secretary-General)

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) (Mr. Seiichi Kondo, Deputy Secretary-General)

Organization of African Unity (H.E. Mr. Vijay S. Makhan, Assistant Secretary-General)

Caribbean Community Secretariat (CARICOM) (Mr. Byron Blake, Assistant Secretary-General)

Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (Mr. Encho Gospodinov, Head of Delegation)

United Nations Human Settlements Programme (Habitat) (Mrs. Anna Tibaijuka, Executive Director)

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)

World Food Programme (WFP) (Mr. Jean-Jacques Graisse, Deputy Executive Director)

United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM) (Ms. Noeleen Heyzer, Executive Director)

International Labour Organisation (ILO) (Mr. John Langmore, Head of Delegation)

(c) Report of business and civil society forums:

Reports from:

International business forum (H.E. Ms. Maria Livanos Cattaui, Secretary-General of the International Chamber of Commerce)

Civil society forum (H.E. Ms. Laura Frade, President of Alcadeco (Mexico))

Parliamentarians forum (H.E. Mr. Natividad Gonzalas Paras, Senator)

Local authorities forum

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 19 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE A1

Partnership in financing development

10 a.m.-1 p.m.

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Conference Room 2

Co-Chair: Ghana

Co-Co-Chairs: France/Germany

Member States:

African States: Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Cape-Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Ghana, Kenya, Lesotho, Sudan, United Republic of Tanzania

Asian States: Bangladesh, Bhutan, China, Nepal, Pakistan, Solomon Islands, Republic of Korea, Thailand, Sri Lanka

Eastern European States: Estonia, Lithuania

Latin American and Caribbean States: Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile

Western European and other States: Canada, France, Germany, Greece, Norway, Portugal, United States of America

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations, International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Bank; World Trade Organization (WTO); United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF); Economic and Social Commission for West Asia (ESCWA); Economic Commission for Africa (ECA); United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)

Business sector participants: Barra Mexicana Colegio de Abogados, Von Wobeser y Sierra, SC; Deutsche Bank Research; Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services; Suez; Soros Fund Management; Upstart Business Strategies; Violy, Byorum & Partners Holdings

Civil society participants: Asociación de Economistas de AL y C/Brasil; Center of Concern; Forum for African Alternatives (EcuTeam); International Gender & Trade Network; Iniciativa Cartagena; United Nations Association - Denmark; United Nations Association - Dominican Republic; Columbia University; Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE A2

Partnership in financing development

10 a.m.-

1 p.m.

Conference Room 3

Co-Chairs: Uruguay/Asian Development Bank

Member States:

African States: Burundi, Comoros, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Tunisia, Uganda, Zimbabwe

Asian States: Bahrain, Iraq, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Maldives, Myanmar, Nepal, Syrian Arab Republic

Eastern European States: Croatia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Uruguay

Western European and other States: Denmark, Israel, Italy, Malta, Monaco, New Zealand, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Institutional stakeholder participants: International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Bank; Asian Development Bank (ADB); Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP); Financial Stability Forum (FSF); Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations (FAO); Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD); United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

Business sector participants: Evian Group; Grameen Phone; Grupo Emyco; Potomac Associates; Samuels Associates; Moody's Investor Service; Uganda Small Business Enterprise

Civil society participants: Action Aid; Bisan Centre for Research and Development; International Confederation of Free Trade Unions (ICFTU); KULU Women in Development/WEDO; Melinda and Bill Gates Foundation; Quaker United Nations Office (QUNO); Ubinig

MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE A3

Partnership in financing development

3 p.m.-6 p.m.

Conference Room 2

Co-Chairs: Pakistan/United Nations Development Programme

Member States:

African States: Chad, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Niger, Rwanda, Seychelles, South Africa

Asian States: Bhutan, Indonesia, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia

Eastern European States: Armenia, Czech Republic, Moldova, Russian Federation, Yugoslavia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay

Western European and other States: Australia, Finland, Iceland, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Netherlands, Switzerland, United States of America

Institutional stakeholder participants: World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); Economic Commission for Europe (ECE); European Commission; UNAIDS; United Nations Development Programme (UNDP); Common Fund for Commodities

Business sector participants: AMBAC Financial Group Inc.; Union Bank of the Philippines; Cisneros Group of Companies; Daimler Chrysler; International Chamber of Commerce (ICC); Securities Industries Association (SIA); Standard & Poor's

Civil society participants: Carter Center; Center for Global Development; Iraqi Ammal Organization NGO Dev; Social Watch Asia/University of the Philippines; Swedish Labor Organization (ICFTU); United Methodist Church; World Confederation of Labour (WCL); Maryknoll Sisters of St. Dominic

MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE A4

Partnership in financing development

3 p.m.-

Conference Room 3

6 p.m.

Co-Chairs: Romania/Economic Commission for Africa

Member States:

African States: Cameroon, Central African Republic, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Nigeria, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Togo

Asian States: Brunei Darussalam, India, Philippines, Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Myanmar, Singapore, Tonga, Tuvalu,

Eastern European States: Georgia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Slovakia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Peru, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Venezuela

Western European and other States: Austria, Belgium, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Holy See

Institutional stakeholder participants: World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); Economic Commission for Africa (ECA); Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC); Global Environmental Facility (GEF); United Nations Human Settlements Programme (Habitat); United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

Business sector participants: African Business Round Table; Dogan Sirketler Grubu A.S.; Financial Services Volunteer Corps (FSVC); Frank Russell Company; Miranda Guimaraes Associados Advocados S/C; Spring Investment Corporation; Zurich Group

Civil society participants: Church of Norway (EcuTeam); Development Network of Indigenous; Volunteer Associations; Institute for International Economics; Japan Network on Debt and Poverty; National Association of Economists; World Council of Churches (EcuTeam)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Round tables

Member States that have not yet signed for the various round tables, to be held on Tuesday, 19 March, Wednesday, 20 March, and Thursday, 21 March 2002, are kindly requested to do so at the Office of the Secretary of the Conference (CAINTRA 3).

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Press conferences

Press conferences will be held *today*, 18 March 2002, in the Cintermex Press Conference Room, as follows:

- 9 a.m. Mr. Mark Malloch Brown, Administrator, United Nations Development Programme
- 11.15 a.m. Mr. Lennart Bage, President of the International Fund for Agricultural Development; Mr. Jacques Diouf, Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations; and Mr. Jean-Jacques Graisse, Deputy Executive Director of the World Food Programme
- 12 noon Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference
- 2 p.m. Delegation of the United States of America
- 4 p.m. Mr. José Antonio Ocampo, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin American and the Caribbean (ECLAC)
- 5 p.m. H.E. Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), President of the Economic and Social Council,
- 5 p.m. Government of Mexico
- 6.30 p.m. Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference

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Registration

The registration centre for all Conference participants, members of non-governmental organizations and media representatives is located in the tent at the entrance of the Cintermex. The centre will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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List of participants

Delegations that have not already submitted the names of their representatives participating at the International Conference on Financing for Development are kindly requested to do so as soon as possible to the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service, located at Bancomex on the second level of the Conference Center. Delegations that wish to make corrections to the provisional list of participants are requested to contact the same office.

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Bilateral meetings

During the summit segment of the International Conference on Financing for Development, on Thursday and Friday, 21 and 22 March 2002, 6 small lounges/booths will be available from 9.30 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. for bilateral meetings in Conference Rooms 5 and 6, located in the second floor of the Cintermex Conference Centre. A reservation system has been instituted for the provision of equitable and efficient use of these facilities. Delegations are requested to contact the office of Mr. Augusto Rabellino, located in the CAINTRA section of the first floor of the Conference Centre (tel.: (81) 8191-6794). The address of the Centre is the following:

International Conference on Financing for Development Avenida Fundidora #501 Col. Obrera, CP 64010 Monterrey, N.L. México

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Distribution of documents

Delegations are reminded that those document boxes or pigeon-holes are exclusively for the distribution of *official conference documentation*. Participants wishing to circulate documents for information purposes, for which tables are located outside the conference rooms, are requested to forward two copies of such document to Mr. Lixian Xiong, Documents Submission Officer (CAINTRA 8). Delegates wishing to distribute any papers in the conference room are requested to contact the secretary of the meeting concerned.

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Circulation of speeches

Delegations wishing to circulate their speeches to all participants are requested to provide 350 copies to the Conference Officer, at the counter outside Conference Room 1

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Distribution of statements to the medias

Delegations who wish to make their speeches available to the media in hard copy should provide a minimum of 300 copies to the documents counter in the Media Centre. * * *

Security

The Security and Safety Service of the Conference has requested that the participants take their belongings with them at the conclusion of each meeting. For security reasons, belongings such as briefcases should not be left unattended at any time.

All participants to the Conference are reminded that it is essential for them to wear their Conference passes at all times when they are at the Conference site. Passes should be worn on the outermost garment in order for security and safety personnel to see them clearly.

SUMMIT SEGMENT (21-22 March 2002)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 2) for the Summit segment will be available), *today*, 18 March 2002, after *12 noon*. Delegations may pick up a copy from Ms. Carmencita Dizon (CAINTRA 4). Delegations are requested to inform the Secretariat of the Conference of the name of their speaker if they have not done so at this time.

Announcement

A document, issued in English only, contains information on the International Business Forum, organized by the Business Interlocutors for the International Conference, and a list of side events (see DAILY LIST OF SIDE EVENTS No. 2).

No. 2

PROTOCOL AND SOCIAL EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, 20 MARCH, from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. - MINISTERIAL DINNER

The Minister of Foreign Affairs, Dr. Jorge Castañeda, the Minister of Finance, Dr. Francisco Gil Díaz and the Minister of Economy, Dr. Luis Ernesto Derbez, will host a dinner in honour of the Ministers participating in the Conference. Individual invitations will be forwarded to delegations. This dinner will be held at VITRO Headquarters.

For information, call Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre at 0155 5456-9939 or at 8369-6510/11.

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH, from 7.45 a.m. to 8.55 a.m. - WELCOMING RECEPTION

The President of Mexico, the First Lady and the Secretary General of the United Nations and Mrs. Annan will hold a welcoming reception in honor of the Heads of State and Government. Arrivals will begin at 7.45 a.m. Upon arrival to CINTERMEX, VVIP's and members of their parties will be escorted by Protocol officers to the second floor where they will be greeted by their hosts. Heads of State and Government and Vice-Presidents may be accompanied by their spouses, by one senior member of their delegation and by an interpreter if necessary. Refreshments will be served.

Individual motorcades and buses with VVIP's will be greeted by United Nations Protocol at the main entrance of the Cintermex. Security members and other service personnel will be guided, upon arrival, to a special holding area. Media coverage will be provided.

On Thursday, 21 March, from 7.30 a.m. to 9 a.m., the main entrance to the Cintermex Center will be reserved exclusively for Heads of State and Government arriving to the Welcoming Ceremony.

During that period of time, all other delegates will be admitted to the Cintermex Center through the Arcade entrance and the one next to it on the right. There will be signs indicating those entrances. Delegates will use stairs and elevators to reach the top floor and the Plenary hall. It is important to note that access to the top floor of the Cintermex and the Plenary hall on 21 and 22 March will be open only to the participants with six access cards to the Plenary hall and/or three access cards for the Round tables.

For additional information, call the United Nations Protocol Office at 8130-5881 and 8130-5882.

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH, from 1.30 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. - LUNCHEON

The Governor of the State of Nuevo León and Mrs. Canales Clariond will host a Luncheon in honour of Heads of State and Government and their spouses. Invitations will be forwarded to delegations. The Luncheon will be held at the Centro de las Artes, Parque Fundidora, (a location near the Cintermexr). They can be accompanied by up to 2 to 3 persons per delegation, who will be invited to a buffet-luncheon in an adjoining tent.

For information, call Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre at 0155 5456-9939 or at 8369-6510/11.

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH. – from 8.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. - DINNER

The President of Mexico and Mrs. Fox will host a dinner in honour of the Heads of State and Government, Heads of Delegations, Ministers and their spouses. Invitations will be forwarded to delegations. The dinner will be held at Parque "Sopladores" Fundidora, a location adjacent to the Cintermex.

The dress code for this event: Ladies Cocktail, Gentlemen Dark Suit, or national costume.

For information, call Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre at 0155 5456-9939 or at 8369-6510/11.

FRIDAY, 22 MARCH, from 11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. - RETREAT

The President of Mexico is holding a retreat reunion, in the Museum of Mexican History, for Heads of State and Government attending the Summit followed by a luncheon at the same venue. Participation in this event will be limited to Heads of State and Government and they can be accompanied by one senior member of their delegation.

For information call Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre at 0155 5456-9939 or at 8369-6510/11.

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