



# CSD TODAY

Tuesday, 13 May 2008



## OFFICIAL SESSION

TUESDAY, 13 MAY 2008

A.M.	10:00 – 1:00	Conf. Room 4 Plenary	<p><b>Review of CSD-13: <u>Decisions on Water and Sanitation</u> (continued)</b></p> <p>Interactive discussions led-off by a panel of UN agencies, funds, programmes, IGOs, and Major Groups, etc.</p> <p>Discussions should be as specific as possible and focus on (i) identifying obstacles and constraints; (ii) lessons learned and best practices; as well as (iii) next steps. Delegates are invited to address, inter alia, the following issues in an integrated and balanced manner, taking into account linkages with other thematic issues and with cross-cutting issues, including means of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Integrated water resource management: water efficiency plans</b></li> <li>- <b>Enhancing water productivity in different uses</b></li> <li>- <b>Strengthening water management and governance at all levels</b></li> <li>- <b>Enhancing international cooperation in water management</b></li> </ul> <p><u>Panellists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Margaret <b>Catley-Carlson</b>, Member, UNSGAB</li> <li>• Mr. Mike <b>Muller</b>, Consultant, South Africa</li> <li>• Mr David <b>Molden</b>, Deputy Director General, IWMI</li> <li>• Mr. Loïc <b>Fauchon</b>, World Water Council</li> </ul> <p><i>(Note: the above-listed issues are intended to facilitate discussions only and are not meant to be an exhaustive list)</i></p> <p>An oral summary will be provided by the Chair of the session.</p>
	3:00 – 4:30	Conf. Room 4 Plenary	<p><b>Review of CSD-13 <u>Decisions on Water and Sanitation</u> (continued)</b></p> <p>Interactive discussions led-off by a panel of UN agencies, funds, programmes, IGOs, and Major Groups, etc.</p> <p>Discussions should be as specific as possible and focus on (i) identifying obstacles and constraints; (ii) lessons learned and best practices; as well as (iii) next steps. Delegates are invited to address, inter alia, the following issues in an integrated and balanced manner, taking into account linkages with other thematic issues and with cross-cutting issues, including means of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Financing water and sanitation services</b></li> <li>- <b>Integrating water and sanitation agenda into broader development framework to meet the internationally agreed development goals, including the MDGs</b></li> <li>- <b>The way forward</b></li> </ul> <p><u>Panellists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Bruno Jean Richard <b>Itoua</b>, Minister for Energy and Water, Republic of the Congo</li> <li>• Mr. Abel <b>Mejia</b>, World Bank</li> <li>• Ms. Margaret <b>Batty</b>, WaterAid</li> <li>• Mr. Omar <b>Giacoman</b>, Evensen Dodge International</li> </ul> <p><i>(Note: the above-listed issues are intended to facilitate discussions only and are not meant to be an exhaustive list)</i></p>
	4:30	Conf. Room 4 Plenary	The Chair's summary – Part I will be distributed at 4:30 pm
	5:30 – 6:00	Conf. Room 4 Plenary	The Chair will introduce his summary – Part I and invite delegates to make any factual comments.

## PARTNERSHIPS FAIR

TUESDAY, 13 MAY 2008

<b>All Day</b>	<b>Neck Area (Partnerships Fair Information Desks)</b>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Global Water Partnership (GWP)</li> <li>• Northern Water Network</li> <li>• Paws</li> <li>• Water programme for Environmental Sustainability (WPAII)</li> </ul>		
<b>A.M.</b>	<b>Partnerships Presentations</b>		
	<b>10:00 – 10:55</b>	<b>Conf. Room 6</b>	SIDS Partnership: Implementation of New Technologies for Sustainable Development
	<b>11:00 – 11:55</b>		Global Water Partnership (GWP)
	<b>12:00 – 12:55</b>		The SEED Initiative
<b>P.M.</b>	<b>Partnerships Thematic Discussion Session</b>		
	<b>3:00 – 5:30</b>	<b>Conf. Room 6</b>	<p>Creative partnering to enhance sustainable development and conservation in SIDS</p> <p>Lead Discussants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Tom Goreau</b> PhD, SIDS Partnership: Implementation of New Technologies for Sustainable Development</li> <li>▪ <b>Rolph Payet</b> PhD, Global Island Partnership (GLISPA)</li> <li>▪ <b>Eric Hagberg</b>, SIDS Partnership: Implementation of New Technologies for Sustainable Development</li> </ul>

## LEARNING CENTRE

TUESDAY, 13 MAY 2008

<b>A.M.</b>	<b>10:00 – 1:00</b>	<b>Conf. Room B</b>	Land Policy, Administration and Management
<b>P.M.</b>	<b>3:00 – 6:00</b>	<b>Conf. Room B</b>	<p>An Approach to Capacity Development for IWRM</p> <p>Sponsor: UN Water, UNU-INWEH &amp; UNW-DPC</p>

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## SIDE EVENTS

MONDAY, 12 MAY 2008

<b>P.M.</b>	1:15-2:45	<b>Conf. Room 6</b>	Toward a Global Water Agenda - Preparing the World Water Forum in Istanbul Organized by: World Water Council & Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs
	1:15-2:45	<b>Conf. Room 4</b>	The MDG Water and Sanitation Target: Refining the Monitoring tools Organized by: UN-Water
	1:15-2:45	<b>Conf. Room 2</b>	Monitoring Global Freshwater Resources Organized by: World Water Assessment Programme
	1:15-2:45	<b>Conf. Room B</b>	Sanitation: A Human Rights Imperative Organized by: WaterAid
	6:15-7:45	<b>Conf. Room 4</b>	Water in a Changing World: Emerging Trends in the Third World Water Development Report Organized by: UNWWAP
	6:15-7:45	<b>Conf. Room 6</b>	Annual Report on Sustainable Development French Development Agency and the French Institute on Sustainable Development and International Relations Special Focus on Nature, Biodiversity and Development Organized by: French Development Agency and the French Institute on Sustainable Development and International Relations

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## CSD RELATED EVENTS

TUESDAY, 13 MAY 2008

<b>A.M.</b>	10:00 - 5:00	<b>UN Visitors Lobby</b>	Natural World Museum International Art Exhibition: Art, Attitudes & Environment Organized by: UN DPI, UNEP, Natural World Museum
	10:00 - 5:00	<b>North East Gallery, Visitors' Lobby, UNHQ</b>	Hard Rain - Our Headlong Collision with Nature: Photographs illustrating climate change, poverty and the sixth great extinction Co-sponsored by Still Pictures, UNEP and UNDP
	1:00 - 2:45	<b>Mission of Kazakhstan to UN 305 E. 47th St. bet. 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	The Aral Sea Challenges in 21st Century Organized by: Central Asian Countries
	1:15-2:45	<b>Conf. Room C</b>	Environmental governance and democracy institutions, public participation and environmental sustainability Sponsored by: UNITAR
	6:15-7:45	<b>Delegates Dining Rooms 5-8</b>	Joint Efforts in Development of the Lake Victoria Basin, East Africa: A Partnership in Realization Organized by: Swedish Government and the East African Community

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<b>6:15 - 7:45 (Reception)</b>	<b>German Permanent Mission, 871 UN Plaza (1st Ave/49th St)</b>	Up to and Beyond 2015: The Challenge for the Water and Sanitation Agenda Sponsored by: Stakeholder Forum for a Sustainable Future, Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI), German Federal Ministry of Environment, Nature Protection and Nuclear Safety
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## MAJOR GROUPS MEETINGS

TUESDAY, 13 MAY 2008

<b>A.M.</b>	<b>8.00 - 9.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Youth and Children
	<b>9.00 - 10.00</b>	Conf. Room A	NGOs informational meeting
	<b>10.00 - 11.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Women
	<b>11.00 - 12.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Scientific and Technological Community
	<b>12.00 - 13.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Local Authorities
UN Cafeteria		Energy (raised area centre main cafeteria)	
<b>P.M.</b>	<b>13.00 - 14.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Indigenous People
	<b>14.00 - 15.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Farmers
	<b>15.00 - 16.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Business and Industry
	<b>16.00 - 17.00</b>	Conf. Room A	Workers and Trade Unions
	<b>18.00 - 19.00</b>	Conf. Room A	NGOs review strategy meeting
	<b>19.00 - 20.00</b>		

**To cancel** Conference Room A for an NGO or Major Group caucus, please send an e-mail to: [silverio-ruffing@un.org](mailto:silverio-ruffing@un.org) by 4:00 p.m. the preceding day. At this time, no additional time slots are available in Conference A for caucus meetings.