

**Meeting of EC-ESA Principals**  
**Wednesday, 2 March 2011**  
**8:30 – 10:30 a.m. (EST)**

**Room No. 2330, Two UN Plaza (DC2)**  
**New York**

**Draft Agenda**

**1. Follow-up to the General Assembly Resolution on ‘The United Nations in global governance.’**

In its resolution 65/94 of 8 December 2010, entitled **“The United Nations in global governance”**, the General Assembly:

- Requested the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 66th session an analytical report focusing on ‘global economic governance and development’, to be prepared in consultation with Member States and relevant organizations of the United Nations system. It also requests that the report take into account relevant inputs such as the informal thematic debate on global governance to be organized by the President of the General Assembly; without prejudice to the focus of possible future debates on this issue, which is to be determined by the General Assembly. The Assembly has also decided to inscribe a sub agenda item entitled **“Reaffirming the Central role of the United Nations in System in Global Governance.”**
- The purpose of this meeting is to discuss (a) the draft outline of the proposed report to be submitted by the Secretary-General; and (b) the inputs for the Report, including a concrete set of messages that should be highlighted in the report.

**Document:** (1) Draft outline of the Secretary-General’s report to the General Assembly at its 66<sup>th</sup> Session; (2) Background note on recent developments in global economic governance

**2. Follow-up to the 2010 MDG Summit**

- In paragraph 81 of “Keeping the promise: united to achieve the Millennium Development Goals” (A/Res/65/1) Member States requested the Secretary-General to “report annually on the progress in the implementation of the MDGs until 2015 and to make recommendations in the annual reports, as appropriate, for further steps to advance the United Nations development agenda beyond 2015”.
- Subsequently, in a resolution (A/65/L12), the General Assembly requested the inclusion of analysis and policy recommendations on “sustained, inclusive and equitable economic growth for accelerating

poverty eradication and achievement of the MDGs in the annual report on progress in the implementation of the MDGs until 2015.’

These two resolutions have generated the need for an analytical report on the achievement of MDGs until 2015. A briefing will be provided on the response to these mandates.

**Document:** Briefing note on the Follow-up to the 2010 MDG Summit.

**3. Briefing on the first intersessional meeting of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development 2012 (Rio Plus 20)**

- A briefing will be provided on the first intersessional meeting of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio Plus 20) which was held in New York during 10-11 January 2011 and on the status of preparations in general for UNCSD.

**Document:** Background note on the intersessional meeting.

**4. Other Matters**