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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate I

“Enhancing productive capacities and the role of the private sector in least developed countries”

9 May 2011, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Co-Chairpersons:

H.E. Mr. Madické Niang, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Senegal

H. E. Ms. Ritva Koukku-Ronde, Under-Secretary of State for Development Policy and Cooperation, Finland

Keynote speakers:

H.E. Sheikh Hasina Wajed, Prime Minister, People’s Republic of Bangladesh

H.E. Mr. Joseph Deiss, President of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly, United Nations

Lead Discussants:

Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

Ms. Noeleen Heyzer, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary, Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

Mr. Kandeh K. Yumkella, Director-General, United Nations Industrial Development Organization

Mr. Francis Gurry, Director-General, World Intellectual Property Organization

Mr. Juan Somavia, Director-General, International Labour Organization

Mr. Houlin Zhao, Deputy Secretary-General, International Telecommunication Union

Mr. Abdullah Celik, CEO, Bank Asya, Turkey

Mr. Alhaji Bamanga Tukur, Chair, President, African Business Roundtable and Chairman, New Partnership for Africa’s Development Business Group

Mr. Roberto Bissio, Coordinator of the International Secretariat of Social Watch

Interactive discussion



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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate II

“Resource Mobilization for Least Developed Countries’ Development and Global Partnership”

10 May 2011, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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Co-Chairpersons:

Honourable Upendra Yadav, Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister,
Nepal

H. E. Ms. Ingrid Fiskaa, Deputy Minister of International Development,
Norway

Keynote speakers:

H.E. Meles Zenawi, Prime Minister, Ethiopia

H.E. Mr. Kabine Komara, Former Prime Minister, Guinea

Mr. Andris Piebalgs, Commissioner for Development,
European Union

Lead Discussants:

Mr. Anthony Lake, Executive Director, United Nations Children’s Fund

Mr. Philippe Douste-Blazy, Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser on
Innovative Financing for Development

Ms Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala, Managing Director, World Bank

Mr. Hugh Bredenkamp, Deputy Director, Strategy Policy Review Department,
International Monetary Fund

Ambassador Jon Lomøy, Director, Development Co-operation Directorate,
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

Ms Carola Donner-Reichle, Senior Adviser, Asian Development Bank

Mr. Ohashi Masaaki, Chairperson, Japan NGO Center for International
Cooperation

Interactive discussion



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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate III

“Harnessing Trade for Least Developed Countries’ Development and Transformation”

10 May 2011, 3:00 – 1:00 p.m.

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Co-Chairs:

Honourable Leketekete Ketso, Minister of Trade and Industry, Cooperatives and Marketing, Lesotho

The Right Honourable Peter Lilley, Member of Parliament, Co-Chair of Trade Out of Poverty, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Keynote speakers:

H.E. Rupiah Bwezani Banda, President, Republic of Zambia

H.E. Thongloun Sisoulith, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Lao People's Democratic Republic

Lead Duscussants:

Mr. Pascal Lamy, Director General, World Trade Organization

Mr. Martin Khor, Executive Director, South Centre

Mr. Martin Tofinga, President and Executive Director, Kiribati Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Mr. Camille Chalmers, Leader, Haitian Platform for an Alternative Development

Mr. Abdullah Kahraman, Durman International Group, Turkey

Interactive discussion



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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate IV

“Good Governance at all levels”

11 May 2011, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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Co-Chairs:

H.E Mr. Jean Marie Ehouzou, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Benin

H.E Ms. Marie-Josée Jacobs, Minister for Cooperation and Development Aid,
Luxembourg

Keynote Speakers

H.E Mr. Ahmed Abdalla Mohamed, President of Comoros

Ms Helen Clark, Chairperson of United Nations Development Group and Administrator
of United Nations Development Programme

Lead Discussants:

Mr. Abdoulie Janneh, Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Africa

Ms. Rima Khalaf, Under-Secretary-General, Executive Secretary, Economic and Social
Commission of Western Asia

H.E. Mr. Maxwell Mkwezalamba, Commissioner for Economic Affairs, African Union

Mr. Karel de Gucht, Commissioner for Trade, European Union.

Mr. Jomo Kwame Sundaram, Assistant Secretary General, United Nations Department
of Economic and Social Affairs.

Mr. Amir Dossal, Founder and Chairman of the Global Partnerships Forum

Dr. Saran Daraba Kaba, President, Mano River Women’s Peace Network Guinea

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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate V

**“Reducing Vulnerabilities, Responding to Emerging Challenges,
and Enhancing Food Security in the LDCs”**

11 May 2011, 3:00–6:00 pm

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Chair:

H.E. Mr. Ahmed Naseem, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Maldives

Keynote Speakers:

H.E. Mr. Malam Bacai Sanha, President of Guinea-Bissau

H.E. Mr. Mehdi Erkel, Minister for Agriculture and Rural Affairs of Turkey

Dr. Louis Kasekende, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Uganda and LDC
Eminent Person

Lead Discussants:

Mr. Jacques Diouf, Director General, Food and Agriculture Organization

Mr. Luc Gnacadja, Executive Director, United Nations Convention to Combat
Desertification

Mr. Richard Kinley, Deputy Executive Secretary, United Nations Framework
Convention on Climate Change

Mr. Amir Abdulla, Deputy Executive Secretary, World Food Programme

H.E. Prof. Anna Tibaijuka, Minister of Human Settlements, Housing and
Urban Affairs of Tanzania

Prof. Babu Mathew, South Asia Alliance for Poverty Eradication

Interactive discussion



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High-Level Interactive Thematic Debate VI

“Human and Social Development, Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women”

12 May 2011, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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Co-Chairs:

H. E. Mr. Peter Shanel Agovaka, Minister for Foreign Affairs & External Trade,
Solomon Islands

H.E. Mr. Steven Vanackere, Vice-Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs and
Institutional Reforms of Belgium

Keynote Speakers:

H.E. Mr. Gervais Rufyikiri, Vice-President of Burundi

H.E. Ms. Selma Aliye Kavaf, State Minister in charge of Women and Family Affairs,
Turkey

H.E. Cheikha Moza, First Lady of Qatar

Lead Discussants:

Ms Michelle Bachelet, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations Entity for Gender
Equality and the Empowerment of Women

Dr. Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive Director, United Nations Population Fund

Dr. Paul DeLay, Deputy Executive Director, Programmes, Joint United Nations
Programme on HIV/AIDS

Ms. Patricia Francis, Director General, International Trade Centre

Ms. Irina Bokova, Director General, United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural
Organization

Mr. William Lucy Swing, Director General, International Organization for Migration

Ms. Thida Khus, Executive Director at SILAKA

Interactive discussion