

Economic and Social Council

Special high-level meeting of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 5th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Opening of the meeting

Opening statement by the President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe (Zambia)

Statement by the President of the Trade and Development Board, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, H.E. Mr. Luis Manuel Piantini Munnigh (Dominican Republic)

2. Thematic debate of the whole on theme 1 (E/2011/74)¹:

“Financial support for development efforts of least developed countries: Development finance, including innovative mechanisms, aid for trade and debt relief”

Presentation on *“The Least Developed Countries Report 2010: Towards a New International Development Architecture for LDCs”* by Mr. Charles Gore, Head, Policy Analysis and Research Branch, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD

Presentation by Mr. Shishir Priyadarshi, Director, Trade and Development Division, World Trade Organization

Interactive dialogue

3–6 p.m. 6th meeting  Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Address by the Secretary-General of the United Nations

2. Thematic debate of the whole on theme 2 (E/2011/74)¹:

“Financial support for development efforts of middle-income countries: Development cooperation, trade, capital flows, policy space and reserve system”

Presentation on *“MDG Gap Task Force Report 2010: The Global Partnership for Development at a Critical Juncture”* by Mr. Robert Vos, Director, Development Policy and Analysis Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Presentation on *“Lessons from the recent crisis for the reform of the international monetary and financial system and for development strategies”* by Mr. Detlef Kotte, Head, Macroeconomic and Development Policies Branch, Division on Globalization and Development Strategies, UNCTAD

Interactive dialogue

[For further information, as documentation relating to the meeting, please visit <www.un.org/esa/ffd/ecosoc/springmeetings/2011/>.]

¹To be issued.