

Economic and Social Council

Special meeting on international cooperation in tax matters

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 8th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Opening remarks by the President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Miloš Koterec (Slovakia)
2. Introduction of the report of the Secretary-General on the role and work of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters (E/2012/8)
3. Keynote address by Ms. Allen Kagina, Commissioner-General, Uganda Revenue Authority, on “Current challenges, priorities and experiences of developing countries in tax matters”
4. Panel presentations on “The role of multilateral bodies in strengthening international cooperation in tax matters”

Mr. Pascal Saint-Amans, Director, Center for Tax Policy and Administration,
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Mr. Michael Keen, Deputy Director, Fiscal Affairs Department, International
Monetary Fund

Mr. Richard Stern, Global Product Specialist for Business Taxation, World Bank
Group

Mr. Márcio Verdi, Executive Secretary, Inter-American Centre of Tax
Administrations

Mr. Logan Wort, Acting Executive Secretary, African Tax Administration Forum

General discussion

3–6 p.m. 9th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Launch of the United Nations Model Double Taxation Convention between Developed and Developing Countries (2011 update)

1. Statement by Mr. Armando Lara Yaffar, Chair, Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters, on “The 2011 update of the United Nations Model”
2. Statement by Mr. Alexander Trepelkov, Director, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, on “The United Nations Model in the context of financing for development”
3. Statement by Mr. Michael Lennard, Chief, International Tax Cooperation Unit, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, on “Key features of the United Nations Model”

General discussion (continued)

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