

CSD-17 Intergovernmental Preparatory Meeting: Organization of Work (Zero Draft)

	Monday 23 February 2009	Tuesday 24 February 2009	Wednesday 25 February 2009	Thursday 26 February 2009	Friday 27 February 2009
AM	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary
10:00 - 1:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opening - Adoption of the agenda and organization of work - Reporting on inter-sessional meetings - Introduction of SG reports - Group statements - Statements by Regional Commissions <p>Dialogue with Major Groups</p>	Agriculture <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Land <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Desertification <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Inter-linkages and cross-cutting issues <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions
PM	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary
3:00 - 6:00	SIDS <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Rural development <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Drought <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	Africa <p>Policy options to address barriers and constraints, taking into account lessons learned and best practices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentations on policy options - Interactive discussions 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3:00</u></p> <p>Distribute the Chairperson's Draft Negotiating Text</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>5:00</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce the Chairperson's Draft Negotiating Text and invite factual comments • Adoption of the report of the IPM

Note:

- Presentations and interactive discussions will be led off by panels of 2-3 experts with experience in implementation, focusing on policy options and possible actions to expedite implementation, taking into account lessons learned and best practices.
- Interventions by delegations during interactive discussions should avoid restating problems and barriers and should highlight solutions and the way forward.