



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

15 May 2015

Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 8 May 2015 on the convening of informal interactive hearings with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations, major groups and the private sector on the post-2015 development agenda scheduled for 26-27 May 2015 at United Nations Headquarters, I am pleased to forward to you a detailed provisional programme for the hearings.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sam K. Kutesa', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Sam K. Kutesa

To All Permanent Representatives and  
Permanent Observers to the United Nations  
New York

**Informal interactive hearings with representatives of Non-governmental Organizations, Civil Society, Major Groups and the Private Sector on the Post-2015 development agenda**  
**Trusteeship Council Chamber, United Nations, New York**  
**26-27 May 2015**

**Provisional Programme**

<p><b>Day One:</b></p> <p><b>Morning Session</b></p>	
<p>10:00 – 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Opening Segment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acting President of the UN General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Denis G. Antoine, Permanent Representative of Grenada</li> <li>• Secretary-General of the United Nations (tbc)</li> <li>• H.E Mr. Macharia Kamau, Permanent Representative of Kenya to the United Nations and co-facilitator of the negotiations on the post-2015 development agenda</li> </ul> <p>Speakers (5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Tawanda Mutasah, Senior Director of Law &amp; Policy, Amnesty International</li> <li>• Mr. Rajiv Joshi, Managing Director, The B Team</li> <li>• Ms. Heather Grady, Vice President, Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors</li> <li>• Ms. Maryanne Diamond, International Disability Alliance</li> <li>• Mr. Steve Lalande, International Forum of NGO Platforms</li> <li>• Ms. Shantal Munro-Knight, Caribbean Policy Development Centre</li> </ul>
<p>11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m</p>	<p><b>Roundtable Discussion 1:</b></p> <p><i>Theme: Declaration</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Nikhil Seth, Director, Division for Sustainable Development, UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs</p> <p>Panellists (7 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Jeremiah Daffa, World Wildlife Fund</li> <li>• Ms. Noelene Nabulivou, Diverse Voices and Action for Equality, DAWN</li> <li>• Mr. Patricio Guillermo Roulier Pazos, Climate Community</li> <li>• Ms. Gulalai Ismail, Aware Girls</li> </ul>

	<p>Member State respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <p>Stakeholder respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Lombe Tembo, Restless Development</li> <li>• Mr. Igor Runov, International Road Transport Union</li> </ul> <p>Interactive Q and A</p>
<p><b>Afternoon Session</b></p> <p>3:00 – 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Roundtable Discussion 2:</b></p> <p><i>Theme: Sustainable Development Goals, Targets and Indicators</i></p> <p>Moderator: TBC</p> <p>Panellists (7 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Agnes Leina Ntikaampi, Illaramatak Community Concerns</li> <li>• Ms. Nathalie Seguin, Red de Acción por el Agua (Freshwater Action Network)</li> <li>• Ms. Rewan Youssif, International Federation of Medical Students' Associations and the Global Youth Coalition on HIV / AIDS</li> <li>• Ms. Vibhuti Joshi, Centre for Community Economics and Development Consultants Society (CECOEDECON)</li> </ul> <p>Member State respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <p>Stakeholder respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Sylvia Beales, HelpAge International</li> <li>• Mr. Mothibi Katlego-Duke, Global Shapers, World Economic Forum</li> <li>• Mr. Javier Pineda, LAC Youth Alliance</li> <li>• Sir George Alleyne, Non-communicable Diseases Alliance</li> </ul> <p>Interactive Q and A</p>

<p><b>Day Two:</b></p> <p><b>Morning Session</b></p> <p>10:00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Roundtable Discussion 3:</b></p> <p><i>Theme: Means of Implementation and Global Partnership for Sustainable Development</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Alexander Trepelkov, Director, Financing for Development Office, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs</p> <p>Panellists (7 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Anastasia L. Thatcher, Accenture Development Partnerships</li> <li>• Dr. Fumiko Kasuga, International Council for Science</li> <li>• Mr. Miguel Santibáñez, Asociación chilena de ONG ACCION /Mesa de Articulación, Beyond 2015</li> <li>• Ms. Emilia Saiz , United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG)</li> </ul> <p>Member State respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <p>Stakeholder respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Daisy Owomugasho, The Hunger Project</li> <li>• Mr. Sugeng Bahagijo, International NGO Forum on Indonesian Development (INFID)</li> <li>• Dr. Mercy Ahun, GAVI, the Vaccine Alliance</li> <li>• Mr. Edwin Gragert, Global Campaign for Education</li> <li>• Mr. Amir Dossal, Global Partnerships Forum</li> </ul> <p>Interactive Q and A</p>
<p><b>Afternoon Session</b></p> <p>3:00 – 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Roundtable Discussion 4:</b></p> <p><i>Theme: Monitoring, review and follow-up</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Lakshmi Puri, Assistant Secretary-General and Deputy Executive Director, UN Women</p> <p>Panellists (7 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Nana Koomah Brown-Orleans, Trade Union Confederation</li> <li>• Mr. Peter Mladenov, Y-PEER</li> <li>• Ms. Luisa Emilia Reyes Zúñiga, Equidad de Género: Ciudadanía, Trabajo y Familia</li> <li>• Ms. Andrea Maria Patricia Sarenas, Caucus of Development NGO Networks</li> </ul>

	<p>Member State respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <p>Stakeholder respondents (5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Zubaida Akbar, Save the Children International</li> <li>• Mr. John Romano, Transparency, Accountability and Participation (TAP) Network</li> <li>• Mr. Walter Velasquez Alvarado, ATD Fourth World</li> <li>• Mr. John Drexhage, International Council on Mining and Metals</li> </ul> <p>Interactive Q and A</p>
<p><b>Closing Segment</b> 5:30 – 6:00 p.m.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Mr. Macharia Kamau, Permanent Representative of Kenya to the United Nations and co-facilitator of the negotiations on the post-2015 development agenda</li> <li>• Acting President of the UN General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Denis G. Antoine, Permanent Representative of Grenada</li> </ul>