

of the Trade and Development Board Twenty-third special session (Mid-term Review), 3 - 10 October 2006

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS Wednesday, 4 October 2006

10.00 a.m. PLENARY (991st meeting)

Room XX

Item 4 - High-level policy dialogue "UNCTAD, development, and the way forward"

Session I

Opening statement

 Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi Secretary-General of UNCTAD

Keynote addresses:

- The Honourable Mr. Bernard Makuza Prime Minister of Rwanda
- H.E. Mr. Kamal Nath Minister of Trade of India
- H.E. Mrs. Paula Lehtomäki Minister for Foreign Trade and Development of Finland

Interactive debate

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Item 4 - High-level policy dialogue "UNCTAD, development, and the way forward" (Continued)

Session II

- Mr. Gerald Andersen Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Department of State, Washington D.C., USA
- Mr. Henrik Harboe Director, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Norway
- H.E. Mr. Toufiq Ali Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Bangladesh to the United Nations in Geneva

Interactive debate

Followed by

5.00 p.m. General statements

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS Thursday, 5 October 2006

10.00 a.m. PLENARY (993rd meeting)

Room XXVI

Subtheme 1 - Globalization for development

Session III

- H.E. Mr. Mukhisha Kituyi Minister of Trade, Kenya
- H.E. Mr. Julio Ortega Tous Minister, Chief Negotiator, Executive Secretary for the National Commission for Trade Negotiations of the Dominican Republic
- H.E. Mr. Clodoaldo Hugueney Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Brazil to the United Nations in Geneva

Interactive Debate

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3.00 p.m. **PLENARY (994th meeting)**

Room XXVI

Subtheme 2 - Coherence for development between national development strategies and international economic processes

Session IV

- H.E. Mr. Alan Kyerematen Minister of Trade of Ghana
- H.E. Mr. Oscar Tangelson Secretary for Economic Policy of Argentina

Interactive Debate

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INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Registration

Registration forms will be placed on the desks in Salle XX. It would be appreciated if delegations and observers would complete the forms before leaving the meeting.

Distribution of documents

The documents Distribution Counter is in the lobby on the second floor of the new building ("E" building, door 40).

Participants should bring with them pre-session documents, i.e. documents circulated prior to the opening of the session. Additional copies of pre-session documents may be available, stock permitting, at the Distribution Counter in the Conference Room.

Arrangements for regional group meetings

Requests for rooms for regional group meetings should be made to the UNCTAD Meetings and Credentials Unit (telephone extensions 75599/75497, Room E.3061).

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