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## PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS

Tuesday, 5 October 2004

### HIGH-LEVEL SEGMENT

#### Follow-up to UNCTAD XI: New Developments in International economic relations

**10:00-10:30**      **Opening**      Salle XX

- H.E. Ms. Mary Whelan, President of the Trade and Development Board
- Mr. Carlos Fortin, Officer-in-Charge of UNCTAD

**10:30-11:30**      **Interactive session I**

- H.E. Hon. Arjuna Ranatunga, Deputy Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment Promotion (Sri Lanka)
- H.E. Dr. Ziyad Bahaa Eldin, Chairman of the General Authority for Investment (Egypt)
- H.E. Mr. Rodolfo Severino, Presidential Adviser on Trade and Development, Department of Foreign Affairs (Philippines)
- Mr. Richard W. Behrend, Director, Office of Economic and Development Affairs, Bureau of International Organization Affairs, Department of State (United States)

**11:30-13:00**      **Interactive Session II**

#### Lead discussants

- H.E. Ambassador Samuel Amehou (Benin)
- H.E. Ambassador Carlo Trojan (European Commission)
- H.E. Ambassador Hardeep Singh Puri (India)
- H.E. Ambassador Shotaro Oshima (Japan)
- H.E. Ambassador Gyan Chandra Acharya (Nepal)

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**14:30**

**Bureau and Coordinators**

**Salle XXV**

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**HIGH-LEVEL SEGMENT**

**15:00-18:00**

**Interactive Session III**

**Salle XX**

**Lead discussants**

- H.E. Ambassador Péter Balás (Hungary)
- H.E. Ambassador Ransford Smith (Jamaica)
- H.E. Ambassador Joseph Ayalogu (Nigeria)
- H.E. Ambassador Elizabeth Astete (Peru)
- Ms. Virginia Cram-Martos (Economic Commission for Europe)
- Mr. Martin Khor (Third World Network)

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**FORTHCOMING MEETINGS**  
**Wednesday, 6 October 2004**

10.00 a.m.

**PLENARY**

Salle XX

Item 8 (c) Investment Policy Review of Sri Lanka  
(UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2003/8)

Opening by the President of the Board  
Introduction by the UNCTAD secretariat

**Government Objectives and policies**

H.E. Mr. Arjuna RANATUNGA, Deputy Minister for  
Industry, Tourism and Investment Promotion,  
Government of Sri Lanka

**Comments and viewpoints**

H.E. Mr. Hardeep Sing PURI, Ambassador of India  
Mr. Hiroshi KARUBE, Deputy Chief, Embassy of Japan  
in Sri Lanka

H.E. Mr. Burhan GAFOOR, Ambassador of Singapore  
Mr. Ivo KAUFMANN, Head, International Investment  
and Multinational Enterprises, State Secretariat for  
Economic Affairs, Switzerland

Mr. Katsuhiko KONO, FDK Lanka (Pvt) Ltd. Sri Lanka  
Mr. Davi GALVAO, Galvao Gems, Switzerland

**Invest in Peace Project in Sri Lanka**

Mr. Miguel BERMEO, UN Resident Coordinator and  
UNDP Resident Representative in Sri Lanka

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3.00 p.m.

**PLENARY (957th meeting)**

Salle XX

Item 8 (b) Report on UNCTAD's assistance to the  
Palestinian People  
(TD/B/51/2 and Corr.1 (English only))

- Introduction of item
- General debate

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Chairperson: H.E. Mr. Ousmane CAMARA (Senegal)

## 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 75599/74446, Room E.3061).

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