



PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS

Wednesday, 6 October 2004

10.00 a.m. **PLENARY** Salle XXVI

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
H.E. Mr. Zukang SHA, Ambassador of China
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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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS
Thursday, 7 October 2004

10.00 a.m.

PLENARY (958th meeting)

Salle XX

Item 3 - Interdependence and global economic issues from a trade and development perspective: Policy coherence, development strategies and integration into the world economy
Trade and Development Report, 2004, and Overview (UNCTAD/TDR/2004)

- Introduction of item
- General debate

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3.00 p.m.

INFORMALS

Salle XXVI

Informal Panel Discussion on
Exchange rate effects on trade and implications for the international trading and financial systems

Panellists

Ms. Guadalupe MÁNTEY DE ANGUIANO, Professor of Economics at the National Autonomous University of Mexico

Mr. Manuel F. MONTES, Programme Officer for International Economic Policy at the Ford Foundation, New York

Mr. Ugo PANIZZA, Economist in the Research Department of the Inter-American Development Bank

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