

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS

Monday, 12 September 2011

10 a.m. **Plenary** **Room XVIII**

Item 1 Election of officers

Item 2 Adoption of the agenda and organization of the work of the session (TD/B/58/1)

General statements

- Opening statement by Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD
 - Statements by regional groups, member States and NGOs
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3 p.m. **Plenary** **Room XVIII**

Item 3 High-level segment: Volatile capital flows and development (UNCTAD/TDR/2011 and Overview)

Moderator

- President of the Trade and Development Board

Panellists

- Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD
- Mr. Gilbert Terrier, Deputy Director of the IMF Western Hemisphere Department
- Mr. Carlos Márcio Bicalho Cozendey, Secretary for International Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Brazil

Discussant

- Mr. Sergio Chodos, Director, Central Bank of Argentina

Followed by

- Interactive debate
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Plenary

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Item 4 Interdependence: Addressing trade and development challenges and opportunities after the global economic and financial crisis and

Item 8 Development strategies in a globalized world: A new role for the government and fiscal policy
(UNCTAD/TDR/2011 and Overview)

- Introduction by Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

General statements

- Statements by regional groups and member States
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3 p.m.

Item 4 Interdependence: Addressing trade and development challenges and opportunities after the global economic and financial crisis
(UNCTAD/TDR/2011 and Overview)

Room XXVI

Panellists

- Mr. Heiner Flassbeck, Director of the Division on Globalization and Development Strategies of UNCTAD
- Professor Michel Aglietta, University of Paris Sorbonne
- Mr. Sergio Chodos, Director of the Central Bank of Argentina

Followed by

- Interactive debate
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Information for participants

Registration/attendance forms

Registration/attendance forms will be placed on the desks in the meeting room. 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 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 (ext. 75497, office E.3061).

Statements

Delegates are invited to send electronic versions of their statements to be posted on UNCTAD's website to **correspondence@unctad.org**. Statements will be made available in the form and language in which they are submitted.

Opening plenary

For the opening plenary on Monday, 12 September 2011, the time allotted for regional group statements is 8 minutes each, and 4 minutes for individual countries and organizations.



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of the Trade and Development Board

Fifty-eighth session
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Summary of meetings

Monday, 12 September 2011

1070th and 1071st plenary meetings

Opening of the session

The fifty-eighth session of the Board was opened by H.E. Mr. Luis Manuel Piantini (Dominican Republic), President of the Board at its fifty-seventh session.

Item 1 Procedural matters

(a) Election of officers

The Board elected by acclamation H.E. Mr. Mothae Anthony Maruping (Lesotho) as the President of the Boards at its fifty-eighth session.

The Board elected the following six Vice-Presidents:

Vice-presidents

Mr. Marcelo Della Nina (Brazil)
Mr. Wolfgang Rechenhofer (Germany)
H.E. Mr. Vassily Nebenzia (Russian Federation)
H.E. Mrs. Tamara Kunanayakam (Sri Lanka)
H.E. Mr. Darlington Mwape (Zambia)
H.E. Mr. Ibrahim Saied Mohamed Al-Adoofi (Yemen)

The Board elected Ms. Martha Moreno (Paraguay) as its Rapporteur.

Following established practice, the Board agreed that the Regional Coordinators and other UNCTAD recognized groups would be fully associated with the work of the Bureau of the Board.

(b) Adoption of the agenda and organization of the work of the session

The Board adopted its provisional agenda as contained in document TD/B/58/1. A detailed programme was made available to all delegations.

General statements

Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD, addressed the Board.

Representatives of the following member States made statements: Zimbabwe (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China); Ghana (on behalf of the African Group); Thailand (on behalf of the Asian Group); Hungary (on behalf of Group D); Mexico (on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States); Nepal (on behalf of the least developed countries); Paraguay (on behalf of the landlocked developing countries); the European Union; China; Japan; Switzerland; United States of America; Honduras; and Indonesia.

Item 3 **Interdependence:** **High-level segment: Volatile capital flows and development**

The high-level segment began its consideration of item 3 with presentations by the following panellists: Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD; Mr. Gilbert Terrier, Deputy Director of the IMF Western Hemisphere Department; and Mr. Carlos Marcio Becalho Cozendey, Secretary for International Affairs, Ministry of Finance of Brazil. Mr. Sergio Chodos, Director, Central Bank of Argentina made some remarks as a discussant.

This was followed by an interactive debate with interventions by representatives of France and the Dominican Republic and Mr. Heiner Flassbeck, Director of the Division on Globalization and Development Strategies.

The President of the Board made concluding remarks.