PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS
Monday, 14 September 2015

10 a.m.  Plenary (1128th meeting)  Room XVIII

- Opening of the session

Item 1(a)  Election of officers

Item 1 (b) Adoption of the agenda and organization of the work of the session (TD/B/62/1)

- Opening statement by Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

General statements

- Statements by regional groups, member States, intergovernmental organizations and non-governmental organizations

3 p.m.  Plenary (1129th meeting)  Room XVIII

Item 2  High-level segment

Development strategies in a globalized world:
(a) Multilateral processes for managing sovereign external debt (TD/B/62/7)

Opening remarks

- Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

Panellists

- Ms. Cristina Duarte, Minister of Finance and Planning, Cabo Verde
- Mr. Vũ Văn Ninh, Deputy Prime Minister, Viet Nam
- Mr. Carlos Bianco, Secretary of International Economic Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Faith, Argentina
- Mr. Eric Toussaint, Committee for the Abolition of Third World Debt, Belgium
- Mr. Gary Dymski, Professor, University of Leeds, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Followed by

- Interactive debate
FORTHCOMING MEETINGS
Tuesday, 15 September 2015

10 a.m. Plenary (1130th meeting) Room XVIII

Item 2 High-level segment

Development strategies in a globalized world:
(b) Role of women as a catalyst for trade and development

Opening remarks

▪ Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

Panellists

▪ Ms. Elizabeth Prugl, Director, Programme on Gender and Global Change, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Switzerland
▪ Ms. Maha Awwad Abu-Shusheh, Manager of Abu-Shusheh Contracting Company, Ramallah, Board Member of the Council of Arab Businesswomen and of the Arab Women Forum
▪ Ms. Selina Jackson, World Bank Group Special Representative to the United Nations and the World Trade Organization
▪ Ms. Josephine Hoste, African Development Bank

Moderator

▪ Ms. Gunilla von Hall, Foreign Correspondent, Svenska Dagbladet

Followed by

▪ Interactive debate

3 p.m. Plenary (1131th meeting) Room XVIII

Item 3 Interdependence: Financialization and macroeconomic fragility in the global economy

Opening remarks

▪ Mr. Richard Kozul-Wright, Director, Division on Globalization and Development Strategies, UNCTAD

General statements

▪ Statements by regional groups and member States
Information for participants

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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.8103).

Statements
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For general statements on Monday, 14 September 2015, the time allotted for regional group statements is 8 minutes each and 4 minutes for individual countries and organizations.