

Trade and Development Board

Sixtieth executive session

10–12 December 2014

Programme of Work

Wednesday, 10 December 2014

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Opening plenary

Item 1. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

Opening remarks

- Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

Item 2. *The Least Developed Countries Report 2014: Growth with Structural Transformation – A Post-2015 Development Agenda* (UNCTAD/LDC/2014)

- Mr. Taffere Tesfachew, Director, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD

Followed by

Statements by regional groups and individual delegations

1–2.30 p.m. End-of-year reception hosted by Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD
Bar Serpent, 1st floor, Palais des Nations

3–6 p.m. Panel discussion: Structural transformation and the post-2015 development agenda for least developed countries

Introduction

- Mr. Taffere Tesfachew, Director, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD

Panellists

- Ms. Françoise Assogba, Minister for Industry, Trade, and Small and Medium Enterprises, Benin
- Mr. Dirk Wilhelm te Velde, Head of Programme, International Economic Development Group, Overseas Development Institute, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
- Mr. Gaaitzen de Vries, Professor, University of Groningen, Netherlands

Followed by

Interactive debate