



## PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS

Thursday, 9 October 2003

### SESSIONAL COMMITTEE I

10.00 a.m. Sessional Committee I – First meeting Salle XX

Item 3 Review of progress in the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010:

- (a) UNCTAD-wide activities in favour of LDCs  
(TD/B/4950/3)
- (b) The expected impact of recent initiatives in favour of least developed countries in the area of preferential market access  
(TD/B/50/5)

- Introduction of item
- General debate

**Followed by** INFORMALS

Item 3 (a) UNCTAD-wide activities in favour of LDCs

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3.00 p.m. Sessional Committee I – INFORMALS Salle XXVI

Item 3 (b) The expected impact of recent initiatives in favour of least developed countries in the area of preferential market access

#### Panellists

**H.E. Mr. Mpho M. Malie**, *Minister of Trade and Industry, Cooperatives and Marketing, Lesotho*

**Mr. William Cline**, *Joint Senior Fellow at the Center for Global Development, Institute for International Economics, Washington, D.C.*

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## **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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### Announcements by delegations

The African Group will meet on Thursday, 9 October 2003, at 9.00 a.m. in Room XXV.  
The Asian Group will meet on Thursday, 9 October 2003, at 9.15 in Room E.1058/60.  
The Latin American and Caribbean Group will meet on Thursday, 9 October 2003 at 2.00 p.m. in Room XXV.  
The Group of 77 and China will meet on Friday, 10 October 2003 at 9.00 a.m. in Room XXV

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