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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS Thursday, 16 October 2003

10.00 a.m. Sessional Committee II – INFORMALS Salle XXVI

11.00 a.m. FIRST SESSION OF THE PREPARATORY
COMMITTEE FOR UNCTAD XI – 2nd meeting Salle XX

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3.00 p.m. FIRST SESSION OF THE PREPARATORY
COMMITTEE FOR UNCTAD XI – 3rd meeting Salle XX

Presentation by Brazil, Host Country for UNCTAD XI

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS
Friday, 17 October 2003

10.00 a.m. PLENARY (951st meeting) Salle XX

Item 11 Other business

Report of Eminent Persons on Commodities
General Assembly resolution 57/236
(TD/B/50/11)

Item 10 Institutional, organizational, administrative
and related matters:

- (a) Report by the President of the Advisory
Body
 - (b) Designation of intergovernmental bodies
 - (c) Designation of non-governmental
organizations
- (TD/B/50/L.3; TD/B/NGO/List/6
and Corr.1)

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3 p.m. **Sessional Committee I – Final 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
 - (b) The expected impact of recent initiatives
in favour of least developed countries in
the area of preferential market access
- (TD/B/50/SC.1 /L.1 & Add.1)

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Followed by **Sessional Committee II – Final Meeting** Salle XX

Item 4 - Economic development in Africa: Issues in
Africa's Trade performance
(TD/B/50/SC.2/L.1 & Add. 1)

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Followed by PLENARY (952nd closing meeting)

Salle XX

Item 1(c) Adoption of the report on credentials
(TD/B/50/13)

Item 1(d) Provisional agenda for the fifty-first session
of the Board

Item 2 Interdependence and global economic
issues from a trade and development
perspective:
Capital accumulation, economic growth
and structural change

Item 3

Adoption of the report of Sessional Committee I
(TD/B/50/SC.1/L.1 and Add.1)

Item 4

Adoption of the report of Sessional Committee II
(TD/B/50/SC.2/L.1 and Add.1)

Item 5 Review of developments and issues in the
post-Doha work programme of particular
concern to developing countries
(TD/B/50/8)

Item 9 Follow-up to decisions taken by the Board

Item 10 Institutional, organizational, administrative
and related matters:

Item 10(d) Review of the calendar of meetings

Item 10(e) Membership of the Working Party

Item 10(f) Administrative and financial implications of
the actions of the Board

Item 11 Other business

Item 12 Adoption of the report
(TD/B/50/L.5 and Add.1-4)

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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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