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**PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS**  
**Tuesday, 10 October 2006**

9.00 a.m. **Informal meeting**

Room XXVI

- Consideration of draft agreed outcomes (continued)

**Followed by**

**Closing plenary (996<sup>th</sup> meeting)**

Item 4 UNCTAD and development: The Way Forward  
(TD/B(S-XXIII)/L.6) - (TD/B(S-XXIII)/L.6/Add.1 -Add.3)

**Followed by**

**Plenary of TDB 53<sup>rd</sup> session**

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## **INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS**

### Registration

Registration forms will be placed on the desks in Salle XXVI. 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 75599/75497, Room E.3061).

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## SUMMARY OF MEETINGS Tuesday, 10 October 2006

### **Informal meeting**

The Board informally approved its draft agreed outcome.

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### **996<sup>th</sup> closing plenary meeting**

The Board adopted the agreed outcome. It also adopted its report in document TD/B(S-XXIII)/L.6 and Add.1-3 and authorized the President to finalize the report.

Concluding statements were made by the following representatives: Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China); Finland (on behalf of the European Union and the acceding countries of Bulgaria and Romania); Argentina (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean Group); Norway (on behalf of Group B); Afghanistan (on behalf of the Asian Group and China); Russian Federation; United States of America; Benin (on behalf of the LDCs); Angola (on behalf of the African Group); China; India; Pakistan; Philippines; and Islamic Republic of Iran. The President of the Trade and Development Board, H.E. Mr. Gyan Chandra Acharya, made closing remarks. Mr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD, made a closing statement.

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