

26 March 2007

**2007 Special High-Level Meeting of ECOSOC with the Bretton Woods  
Institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations  
Conference on Trade and Development**

**Monday, 16 April 2007  
New York**

**DRAFT PROGRAMME**

- 9.30 am      Opening of the meeting (ECOSOC Chamber)
- Welcome and introduction of panelists by **HE Mr. Dalius Čekuolis**,  
                 President of ECOSOC (7 minutes)  
                 Opening statement by **HE Mr. Ban Ki-moon**, Secretary-General of the  
                 United Nations (7 minutes)  
                 Statement by **HE Sheikha Haya Rashed Al Khalifa**, President of the  
                 General Assembly, tbc
- Statements by Inter-governmental Representatives (7 min. each):
- Chair of the Development Committee  
                 Chair of the International Monetary and Finance Committee  
                 Intergovernmental Representative of WTO  
                 President of the Trade and Development Board
- 10.30 am      Breakup into four round tables<sup>1</sup>
- 10.45 am      Reconvene in four round tables (ECOSOC Chamber and Conference  
                 Rooms tbc) for dialogue in an informal setting
- Round Table A: **“Good governance at all levels”**  
                 Conference Room xx
- Round Table B: **“Voice and participation of developing countries in global  
                 decision-making, including the Bretton Woods institutions”** Conference  
                 Room xx

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<sup>1</sup>There will be four roundtables, one on each of the four sub-themes. Participants would be encouraged to provide concrete country experiences and policy lessons and pay attention to countries in special situations.

**Round Table C: “Realizing the Doha development agenda – effective use of trade and investment policies”**

Conference Room xx

**Round Table D: “Aid effectiveness and innovative financing for development”** Conference Room xx

(No introductory or written statements; interventions not to exceed 3 minutes; free exchange of views on an individual basis; no speakers’ list in advance, instead follow flow of discussion).

- 1.00 pm      Chairs conclude the round tables
- 1.10-2.40 pm Luncheon hosted by the President of ECOSOC
- 2.45 pm      Reconvene in ECOSOC Chamber
- 2.50 pm      Reports from the Chairs of the round tables (Each report 3-4 minutes) immediately followed by an informal exchange of views among participants
- 5.00 pm      Closing remarks by the President of ECOSOC (5 minutes)

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