



PROGRAMME

ECOSOC Special Event: Food Crises in Africa
27 October 2005, 11:15 – 1:00 p.m.
ECOSOC Chamber, United Nations Headquarters

Opening: 11:15 – 11:25 a.m.

Welcome and Introduction by H.E. Mr. Munir Akram,
President of the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)

Remarks by H.E. Mr. Jan Eliasson,
President of the Sixtieth Session of the General Assembly

Panel: 11:25 – 12:00 p.m.

Initial Statements Limited to 7 minutes

Remarks by H.E. Mr. Simeon A. Adekanye,
Ambassador and Deputy Permanent Representative,
Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the United Nations, on behalf of the African Union

Remarks by Mr. James T. Morris,
Executive Director, United Nations World Food Programme (WFP)

Remarks by Mr. Lennart Båge,
President of the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

Remarks by Mr. Henri Carsalade, Assistant Director-General, Technical Cooperation
Department, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)

Remarks by Mr. Mark Bowden, Chief of Policy Development Branch, Office of
Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA)

Ms. Julie Howard, Executive Director, Partnership to Cut Hunger and Poverty in Africa

**12:00 – 12:55 p.m. – Interactive Dialogue with Member States, Non-
Governmental Organizations and Panelists**

**12:55 – 1:00 p.m. – Closing remarks by Panelists and the President of
ECOSOC**