

The role of trade and logistics in getting food and energy to all
Side event of the Second Committee
Conference Room 2, Thursday 13 October 2022, 10:00 to 13:00
Programme

10:00 – 10:15 Opening Remarks

- Ms. Francesca Cassar, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Malta to the United Nations and Rapporteur, Second Committee
- Ms. Rebeca Grynspan, Secretary General of UNCTAD

10:15- 11:00 Panel 1: Food and fuel trade and logistic challenges

- Ms. Francesca Cassar, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Malta to the United Nations and Rapporteur, Second Committee introduces panellists
- Moderator: Chantal Line Carpentier, Chief UNCTAD New York Office

Speakers:

- H.E. Mr. Juan Edghill, Minister of Public Works of Guyana
- H.E. Mr. Munir Akram, Permanent Representative of Pakistan and Chair G77 & China
- H.E. Mr. Osama Abdel Khalek, Permanent Representative of Egypt
- Ms Damilola Ogunbiyi, Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General for Sustainable Energy for All and Co-Chair of UN Energy
- Mr. Simon Evenett, Global Trade Alert
- Mr. Manuel Montes, Senior Advisor, Society for International Development and former senior advisor at South Centre

11:00- 11:25 Questions and Answers

11:25- 11:50 Panel 2: Identifying Solutions

Speakers:

- Mr. Guy Platten, Secretary General, International Chamber of Shipping (ICS)
- Mr. Robert Powell, Special Representative to the UN, IMF
- H.E. Ms. Squeff, Permanent Representative of Argentina
- H.E. Mr. Francois Jackman, Permanent Representative of Barbados

11:50-12:55 Interventions by member States

12:55 Closing remarks

- Ms. Francesca Cassar, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Malta to the United Nations and Rapporteur Second Committee