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Third International Conference on Financing
for Development

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (13-16 July 2015)



Official meetings

Monday, 13 July 2015

Third International Conference on Financing for Development

10:00 to 13:00

1st plenary meeting [\[webcast\]](#)

Conference Room 1

1. Opening of the Conference: Formal opening [item 1]
2. Election of the President [item 2]
3. Opening of the Conference [item 1]

Opening statements
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5. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters ([A/CONF.227/1](#)) [item 4]
6. Election of officers other than the President [item 5]
7. Organization of work, including the establishment of the Main Committee [item 6]
8. Election of officers other than the President [item 5]
9. Credentials of representatives: Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee [item 7 (a)]

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Programme of working sessions and side events

A list of preparatory meetings to be held *today*, 13 July 2015, is available on the official website of the Conference (please [click here](#)).

The interactive programme of working sessions, to be held during the Third International Conference, is also available on the official website of the Conference ([click here](#)). To consult the list of side events, please [click here](#).



10. Multi-stakeholder round tables [item 9]

11. General debate on financing for development [item 8]

Address by His Excellency Robert Mugabe, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe

Address by His Excellency Boni Yayi, President of the Republic of Benin

Address by His Excellency Macky Sall, President of Senegal

Address by His Excellency David Arthur Granger, President of the Republic of Guyana

Address by His Excellency Uhuru Kenyatta, President and Commander-in-Chief of the Defence Forces of the Republic of Kenya

Address by Her Excellency Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, President of the Republic of Liberia

Address by His Excellency Ismail Omar Guelleh, President of the Republic of Djibouti

Address by His Excellency Hassan Sheikh Mohamud, President of the Federal Republic of Somalia

Address by His Excellency Paul Kagame, President of the Republic of Rwanda

Address by His Excellency Mohamed Ould Abdel Aziz, President of the Islamic Republic of Mauritania

Address by His Excellency Hage Geingob, President of the Republic of Namibia

15:00 to 18:00

2nd plenary meeting  [\[webcast\]](#)

Conference Room 1

1. Opening of the Conference [item 1]

Opening statements

2. General debate on financing for development [item 8]

Address by His Excellency Idriss Deby Itno, President of the Republic of Chad

Address by His Excellency His Majesty King Letsie III, Head of State of the Kingdom of Lesotho

Address by His Excellency Danny Faure, Vice-President of the Republic of Seychelles

Address by His Excellency Bakri Hassan Salih, First Vice-President of the Republic of the Sudan

Address by His Excellency Yemi Osinbajo, Vice-President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria

Address by His Excellency Mohammad Shariatmadari, Vice-President of the Islamic Republic of Iran

Address by His Excellency Stefan Löfven, Prime Minister of Sweden

Address by His Excellency Matteo Renzi, Prime Minister of the Italian Republic

Address by His Excellency Domingos Simões Pereira, Prime Minister of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau

Address by His Excellency Barnabas Sibusiso Dlamini, Prime Minister of Swaziland

Address by His Excellency Brigi Raffini, Prime Minister of the Republic of the Niger

Address by His Excellency Gaston Browne, Prime Minister of Antigua and Barbuda

Statement by His Excellency Maatia Toafa, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance and Economic Planning of Tuvalu

Statement by His Excellency Nasser Judeh, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign and Expatriates Affairs of Jordan

Multi-stakeholder round tables [\[webcast\]](#)

Round table 1

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 2

“Global partnership and the three dimensions of sustainable development”

Co-Chairs

To be announced

Moderator

Mr. Mahmoud Mohieldin, Corporate Secretary and President’s Special Envoy on Millennium Development Goals, the post-2015 process, and financial development, World Bank Group

Panellists

His Excellency Stefan Löfven, Prime Minister, Sweden

Her Excellency Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, President, Republic of Liberia (TBC)

Her Excellency Nkosazana Dlamini-Zuma, Chair, African Union Commission

Mr. Angel Gurría, Secretary-General, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Discussants

Mr. Neven Mimica, Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development, European Union

Ms. Winnie Byanyima, Executive Director, Oxfam International

[Pursuant to General Assembly resolutions [68/279](#) and [69/278](#), the Conference will include six interactive multi-stakeholder round tables. Round tables 1, 3 and 5 will be on the theme: Global partnership and the three dimensions of sustainable development; and round tables 2, 4 and 6 will be on the theme: Ensuring policy coherence and an enabling environment at all levels for sustainable development.

No list of speakers will be established. Interventions should be limited to *three minutes*.


For registrations and questions regarding participating States in the round tables, delegations are requested to contact Mr. Dino Del Vasto (e-mail del-vasto@un.org). Staff dealing with the participating States in the round tables, will be located at the desk located in front of the podium of Conference Room 2 (during the round tables).

Delegations are kindly requested to bring 30 copies of any prepared texts for services and should drop them off at the Conference Officers' table inside the conference room.

For the latest provisional programme, please [click here](#).]

Press conferences

Monday, 13 July 2015

*Large briefing room (first floor,
UNECA Conference Centre)*  [\[webcast\]](#)

13:00 Briefing by the Spokesperson of the Conference

[The complete schedule of the press conferences can be consulted by [clicking here](#).]

Forthcoming official meetings

Tuesday, 14 July 2015

Third International Conference on Financing for Development

10:00 to 13:00 3rd plenary meeting Conference Room 1

General debate on financing for development [item 8] (*continued*)

Statement by His Excellency Alexander De Croo, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Development Cooperation, Digital Agenda, Post and Telecom of Belgium

Statement by His Excellency Ali Babacan, Deputy Prime Minister of Turkey

Statement by His Excellency Miroslav Lajčák, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign and European Affairs of Slovakia

Statement by Her Excellency Federica Mogherini, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Vice-President of the European Commission

Statement by Her Excellency Kori Udovicki, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Public Administration and Local Self-Government of Serbia

Statement by His Excellency Nhlanhla Nene, Minister of Finance of South Africa

Statement by His Excellency Ricardo Patiño, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ecuador

Statement by His Excellency Jacob Lew, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States

Statement by His Excellency Gerd Müller, Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany

Statement by His Excellency Kristian Jensen, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark

Statement by His Excellency Lou Jiwei, Minister of Finance of China

Statement by Her Excellency Lenita Toivakka, Minister for Foreign Trade and Development of Finland

Statement by His Excellency Sebastian Kurz, Federal Minister for Europe, Integration and Foreign Affairs of Austria

Statement by His Excellency Adriano Meleiane, Minister of Economy and Finance of Mozambique

Statement by His Excellency Børge Brende, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Norway

Statement by His Excellency Gunnar Bragi Sveinsson, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Iceland

Statement by His Excellency Abdulla Jihad, Minister of Finance and Treasury of Maldives

Statement by His Excellency Pornmoniroth Aun, Minister of Economy and Finance of Cambodia

Statement by His Excellency Kelfala Marah, Minister of Finance and Economic Development of Sierra Leone

Statement by His Excellency Mohamed Boussaid, Minister of Economy and Finance of Morocco

Statement by Her Excellency Goodall Gondwe, Minister of Finance and Economic Development of Malawi

Statement by Her Excellency Hind Subaih Barrak Al-Subaih, Minister of Social Affairs and Labour and Minister of State for Planning and Development Affairs of Kuwait

Statement by His Excellency Manuel González Sanz, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica

Statement by His Excellency Dulcidio De La Guardia, Minister of Economy and Finance of Panama

15:00 to 18:00

4th plenary meeting

Conference Room 1

General debate on financing for development [item 8] *(continued)*

Address by Her Excellency Vesna Pusić, First Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign and European Affairs of Croatia

Statement by Her Excellency Justine Greening, Secretary of State for International Development of the United Kingdom

Statement by Her Excellency Aurelia Frick, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Education and Cultural Affairs of Liechtenstein

Statement by His Excellency Romain Schneider, Minister for Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Affairs of Luxembourg

Statement by His Excellency Didier Burkhalter, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Switzerland

Statement by His Excellency Yun Byung-se, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea

Statement by His Excellency Christian Paradis, Minister of International Development and Minister for La Francophonie of Canada

Statement by His Excellency Kamal Al-Hassi, Minister of Finance and Planning of Libya

Statement by His Excellency Mateusz Szczurek, Minister of Finance of Poland

Statement by His Excellency Paul Herbert Oquist Kelley, Minister and Private Secretary for National Policies of Nicaragua

Statement by His Excellency Zanda Kalnina-Lukaševica, Acting Minister for Development and Parliamentary State Secretary for European Affairs of Latvia

Statement by His Excellency Minoru Kiuchi, State Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan

Statement by His Excellency Georges Rebelo Chikoti, Minister for External Relations of Angola

Statement by His Excellency Mauro Vieira, Minister for Foreign Relations of Brazil

Statement by His Excellency Régis Immongault Tatagni, Minister of Economy, Promotion of Investment and Forecasting of Gabon

Statement by His Excellency Joseph Noël Sinatambou, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Regional Cooperation and International Trade of Mauritius

Statement by His Excellency Carlos Raúl Morales, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Guatemala

Statement by His Excellency Frederick Mitchell, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Immigration of the Bahamas

Statement by His Excellency Darcy Boyce, Minister in the Prime Minister's Office of Barbados

Statement by His Excellency Kelfala Marah, Minister of Finance and Economic Development of Sierra Leone

Statement by His Excellency Seth Terkper, Minister of Finance and Economic Planning of Ghana

Statement by His Excellency Ratu Inoke Kubuabola, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Fiji

Statement by His Excellency Faamoetaulua Taito Faale Tumaalii, Minister for Natural Resources and Environment of Samoa

Statement by His Excellency Robert Dussey, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Togo

Statement by His Excellency Jayant Sinha, Minister of State for Finance of India

Statement by Her Excellency Cristina Duarte, Minister of Finance and Planning of Cabo Verde

Multi-stakeholder round tables

Round table 2

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 2

“Ensuring policy coherence and an enabling environment at all levels for sustainable development”

Co-Chairs

His Excellency Per Bolund, Minister for Financial Markets and Consumer Affairs, Sweden (TBC)

His Excellency Andrés Escobar Arango, Deputy Minister of Finance, Colombia (TBC)

Moderator

Mr. Min Zhu, Deputy Managing Director, International Monetary Fund

Panellists

His Excellency Thabo Mbeki, former President of South Africa and Chair, High-level Panel on Illicit Financial Flows, the African Union and the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa

Mr. Guy Ryder, Director-General, International Labour Organization

Ms. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Executive Director, United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Mr. Joseph Stiglitz, University Professor, Columbia University, and Co-President, Initiative for Policy Dialogue, New York, United States

Discussant

Mr. José Antonio Ocampo, Chair, Committee for Development Policy

Round table 3

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 2

“Global partnership and the three dimensions of sustainable development”

Co-Chairs

Her Excellency Justine Greening, Secretary of State for International Development, United Kingdom (TBC)

To be announced

Moderator

Ms. Helen Clark, Administrator, United Nations Development Programme

Panellists

His Excellency Maatia Toafa, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance and Economic Planning, Tuvalu

His Excellency Børge Brende, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Norway

Ms. Julia Gillard, Chair, Board of Directors, Global Partnership for Education

Ms. Hela Cheikhrouhou, Executive Director, Green Climate Fund

Discussants

Mr. Jeffrey Sachs, Director, The Earth Institute, Columbia University, New York, United States

Mr. Ambroise Fayolle, Vice-President, European Investment Bank

Announcements

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Accreditation

Delegations may refer to the protocol website ([click here](#)) for details of the accreditation procedure.

Credentials of representatives

Delegations are reminded that in accordance with Rule 3 of the Provisional Rules of Procedure of the Conference, credentials should be issued for all representatives, alternate representatives and advisers. Credentials should be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs, or in the case of the European Union, by the President of the European Council or the President of the European Commission. Credentials should be handed to the secretariat of the Credentials Committee (Room W12 on the ground floor of the ECA Conference Centre).

Bilateral meetings

For bilateral meetings among States at the Head of State or Government or ministerial level, eight rooms, each with a capacity to hold a maximum of ten participants, will be available on the ground floor of the United Nations Conference Centre, Addis Ababa. Requests for bilateral meetings should be e-mailed to emeetsm@un.org, with subject line "BILATS". Final confirmation of all room assignments will be given the day before the meeting. To prevent double booking, only the delegation initiating the bilateral meeting should submit the request. Reservations will be accepted for 20-minute durations. It is essential that all requests specify the date and time of each meeting, and include the name and level of the other delegation participating in the bilateral meeting. Every effort will be made to keep consecutive appointments of the same delegation in the same room.

Service hours will be from 08:00 to 18:00, from Monday, 13 July, to Thursday, 16 July 2015. Delegations requiring further information regarding bilateral requests should send an e-mail to emeetsm@un.org, with subject line “BILATS.”

General information

More details on the information below are available by [clicking here](#).

Information for participants

For inscriptions and questions regarding the list of speakers for plenary meetings, including updates and changes in the level of speakers, delegations are requested to contact Ms. Mary Muturi (e-mail muturi@un.org). Colleagues dealing with the list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be located at a table at the back of Conference Room 1 during plenary meetings.

Delegations are reminded that interventions in the plenary meetings should be limited to *five minutes*, on the understanding that this will not preclude the distribution of more extensive texts.

Delegations are requested to submit their statements electronically to Mr. David Ojwang (e-mail david.ojwang@unon.org) at *least one hour in advance* of the relevant meeting for posting on the Conference website. Delegations are also kindly requested to bring 30 copies of statements for services and should drop them off at the Conference Officers' table inside the conference room.

Distribution of official documents

Delegates are reminded to collect sets of official documents for the meeting from the Pigeon Holes located on the ground floor in the Conference Center. Each delegation is allotted only one set of documents, extra copies will be provided upon request at the documents booths next to Conference Rooms 1 and 2.

Information for United Nations-funded meeting participants

Please be advised that the current Daily Subsistence Allowance (DSA) Rate for Addis Ababa is \$207. DSA and terminal expenses can be collected at the Commercial Bank of Ethiopia (ECA branch), where the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) Executive Office will be located, at the Rotunda, ground floor, in the commercial area.

The Executive Office will be open to United Nations-funded participants beginning *today*, 13 July 2015, to collect the following documentations:

- (a) Passports;
- (b) Air tickets and itineraries confirming outbound flights from Addis Ababa; and
- (c) Boarding passes confirming inbound flights to Addis Ababa.

Once these documents have been submitted and reviewed, participants may collect their entitlements from the tellers at the bank.

Days of operation: Monday, 13, to Thursday, 16 July 2015, from 08:30 to 17:30.

Ministers who are unable to present their documents and collect DSA and terminal expenses in person may complete a waiver available at the Executive Office.

Live webcast coverage

The United Nations webcast services will provide live and on-demand coverage of the plenary meetings, round tables and press conferences. The webcast coverage is available on the UN Web TV website at <http://webtv.un.org>, in English and the original language of the speaker. Video interviews and conference videos will also be available to watch on-demand by [clicking here](#).

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