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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 20 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING
FOR DEVELOPMENT

MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE B1

Coherence in development

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

Conference Room 2

Co-Chairs: Czech Republic (H.E. Mr. Jan Kavan, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs); United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) (Mr. Rubens Ricupero, Secretary-General)

Member States:

African States: Angola, Botswana, Chad, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Lesotho, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Togo

Asian States: Bangladesh, China, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Malaysia, Oman, Qatar, Viet Nam, Sri Lanka, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam

Eastern European States: Czech Republic, Lithuania, Poland, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Peru, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay, Venezuela

Western European and other States: Australia, Denmark, Germany, Ireland, New Zealand, Sweden, United States of America

Institutional stakeholder participants: World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD); European Commission; United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA); World Food Programme (WFP); Financial Stability Forum

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Business sector participants: AB Volvo; Calvert Funds; Business Council for the United Nations; Capital Markets Credit Society; Allied Zurich; Samuels Associates; State Street Global Investor Services Group

Civil society participants: African Network for Environmental and Economic Justice; Catholic Committee against Hunger and for Development; Congregación de la Sagrada Familia; International Union for Land Value Tax; Network for African Women Economists; Women's International Coalition for Economic Justice

Participants wishing to follow the proceedings of the round tables may do so in the overflow rooms in Cineteca I and Cineteca II (Conference Rooms 8 and 9). A shuttle bus will run approximately every fifteen minutes from in front of the Cintermex to the Cineteca and Centro de los Artes (Conference Room 10). In addition, provisions are being made to broadcast one of the round tables in the morning and on in the afternoon to Conference Room 7 (Main Committee Room).

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MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE B2

Coherence in development

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

Conference Room 3

Co-Chairs: South Africa (H.E. Mr. Trevor Manuel, Minister of Finance); Netherlands (H.E. Mrs. Eveline Herfkens, Minister for Development Cooperation)

Member States:

African States: Burundi, Congo, Liberia, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mozambique, Niger, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, Uganda

Asian States: Bahrain, Bhutan, Cambodia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, Myanmar, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore

Eastern European States: Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Estonia, Russian Federation, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay

Western European and other States: France, Liechtenstein, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Switzerland

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD); United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM); Latin American Economic System (SELA); IUCN-The World Conservation Union

Business sector participants: BRED Banque Populaire; Eurorient; ESKOM; Grupo Empresarial Olmea; KfW; Soros Fund Management; Money Matters Institute

Civil society participants: All Pakistan Federation of Labour (APFOL); CIDSE; Espacio Autónomo; Instituto Brasileiro de Analysis Sociais e Economicas (IBASE); Oxfam International; Bretton Woods Projects; Third World Network

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MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE B3

Coherence in development

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

Conference Room 2

Co-Chairs: Nepal (Dr. Ram Sharan Mehat, Minister of Finance); Inter-American Development Bank (Mr. Enrique Iglesias, President)

Member States:

African States: Cameroon, Comoros, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Libyan Arab Republic, Sudan, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia

Asian States: Japan, Kazakhstan, Malaysia, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia

Eastern European States: Azerbaijan, Georgia, Hungary, Slovakia, Ukraine

Latin American and Caribbean States: Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala

Western European and other States: Belgium, Iceland, Israel, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Spain, Turkey

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); Inter-American Development Bank (IDB); Organization of the Islamic Conference (OIC); Banco Centroamericano de Integración Económica; Pacific Island Forum

Business sector participants: Business Council for Sustainable Development (Mexico); Business Council for the United Nations; Federation of Israeli Chambers of Commerce and Industry; TechniQuímica; Potomac Associates; Standard & Poor's; Upstart Business Strategies

Civil society participants: African Center for Empowerment Gender and Advocacy (ACEGA); ATTAC/Norwegian Forum for Environment and Development; Intermon Oxfam; WFUNA/UNA-Argentina; Campaign to Reform the World Bank; World Council of Churches (EcuTeam); Third World Network

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MINISTERIAL ROUND TABLE B4

*Coherence in development*3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

Conference Room 3

Co-Chairs: Barbados (Mr. Owen A. Arthur, Prime Minister and Minister of Finance); European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (Mr. Jean Lemierre, President)

Member States:

African States: Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Kenya, Mauritius, Morocco, Sao Tome and Principe, Swaziland

Asian States: Qatar, Thailand

Eastern European States: Armenia, Latvia, Yugoslavia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile

Western European and other States: Austria, Canada, Finland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Holy See

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD); International Labour Organization (ILO); Islamic Development Bank; Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)

Business sector participants: Business Council on Sustainable Development-Argentina; China Online; Cisco Systems; Grupo IMSA; World Economic Forum; FireXchange; Vistech Corporation

Civil society participants: Environmental Development Action in the Third World (ENDA); Grupo Género y Economía; Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy (IATP); InterAction; World Economy, Ecology and Development (WEED)

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The Credentials Committee will meet *today*, 20 March 2002, at 2 p.m. in the CAINTRA Board Room.

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There will be a meeting of the Bureau of the Economic and Social Council *today*, 20 March 2002, at 7 p.m. in the CAINTRA Board Room.

MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

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Wednesday, 20 March 2002

GROUP OF 77
(*at the ministerial level*)

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| 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 1 |
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LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES
(*at the ministerial level*)

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| 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. | closed meeting | Caucus Room 1 |
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* Followed by a reception.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 21 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

9 a.m.-
1 p.m. 3rd PLENARY MEETING Conference Room 1

Summit segment [10]

(a) General exchange of views

1. His Excellency Mr. Hugo Chávez Frías, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)
2. His Excellency Mr. José María Aznar, President of the Government of the Kingdom of Spain (on behalf of the European Union)
3. His Excellency Mr. Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
4. His Excellency Mr. Alejandro Toledo Manrique, President of the Republic of Peru
5. His Excellency Mr. Leo Falcam, President of the Federated States of Micronesia
6. His Excellency Mr. Agbényomé Messan Kodjo, Prime Minister of the Togolese Republic
7. His Excellency Mr. Guy Verhofstadt, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Belgium
8. His Excellency The Right Honourable Jean Chrétien, Prime Minister of Canada
9. His Excellency Mr. José Maria Pereira Neves, Prime Minister of the Republic of Cape Verde
10. His Excellency Mr. Thabo Mbeki, President of the Republic of South Africa
11. His Excellency Mr. Tommy Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau
12. His Excellency Mr. Francisco Guillermo Flores Pérez, President of the Republic of El Salvador
13. His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Denzil Douglas, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Development, Planning and National Security of Saint Kitts and Nevis
14. His Excellency Mr. Enrique Bolaños Geyer, President of the Republic of Nicaragua
15. His Excellency Mr. Boris Trajkovski, President of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
16. His Excellency Mr. Jorge Battle Ibáñez, President of the Eastern Republic of Uruguay
17. His Excellency Mr. Festus Mogae, President of the Republic of Botswana
18. His Excellency Mr. Ricardo Maduro Joest, President of the Republic of Honduras
19. His Excellency Mr. Hipólito Mejía Domínguez, President of the Dominican Republic
20. His Excellency Dr. Pascoal Manuel Mocumbi, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mozambique
21. His Majesty King Abdullah Bin Al Hussein, King of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
22. His Excellency Mr. Abderrahman Youssoufi, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Morocco
23. His Excellency Mr. Miguel Ángel Rodríguez Echeverría, President of the Republic of Costa Rica

24. His Excellency The Honourable Ralph Gonsalves, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Planning, Economic Development, Labour, Information, Grenadines and Legal Affairs of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
25. His Excellency Mr. Stjepan Mesić, President of the Republic of Croatia
26. Her Excellency Mrs. Tarja Halonen, President of the Republic of Finland
27. His Excellency Mr. Ion Iliescu, President of Romania
28. His Excellency Mr. Carlos Lage Dávila, Vice-President of the Republic of Cuba

3 p.m.-
9 p.m.

4h PLENARY MEETING

Conference Room 1

1. His Excellency Mr. Andrés Pastrana Arango, President of the Republic of Colombia
2. His Excellency Mr. Kjell Magne Bondevik, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Norway
3. His Excellency Mr. Thaksin Shivawatra, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand
4. His Excellency Mr. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal
5. His Excellency Mr. Nagoum Yamassoum, Prime Minister of the Republic of Chad
6. Her Excellency Mrs. Mireya Elisa Moscoso Rodríguez, President of the Republic of Panama
7. His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Ghannouchi, Prime Minister of the Republic of Tunisia
8. His Excellency El Hadj Omar Bongo, President of the Gabonese Republic
9. His Excellency Mr. Abdelaziz Bouteflika, President of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
10. His Excellency The Right Honourable Owen Arthur, MP, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs of Barbados
11. His Excellency Mr. Eduardo Duhalde, President of the Argentine Republic
12. His Excellency Mr. Jorge Quiroga Ramirez, President of the Republic of Bolivia
13. His Excellency Mr. Teofisto Guingona, Jr., Vice-President and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Philippines
14. His Excellency Mr. Roni Milo, Minister for Regional Cooperation of Israel
15. His Excellency The Honourable Majozi Sithole, Minister for Finance of Swaziland
16. Central African Republic
17. His Excellency Mr. Charles Goerens, Minister for Cooperation and Humanitarian Action of Luxembourg
18. His Excellency The Honourable Saufatu Sopoanga, Minister of Finance, Economic Planning and Industries of Tuvalu
19. United Republic of Tanzania
20. His Excellency The Honourable Alex Bartlett, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Solomon Islands
21. His Excellency Dr. Ibrahim Al-Assaf, Minister of Finance and National Economy of Saudi Arabia

22. His Excellency Lyonpo Yeshey Zimba, Minister of Finance of Bhutan
23. His Excellency Mr. Xiang Huaicheng, Minister of Finance and Representative of the Chinese President, His Excellency Mr. Jiang Zeming
24. His Excellency Mr. Volodymyr Pershyn, State Secretary, Ministry of Economy and for European Integration of Ukraine
25. His Excellency Mr. Dorodjatun Kuntjorojakti, Coordinating Minister for Economy and Finance of Indonesia
26. His Excellency Mr. Joseph Deiss, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Switzerland
27. His Excellency Mr. Kermechend Raghoebarsing, Minister of Planning and Development Cooperation of Suriname
28. His Excellency The Honourable Joseph Henry Mensah, Senior Minister for Government and Business of Ghana
29. His Excellency Mr. Shaukat Aziz, Minister of Finance of Pakistan
30. His Excellency Mr. Carlos Julio Emanuel, Minister of Economy and Finance of Ecuador
31. His Excellency Mr. El Hadj Oumar Kouyaté, Minister of State for Planning of Guinea
32. His Excellency Mr. Bosse Ringholm, Minister of Finance of Sweden
33. His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Ould Nany, Minister of Economic Affairs and Development of Mauritania
34. His Excellency Dr. Per Strig Moller, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark
35. His Excellency The Honourable John Dalli, Minister of Finance of Malta
36. His Excellency Mr. M. Saifur Rahman, Minister of Finance and Planning of Bangladesh
37. His Excellency Mr. Raymond Lim, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs and Trade and Industry of Singapore
38. Her Excellency Ms. Liz O'Donnell, T.D., Minister for Development Cooperation of Ireland
39. His Excellency Mr. Abdullah bin Khalid Al-Attiyah, Governor of the Central Bank of Qatar
40. His Excellency The Honourable Julian Hunte, Minister for External Affairs of Saint Lucia
41. Her Excellency Ms. Delia Grybauskaite, Minister of Finance of Lithuania
42. His Excellency The Honourable Mohlabi Tsokoa, Minister of Finance and Planning of Lesotho
43. Her Excellency Mrs. Heidemarie Nieczorek-Zeul, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany
44. His Excellency Mr. Maris Riekstinš, Secretary of State of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Latvia
45. His Excellency Mr. Andreas Lovendos, Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece
46. Her Excellency Ms. Anne Konate, Vice-Minister in charge of Economic Development of Burkina Faso
47. His Excellency Mr. Franz Morak, State Secretary of Austria

48. Her Excellency Mrs. Selica Minić, Vice-Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs of Yugoslavia
49. His Excellency Archbishop Renato Martino, Chairman of the Delegation of the Holy See
50. Her Excellency Ms. Madina Jarbussynova, Chairperson of the Delegation of Kazakhstan
51. His Excellency Dr. Warnasena Rasaputram Chairman of the Delegation of Sri Lanka
52. His Excellency Mr. Mohammad Abdulhassan, Chairman of the Delegation of Kuwait
53. His Excellency Mr. Nouhad Mahmoud, Chairman of the Delegation of Lebanon
54. His Excellency Mr. Altai Efendiev, Chairman of the Delegation of Azerbaijan
55. His Excellency Mr. Fredrick Pitcher, Chairman of the Delegation of Nauru
56. His Excellency Mr. Guyla Nemeth, Chairman of the Delegation of Hungary

SUMMET ROUND TABLE C3

Looking ahead

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

Conference Room 2

Co-Chairs: Costa Rica; Peru; World Trade Organization (WTO)

Member States:

African States: Angola, Burundi, Congo, Egypt, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Lesotho, Madagascar, Mauritius, Somalia, Swaziland

Asian States: Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Iraq, Japan, Marshall Islands, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia

Eastern European States: Belarus, Estonia, Georgia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay, Venezuela

Western European and other States: Austria, Canada, Italy, Norway, Portugal, Turkey, Netherlands

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD); European Commission; Common Fund for Commodities

Business sector participants: Violy Byorum & Partners Holdings; Bank of Philippines; Samuels Associates; COPARMEX; Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services; BRED Banque Populaire; Zurich Group

Civil society participants: International Confederation for Free Trade Unions (ICFTU)/ORIT; International Council for Social Welfare (ICSW); Liberal Society Institute; South African Council of Churches (Ecumenical Team); Rural Reconstruction Nepal; Women's Eyes on the Multilaterals/Alcadero; Development Alternatives with Women (DAWN)

SUMMET ROUND TABLE C4

Looking ahead

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

Conference Room 3

Co-Chairs: Romania; Thailand

Member States:

African States: Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape-Verde, Central African Republic, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mozambique, Sao Tome and Principe, Seychelles, Sudan, Uganda

Asian States: Bhutan, Islamic Republic of Iran, Malaysia, Oman, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia

Eastern European States: Romania, Slovenia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, El Salvador, Costa Rica

Western European and other States: Iceland, Holy See, Monaco, Switzerland

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); Commonwealth Secretariat; Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD); International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent

Business sector participants: African Business Round Table; Calvert Funds; Electrolux; Potomac Associates; GTFI Fund Management; Soros Fund Management; Cisneros Group of Companies

Civil society participants: Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era (DAWN)/Iniciativa; Focus on the Global South; Gender and Economic Reforms in Africa; Red Thread/Women's Environment and Development Organization (WEDO); World Confederation of Labor (WCL); North-South Institute/Social Watch

SUMMET ROUND TABLE C1

Looking ahead

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

Conference Room 2

Co-Chairs: Belgium; World Bank

Member States:

African States: Algeria, Botswana, Cameroon, Comoros, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Kenya, Malawi, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Togo

Asian States: Bangladesh, India, Jordan, Maldives, Nepal, Singapore, Syrian Arab Republic, Viet Nam

Eastern European States: Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Poland, Russian Federation, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Colombia, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana

Western European and other States: Australia, Belgium, New Zealand, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; World Bank; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Trade Organization (WTO); World Health Organization (WHO); United Nations Development Programme (UNDP); OPEC Fund for International Development

Business sector participants: CEMEX; Cisneros; GF Securities; ONDEO Suez; Institute of Liberty and Democracy; Standard & Poor's; Total Fina Elf

Civil society participants: Canadian Labor Congress; Country Women Association of Nigeria (COWAN); Jubilee Debt Program; Mexican Action Network for Free Trade (RMALC); International Confederation of Free Trade Unions; Center for Development Studies/Arab NGO Network for Development

SUMMET ROUND TABLE C2

Looking ahead

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

Conference Room 3

Co-Chairs: Zambia; International Monetary Fund

Member States:

African States: Chad, Ethiopia, Gabon, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Niger, Rwanda, United Republic of Tanzania, Tunisia, Zambia, Zimbabwe

Asian States: Fiji, Kuwait, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam

Eastern European States: Armenia, Hungary, Lithuania, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Yugoslavia

Latin American and Caribbean States: Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru

Western European and other States: Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Israel, Malta

Institutional stakeholder participants: United Nations; International Monetary Fund (IMF); World Bank; World Trade Organization (WTO); United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD); Inter-American Development Bank (IDB); Andean Community

Business sector participants: Business Coordinator Council; CISCO; GRUPO ICA; International Chamber of Commerce; Securitas; Société du Louvre; Ultraquimia Group

Civil society participants: African Forum and Network on Debt Development (AFRODAD); Iniciativa Cartagena/Women's Popular Education Network; International Confederation of Free Trade Unions (ICFTU); Oxfam International; Women's Environment and Development Organisation (WEDO); African Women's Economic Policy Network (AWEPON/EcuTeam); Instituto del Tercer Mundo/Social Watch

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Monday, 18 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

2nd plenary meeting

Ministerial segment [9]

(a) General exchange of views

The Conference began consideration of agenda item 9 (a).

Intergovernmental economic, financial, monetary and trade bodies and regional development banks

Statements were made by the Chairman of the Development Committee, the President of Economic and Social Council, the Chairman of the G-10, the Chairman of the G-20, the Chairman of the G-24, the Chairman of the Financial Stability Forum and the President of the Asian Development Bank.

Reports on activities by relevant stakeholders [8 (c)]

The Conference resumed consideration of sub-item 8 (c) and heard statements by the Chairman of the Preparatory Committee on the World Summit for Sustainable Development and the Co-Chairpersons of the Ministerial Seminar of the Global Environmental Facility.

General exchange of views [8 (a)]

The Conference resumed consideration of sub-item 8 (a) and heard statements by the Vice-President of the Islamic Development Bank and the Vice-Governor of the Council of Europe's Development Bank.

Ministerial segment [9]

(a) General exchange of views

The Conference resumed consideration of agenda item 9 (a).

United Nations bodies and intergovernmental organizations

Statements were made by the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), the President of the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), the Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF),

the Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), the Director-General of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), the Executive Director of the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), the Deputy Secretary-General of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), the Assistant Secretary-General of the Organization of African Unity, the Assistant Secretary-General of the Caribbean Community Secretariat (CARICOM), the Chief Economist of the Commonwealth Secretariat, and the head of delegation of the Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie, the Managing Director of the Common Fund for Commodities, the President of the Latin American Parliament, The Executive Director of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (Habitat), the Assistant Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the Deputy Executive Director of the World Food Programme (WFP), the Executive Director of the United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM), the head of delegation of the International Labour Organisation (ILO), the Director of Strategy of the World Health Organization and the Director-General of the Global Programme (HIV/AIDS).

(c) Report of business and civil society forums

The Conference began consideration of agenda item 9 (c).

Statements were made by the Secretary-General of International Chamber of Commerce (on behalf of the the International business forum), the President of ALCADECO (on behalf of the civil society forum), the representative of the Mexican Senate (on behalf of the Parliamentarians forum) and the Mayor of Monterrey (on behalf of the local authorities forum).

Consideration of the draft Monterrey Consensus [9 (b)]

The ministerial segment adopted the draft Monterrey Consensus and transmitted it to the summit segment.

Organizational matters

The Co-President made a statement

The Co-President also thanked the donors to the Financing for Development Trust Fund.

Tuesday, 19 March 2002

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING
FOR DEVELOPMENT**

Ministerial segment

Ministerial Round Table A1

Partnership in financing for development

The Co-Chairmen of round table A1, H.E. Dr. Paa Kwesi Nduom, Minister for Economic Planning and Regional Cooperation (Ghana), H.E. Mr. Charles Josselin, Minister for Cooperation and Francophonie (France), and H.E. Mrs. Heidemarie Wieczorek-Zeul, Federal Minister of Economic Cooperation and Development (Germany), opened the ministerial round table and made introductory statements.

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, the Republic of Korea, Argentina, Canada, Bolivia, the United States of America, Viet Nam, Nepal, Greece, Samoa, Bhutan, China, Norway, Ukraine, Sri Lanka, Portugal, Burkina Faso, Bangladesh, Brazil, Lithuania, Belize, Angola, Botswana, Chile, Cape Verde and Sudan.

Statements were made by the following institutional stakeholder participants: Economic and Social Commission for West Asia (ESCWA), United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Statements were made by the following business sector participants: Suez, Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services, Deutsche Bank Research, and Barra Mexicana Colegio de Abogados, Von Wobeser y Sierra, SC.

Statements were made by the following civil society participants: United Nations Association – Dominican Republic, Friedrich Ebert Foundation, United Nations Association – Denmark, Asociación de Economistas de America Latina y el Caribe/Brasil, International Gender and Trade Network, Center of Concern, and Forum for African Alternatives (EcuTeam).

The Co-Chairmen made concluding remarks.

Ministerial Round Table A2

Partnership in financing for development

The Co-Chairmen, H.E. Mr. Didier Opertti-Badan, Minister of Foreign Affairs (Uruguay), and H.E. Mr. Myoung-Ho Shin, Vice-President of the Asian Development Bank, opened the ministerial round table and made introductory statements.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Italy, Cuba, Denmark, Ecuador, Tunisia, El Salvador, the Dominican Republic, Monaco, Nepal, Colombia, Djibouti, Lao People's Democratic Republic (on behalf of the Land-locked developing countries), New Zealand (on behalf of the Pacific

Islands), Egypt, Costa Rica, Malta and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The following representatives of the institutional stakeholder made statements: Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations (FAO); Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD); Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP); World Bank; and International Monetary Fund (IMF).

The following representatives of the business sector made statements: Grupo Emyco, Samuels Associates; Potomac Associates, Moody's Investor Service, Evian Group, Uganda Small Business Enterprise and Grameen Phone.

The following representatives of the civil society made statements: International Confederation of Free Trade Unions (ICFTU), Quaker United Nations Office (QUNO), World Association of Former United Nations Interns and Fellows and KULU Women in Development/WEDO.

The Co-Chairmen made concluding remarks.

Ministerial Round Table A3

Partnership in financing for development

The Co-Chairmen, Mr. Shaukat Aziz, Minister of Finance (Pakistan), and Mr. Mark Malloch Brown, Administrator, United Nations Development Programme, opened the ministerial round table.

Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Morocco, Australia, Guyana, Guatemala, United States of America, Mali, Czech Republic, Liechtenstein, Iceland, Finland, Ireland, Honduras, Netherlands, Panama, Russian Federation, Switzerland, South Africa, Jamaica, Yugoslavia, Namibia, Mexico and Ethiopia.

The following representatives of the institutional stakeholder made statements: UNAIDS, Common Fund for Commodities, Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) and European Commission.

The following representatives of the business sector made statements: International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), AMBAC Financial Group Inc., Daimler Chrysler, Securities Industries Association (SIA), Cisneros Group of Companies, Union Bank of the Philippines.

The following representatives of the civil society made statements: Carter Center, World Confederation of Labour (WCL), United Methodist Church, Social Watch Asia, Swedish Labor Organization (ICFTU), Maryknoll Sisters of St. Dominic, Center for Global Development, Instituto Brasileiro de Análisis Sociais e Economicas (IBASE)

*Ministerial Round Table A4**Partnership in financing for development*

The Co-Chairmen, H.E. Mr. Muger Isarescu, Governor of the National Bank of Romania, and Mr. K.Y. Amoako, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa, opened the round table.

Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, the Philippines, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Mozambique, Peru, India, Suriname, Spain, Slovakia, Sweden, Cameroon, Austria, Tuvalu, Venezuela, Turkey, Brunei Darussalam, Saint Lucia, Georgia, Mauritius, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Mongolia, Trinidad and Tobago and Tonga.

The following representatives of institutional stakeholders made statements: United Nations Human Settlements Pro-

gramme (Habitat), Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

The following representatives of the business sector made statements: Frank Russell Company, African Business Round Table, Spring Investment Corporation, Financial Services Volunteer Corps (FSVC).

The following representatives of civil society made statements: Japan Network on Debt and Poverty, Church of Norway (EcuTeam), KARAT Coalition, World Council of Churches (EcuTeam), National Association of Economists, Development Network of Indigenous Volunteer Associations.

The Co-Chairmen made concluding remarks.

ANNOUNCEMENTS*Round tables*

Member States that have not yet signed for the various round tables, to be held *today*, 20 March, and *tomorrow*, 21 March 2002, are kindly requested to do so at the Office of the Secretary of the Conference (CAINTRA 3).

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Press conferences

Press conferences will be held *today*, 20 March 2002, in the Cintermex Press Conference Room, as follows:

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| 9 a.m. | Mark Malloch Brown (UNDP); Jeffrey Sachs, Special Advisor to the United Nations Secretary-General |
| 10 a.m. | Thoraya Obaid (UNFPA) |
| 10.30 a.m. | Phyllis Cuttino (Better World Fund) |
| 11 a.m. | Gro Harlem Brundtland (World Health Organization); Julio Frenk, Minister of Health of Mexico; Hilde Frafjord Johnson, Minister of Development Cooperation of Norway |
| 12 noon | Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference |
| 12.45 p.m. | Launch of the Social Watch Report 2002 |
| 1.30 p.m. | Jorge Castañeda Gutman, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Mexico |
| 2 p.m. | Paul O'Neil, United States Treasury Secretary |

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| 2.30 p.m. | José Piqué, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Spain; Poul Nielson, European Commissioner for Development and Humanitarian Aid, European Commission |
| 3 p.m. | Carlos Julio Emanuel, President of the Ecuador Delegation, Economic and Financial Minister and President of Corporación Andina de Fomento |
| 3.30 p.m. | Baroness Amos; Gus O'Donnel, United Kingdom; Barrie Ireton (United Kingdom) |
| 4 p.m. | NGO Caucus of the United States and NGO Caucus of Europe |
| 4.30 p.m. | Arjun Karki (Rural Reconstruction of Nepal); Huguette Bokpe Gnacadja (Benin); Jean-Pierre Ouedraogo (Burkina Faso); Elizabeth Eilor (Uganda) |
| 5 p.m. | President Olusegun Obasanjo, Nigeria; Rubens Ricupero (UNCTAD); Maria Levanos Cattai, (ICC); Michael Treschow (Electrolux); Alhaji Tukur (African Business Round Table) |
| 5.45 p.m. | Mexican Government press briefing |
| 6.30 p.m. | Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference |

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Registration

The registration centre for all Conference participants, members of non-governmental organizations and media representatives is located in the tent at the entrance of the Cintermex. The centre will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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List of participants

Delegations that have not already submitted the names of their representatives participating at the International Conference on Financing for Development are kindly requested to do so as soon as possible to the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service, located at Bancomex on the second level of the Conference Center Office (tel.: 8130-5881 or 8130-5882). Delegations that wish to make corrections to the provisional list of participants are requested to contact the same office.

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Bilateral meetings

During the summit segment of the International Conference on Financing for Development, on Thursday and Friday, 21 and 22 March 2002, 6 small lounges/booths will be available from 9.30 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. for bilateral meetings in Conference Rooms 5 and 6, located in the second floor of the Cintermex Conference Centre. A reservation system has been instituted for the provision of equitable and efficient use of these facilities. Delegations are requested to contact the office of Mr. Augusto Rabellino, located in the CAINTRA section of the first floor of the Conference Centre (tel.: (81) 8191-6794). The address of the Centre is the following:

International Conference on Financing
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Col. Obrera, CP 64010
Monterrey, N.L.
México

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Distribution of documents

Delegations are reminded that those document boxes or pigeon-holes are exclusively for the distribution of *official conference documentation*. Participants wishing to circulate documents for information purposes, for which tables are located outside the conference rooms, are requested to forward two copies of such document to Mr. Lixian Xiong, Documents Submission Officer (CAINTRA 8). Delegates wishing to distribute any papers in the conference room are requested to contact the secretary of the meeting concerned.

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Circulation of speeches

Delegations wishing to circulate their speeches to all participants are requested to provide 450 copies to the Conference Officer, at the counter outside Conference Room 1

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Distribution of statements to the medias

Delegations who wish to make their speeches available to the media in hard copy should provide a minimum of 300 copies to the documents counter in the Media Centre.

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FfD on the Internet

The United Nations Department of Public Information is providing live coverage of the Conference through the World Wide Web. Internet users around the world are able to follow the Conference proceedings by viewing the live webcast and access information, such as press releases, daily highlights, official documents, daily *Journal*, statements and other information material, at <www.un.org.ffd>. Delegations may send their statements for posting on the official Conference Web site to the following e-mail address: webcast@un.org

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Security

The Security and Safety Service of the Conference has requested that the participants take their belongings with them at the conclusion of each meeting. For security reasons, belongings such as briefcases should not be left unattended at any time.

All participants to the Conference are reminded that it is essential for them to wear their Conference passes at all times when they are at the Conference site. Passes should be worn on the outermost garment in order for security and safety personnel to see them clearly.

SUMMIT SEGMENT
(21-22 March 2002)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 2) for the Summit segment is now available. Delegations may pick up a copy from Ms. Carmencita Dizon (CAINTRA 4). Delegations are requested to inform the Secretariat of the Conference of the name of their speaker if they have not done so at this time.

Announcement

A list of side events is contained in a document, issued in English only (see DAILY LIST OF SIDE EVENTS No.4).

PROTOCOL AND SOCIAL EVENTS

TODAY, 20 MARCH, from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. - MINISTERIAL DINNER

The Minister of Foreign Affairs, Dr. Jorge Castañeda, the Minister of Finance, Dr. Francisco Gil Díaz, and the Minister of Economy, Dr. Luis Ernesto Derbez, will host a dinner in honour of the Ministers participating in the Conference. Individual invitations will be forwarded to delegations. This dinner will be held at VITRO Headquarters.

For information, please contact Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre (tel.: 0155 5456-9939 or 8369-6510/11).

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH, from 7.45 a.m. to 8.55 a.m. - WELCOMING RECEPTION

The President of Mexico, the First Lady and the Secretary General of the United Nations and Mrs. Annan will hold a welcoming reception in honor of the Heads of State and Government. Arrivals will begin at 7.45 a.m. Upon arrival to Cintermex Center, VVIP's and members of their parties will be escorted by Protocol officers to the second floor where they will be greeted by their hosts. Heads of State and Government and Vice-Presidents may be accompanied by their spouses, by one senior member of their delegation and by an interpreter if necessary. Refreshments will be served.

Individual motorcades and buses with VVIP's will be greeted by United Nations Protocol at the main entrance of the Cintermex Center. Security members and other service personnel will be guided, upon arrival, to a special holding area. Media coverage will be provided.

On Thursday, 21 March, from 7.30 a.m. to 9 a.m., the main entrance to the Cintermex Center will be reserved exclusively for Heads of State and Government arriving to the Welcoming Ceremony.

During that period of time, all other delegates will be admitted to the Cintermex Center through the Arcade entrance and the one next to it on the right. There will be signs indicating those entrances. Delegates will use stairs and elevators to reach the top floor and the Plenary hall. It is important to note that access to the top floor of the Cintermex Center and the Plenary hall on 21 and 22 March will be open only to the participants with six access cards to the Plenary hall and/or three access cards for the round tables.

For information, please contact the United Nations Protocol Office (tel.: 8130-5881 or 8130-5882).

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH, from 1.30 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. – LUNCHEON

The Governor of the State of Nuevo León and Mrs. Canales Clariond will host a Luncheon in honour of Heads of State and Government and their spouses. Invitations will be forwarded to delegations. The Luncheon will be held at the Centro de las Artes, Parque Fundidora, (a location near the Cintermex Center). They can be accompanied by up to 2 to 3 persons per delegation, who will be invited to a buffet-luncheon in an adjoining tent.

For information, please contact Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre (tel.: 0155 5456-9939 or 8369-6510/11).

THURSDAY, 21 MARCH. – from 8.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m.- DINNER

The President of Mexico and Mrs. Fox will host a dinner in honour of the Heads of State and Government, Heads of Delegations, Ministers and their spouses. Invitations will be forwarded to delegations. The dinner will be held at Parque "Sopladores" Fundidora, a location adjacent to the Cintermex Center.

The dress code for this event: ladies cocktail, gentlemen dark suit, or national costume.

For information, please contact Ms. Maricarmen Aguirre (tel.: 0155 5456-9939 or 8369-6510/11).

FRIDAY, 22 MARCH, from 11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. - RETREAT

The President of Mexico is holding a retreat reunion, in the Museum of Mexican History, for Heads of State and Government attending the Summit followed by a luncheon at the same venue. Participation in this event will be restricted to Heads of State and Government. One member of their delegation can go with them and will be accommodated in an adjoining room.