

SCHEDULE OF PRESS CONFERENCES

Office of the Spokeswoman for the Conference

18 March 2002, 20:30

Cintermex Press Conference Room

Tuesday, 19 March 2002

- 9:00 am** “Expectations for the International Conference on Financing for Development”, Mark Malloch Brown, United Nations Development Programme Administrator, George Soros, President and Chairman, Soros Fund Management.
- 9:45 am** “Report of the Committee on Development Assistance”, Jean-Claude Faure, President of the Development Assistance Committee, and Seiichi Kondo, Deputy General-Secretary of the Organisation for Economic Co-operations and Development.
- 10:30 am** “Announcement of Increase in European Union Official Development Assistance”, Poul Nielson, European Commissioner for Development and Humanitarian Aid, European Union.
- 11:15 a.m.** “Another World is Possible”, Rogate Mshana, World Council of Churches, Angel Luis Rivera Agosto, Latin American Council of Churches, Jocelyn Dow, Women’s Environment and Development Organization and Joy Kennedy, Ecumenical Team. Sponsored by the Government of Norway.
- 12:00 noon** Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference, with guest, the Chair of G-77, Luis Alfonso Davila, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Venezuela, or Milos Alcalay, Ambassador of Venezuela to the United Nations.
- 1:00 pm** “Home Ownership through Housing finance”, Anna Kajumulo Tibajuka, Executive Director of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-HABITAT), with Felipe de Jesus Contú, Mayor of Monterrey.
- 2:00 pm** Alan Larson, Under Secretary for Economic, Business and Agricultural Affairs, United States of America
- 2:30 pm** “E-Finance for Development”, Rouben Indjikian, Head of E-Finance, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
- 3:00 pm** British Overseas NGOs for Development (BOND), sponsored by the UN Financing for Development Secretariat.
- 3:30 pm** Carol Bellamy, Executive Director, United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF)
- 4:00 pm** Government of Mexico: Reyes Tamez, Secretary of Education, Josefina Vazquez, Secretary of Social Development, Julio Frenk, Secretary of Health.
- 4:30 pm** Jimmy Carter, former USA President, Chairman of the Carter Center. Sponsored by the UN Financing for Development Secretariat.

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- 5:00 pm** “Enabling developing countries to participate in international trade”, Mr. Carlos A. Magariños, Director General, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO).
- 6:00 pm** “Partnerships – a civil society view on today’s roundtable”, Leonor Briones, Economic Advisor, Social Watch Asia, Marilyn Clement, Executive Secretary, United Methodist Church, Sister Helene O’Sullivan, Maryknoll Sisters of St. Dominic, Paul Nehru Tennessee, Director, World Confederation of Labour (WCL), Lena Westerlund, Senior International Economist, Swedish Trade Union Confederation (LO-S)/International Confederation of Trade Unions (ICFTU). Sponsored by the Government of Sweden.
- 6:30 pm** Daily press briefing by the Spokeswoman of the Conference

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