



# CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE ROAD TO RIO

11-13 October, 2011 ♦ Algiers, Algeria



## TUESDAY, 11 OCTOBER

9.30-10.00	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
10.00-11.00	<p><b>OPENING and WELCOME</b> This session will introduce the participants, and set out the objectives of the meeting, as well as the underlying challenges and concerns. In particular, it will place the climate process, as well as the Rio+20 process, in the context of emerging challenges.</p> <p><b>10:00-11:00 Welcome Remarks and Introduction to the Meeting</b></p> <p><b>H.E. Mr. Mourad Medelci</b>, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Algeria</p> <p><b>H.E. Mr. Cherif Rahmani</b>, Minister of Spatial Planning and Environment, Algeria</p> <p><b>Mr. Mamadou Mbaye</b>, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative of Algeria</p> <p><b>Mr. Adel Abdellatif</b>, Chief, Regional Programme Division, UNDP RBAS</p>
11.00-11.30	<b>BREAK</b>
11.30-13.00	<p><b>THE POLITICAL PROCESS: Bali, Copenhagen, Cancun, Durban, Rio+20, and beyond</b> This session will set out the main set up of international negotiations, including critical questions, milestones, players, negotiating blocs, and future prospects.</p> <p><b>11:30-11:40 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b></p> <p><b>H.E. Ms. Latifa Benazza</b>, Ambassador, Director of Environment and Sustainable Development, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Algeria</p> <p><b>Mr. Mootaz Khalil</b>, Deputy Assistant Minister of Foreign Affairs for Minister's Office, Egypt</p> <p><b>11:40-11:55 Ms. Fatma El-Mallah</b>, Advisor to the Secretary-General on Climate Change, League of Arab States (LAS)</p> <p><b>11:55-12:25 Mr. Lumumba Di-Aping</b>, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of South Sudan</p> <p><b>12:25-12:55 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>12:55-13:00 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b></p>
13.00-14.30	<b>LUNCH</b>
14.30-16.00	<p><b>MITIGATION:</b> This session will focus on the first major pillar of the climate challenge, its key features and</p>

	<p>challenges, recent history, science-policy debates and trends in emissions scenarios, and future prospects.</p> <p><b>14:30-14:40 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Abdelkader Benhadjoudja</b>, Cabinet Chief to the Minister, Ministry of Spatial Planning and Environment, Algeria</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Mohamed El Mourid</b>, Regional Coordinator for North Africa Program, ICARDA</p> <p><b>14:40-14:55 From Cancun to Durban</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Fernando Castellanos Silveira</b>, Programme Officer, Executive Direction and Management Programme, UNFCCC Secretariat</p> <p><b>14:55-15:10 The Greenhouse Development Rights Framework</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Thomas Athanasiou</b>, Executive Director, Ecoequity</p> <p><b>15:10-15:55 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>15:55-16:00 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b></p>
<b>16.00-16.15</b>	<b>BREAK</b>
<b>16.15-17.45</b>	<p><b>SUSTAINABLE ENERGY:</b> This session will look at one of the key drivers of climate change (from mitigation and adaptation perspectives), and its solution. Topics covered will include: reviews of the most recent energy data, energy policies that further sustainable development; and trends in energy access, energy efficiency and renewable energy.</p> <p><b>16:15-16:25 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Badis Derradji</b>, CEO of New Energy Algeria (NEAL), Ministry of Energy and Mines, Algeria</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Adel Abdellatif</b>, Chief, Regional Programme Division, UNDP RBAS</p> <p><b>16:25-16:40 The AGECC Report and Recommendations on Sustainable Energy for All</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Mr. Guillermo Jiménez-Blasco</b>, UNIDO Representative in Algeria</p> <p><b>16:40-16:55 Renewable Energy Options</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Ms. Rabia Ferroukhi</b>, Senior Policy Officer, IRENA</p> <p><b>16:55-17:40 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>17:40-17:45 Chairs Concluding Remarks and Overview of Next Day</b></p>

## WEDNESDAY, 12 OCTOBER

<b>9.00-10.30</b>	<b>ADAPTATION</b> This session will take up the second pillar of the climate agenda, setting out its key challenges and features, approaches, and initiatives.  <b>9:00-9:25 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b>  <b>Mr. Smati Abdelouahab</b> , Director of Water Resources Mobilization, Ministry of Water Resources, Algeria  <b>Mr. Fernando Castellanos Silveira</b> , Programme Officer, Executive Direction and Management Programme, UNFCCC Secretariat  <b>9:25-9:40 Climate Change, Security Implications, and Disaster Preparedness</b>  <b>Mr. Martin Frick</b> , Programme Leader, Third Generation Environmentalism (E3G)  <b>9:40-9:55 Bringing Science to the Field: Capacity Building for Adaptation</b>  <b>Mr. Shivsharan Someshwar</b> , Director, Asia Pacific Regional Program, International Research Institute for Climate and Society, Columbia University  <b>9:55-10:25 Discussion</b>  <b>10:25-10:30 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b>
<b>10.30-10.45</b>	<b>BREAK</b>
<b>10.45-12.15</b>	<b>FOOD SECURITY</b> As in the case of mitigation and energy, this session will go deeper into adaptation by looking at one of the key dimensions of climate change impacts and adaptation to them.  <b>10:45-10:55 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b>  <b>Mr. Sid Ahmed Ferroukhi</b> , Secretary General, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Algeria  <b>H.E Eng. Maysoon Al-Zu'bi</b> , Secretary General, Ministry of Water and Irrigation, Jordan  <b>10:55-11:25 Climate Change and Food Security</b>  <b>Mr. Mohamed El Mourid</b> , Regional Coordinator for North Africa Program, ICARDA; and <b>Mr. Rachid Serraj</b> , Director of Diversification and Sustainable Intensification of Production Systems Program, ICARDA  <b>Mr. Hassan Haji Ibrahim</b> , Advisor to the Minister, Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources, Somalia  <b>11:25-12:10 Discussion</b>  <b>12:10-12:15 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b>
<b>12.15-13.30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>13.30-14.45</b>	<b>FINANCING</b> This session will take up the fourth pillar of climate negotiations, providing information on the

	<p>Copenhagen Accord, the recommendations of the SG's Advisory Group on Finance, and the deliberations in the Transition Committee on Climate Financing.</p> <p><b>13:30-13:40 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Hichem Kimouche</b>, Deputy Director in charge of Sustainable Development, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Algeria</p> <p><b>Mr. Waddah Ghanem</b>, Vice Chairman, Dubai Carbon Centre of Excellence</p> <p><b>13:40-13:45 Prospects for Climate Financing</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Michael Clark</b>, Senior Interregional Adviser, UNCTAD</p> <p><b>13:45-14:00 The GET FiT Approach</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Mark Fulton</b>, Managing Director and Global Head of Climate Change Investment Research and Strategy, Deutsche Bank (<b>by video link</b>)</p> <p><b>14:00-14:40 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>14:40-14:45 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b></p>
<b>14:45-15:00</b>	<b>Visit to Ministry of Energy and Mines</b>
<b>15.00-18.00</b>	<p><b>The Directorate General of SONATRACH and the Ministry of Energy and Mines</b></p> <p><b>The new town of Hassi Messaoud: A green city in the desert</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Mourad Zeriaty</b>, General Director of the Public Institution of the new town of Hassi Messaoud</p> <p><b>CO2 injection and geological storage - the In Salah Gas example</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Mohamed Keddam</b>, President of In Salah Gas (ISG), SONATRACH</p>

## THURSDAY, 13 OCTOBER

<b>09.00-10.30</b>	<p><b>TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER</b></p> <p>This session will look at the third pillar of the climate challenge, namely technology development and transfer. It will provide information on the latest developments on the technology instrument.</p> <p><b>09:00-09:10 Introductory Remarks by Chair</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Rafik Hiahemzizou</b>, National Focal Point on Climate Change, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Algeria</p> <p><b>09:10-09:25 Technology Transfer options</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Mongi Hamdi</b>, Head of the Science, Technology and ICT, UNCTAD</p> <p><b>09:25-09:40 The Technology Mechanism</b></p>
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	<p><b>Mr. Ahmed Abdel Latif</b>, Senior Programme Manager, Intellectual Property and Technology, International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development</p> <p><b>09:40-10:25 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>10:25-10:30 Chair's Concluding Remarks</b></p>
<b>10:30-10:45</b>	<b>BREAK</b>
<b>10.45-12.30</b>	<p><b>GREEN ECONOMY</b> As in the case of the first two pillars, the purpose of this session is both to deepen the discussion on the relevant climate pillar (tech transfer) and try to identify the linkages between the climate and Rio+20 processes.</p> <p><b>10:45-10:55 Introductory Remarks by Chairs</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Tahar Chérif Zerarka</b>, President of the Hydrocarbons Regulatory Authority, Ministry of Energy and Mines</p> <p><b>Mr. Martin Frick</b>, Programme Leader, Third Generation Environmentalism (E3G)</p> <p><b>10:55-11:10 Challenges, Risks, and Opportunities</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Mootaz Khalil</b>, Deputy Assistant Minister of Foreign Affairs for Minister's Office, Egypt</p> <p><b>11:10-11:25 A Green Economy Strategy for Development</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Michael Clark</b>, Senior Interregional Adviser, UNCTAD</p> <p><b>11:25-12:10 Discussion</b></p> <p><b>12:10-12:30 Chairs' Concluding Remarks</b></p>
<b>12:30-13:30</b>	<p><b>CONCLUSIONS</b></p> <p><b>Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><b>H.E. Mr. Merzak Belhimeur</b>, Director General of Economic Relations and International Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Algeria</p> <p><b>Synthesis of Meeting and Closing Remarks</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Adel Abdellatif</b>, Chief, Regional Programme Division, UNDP RBAS</p> <p><b>Close of Meeting</b></p>
<b>13:30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>