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## SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

**WEDNESDAY, 3 December 2008**

<b>9 a.m.</b>	EU Coordination Meeting	CONFERENCE ROOM II
<b>10 a.m.</b>	<b>3rd plenary meeting</b>	<b>BOARD ROOM</b>
	Items 4 and 6: ( <i>continued</i> )	- Cooperation Agreement with the United Nations Development Programme - United Nations system-wide coherence
	Item 5:	Global food crisis: UNIDO's response
	Item 9:	Conclusion of Standard Basic Cooperation Agreements between UNIDO and Member States
<b>10 a.m.</b>	<i>Informal consultations (2<sup>nd</sup> meeting)</i>	CONFERENCE ROOM III
<b>3 p.m.</b>	<b>4th plenary meeting</b>	<b>BOARD ROOM</b>
	Item 11:	Preparatory arrangements for the thirteenth session of the General Conference
	Item 7:	Personnel matters
	Item 8:	Matters related to intergovernmental, non-governmental, governmental and other organizations
<b>3 p.m.</b>	<i>Informal consultations (3<sup>rd</sup> meeting)</i>	CONFERENCE ROOM III

**FORECAST OF MEETINGS**  
**Thursday, 4 December 2008**

<b>9.30 a.m.</b>	<b>Bureau meeting of the IDB (if required)</b>	<b>C0434</b>
<b>10 a.m.</b>	<b>5th plenary meeting</b>	<b>BOARD ROOM</b>
	Item 12: Provisional agenda and date of thirty-sixth session	
	Adoption of decisions	
	Item 13: Adoption of the report	
<b>10 a.m.</b>	<i>Informal consultations (4<sup>th</sup> meeting) (if required)</i>	<b>CONFERENCE ROOM III</b>

## SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

**Tuesday, 2 December 2008**

### **1<sup>st</sup> PLENARY MEETING**

The thirty-fifth session of the Industrial Development Board was opened by H.E. Mr. H. Bazoberry Otero (Bolivia), President of the thirty-fifth session.

**Item 1: Adoption of the agenda**

The agenda as contained in document IDB.35/1 was adopted. During the adoption of the agenda, the Board agreed not to take up consideration of agenda item 10, number and duration of sessions, but only to take note of the entry contained in the annotated agenda (IDB. 35/1/Add.1).

The Director-General made a statement.

**Item 2: Report of the Programme and Budget Committee:**

- (a) Report of the External Auditor, financial performance report and Programme performance report for the biennium 2006-2007;**
- (b) Financial situation of UNIDO;**
- (c) Accounting Standards;**
- (d) Mobilization of financial resources;**
- (e) Medium-term programme framework, 2010-2013.**

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of the G77 and China), France (on behalf of the European Union), Zimbabwe (on behalf of the African Group), Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (on behalf of GRULAC), Japan, China, Cuba, and Mexico.

## **2<sup>nd</sup> PLENARY MEETING (afternoon session)**

A minute of silence was observed in memory of the victims of the recent terrorist attacks in Mumbai, India.

A statement was made by Mr. P. Engberg-Pedersen, Director-General of the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (Norad).

**Item 2:**            *Continued*

With H.E. Mr. H. Bazoberry Otero (Bolivia), President of the thirty-fifth session in the chair, statements were made by the representatives of Egypt, South Africa and by the observer from AFIDE.

Representatives of the Secretariat made comments.

**Item 3:**            **Implementation of the medium-term programme framework, 2008-2011**

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of G77 and China), Zimbabwe (on behalf of the African Group), Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (on behalf of GRULAC), Japan, Russian Federation, the Philippines, Ecuador, South Africa and Switzerland.

A representative of the Secretariat made comments.

**Items 4 and 6:**        - **Cooperation Agreement with the United Nations Development Programme**  
                           - **United Nations system-wide coherence**

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of G77 and China), Zimbabwe (on behalf of the African Group), Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (on behalf of GRULAC), France (on behalf of the European Union), Japan, Pakistan, China, Croatia, Norway, the Philippines and South Africa.