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SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

THURSDAY, 25 November 2010

9 a.m. EU Coordination meeting CONFERENCE ROOM M2
9:30 a.m. African Group meeting MOE 27
9:45 a.m. Group of 77 meeting MOE 100
10 a.m. 3rd plenary meeting BOARD ROOM B

Item 5: Aligning the medium-term programme framework reporting cycle with the comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system

Item 6: Decentralization and UNIDO field representation

Item 7: UNIDO contributions to achieving the Millennium Development Goals

10 a.m. Informal consultations (2nd meeting)

CONFERENCE ROOM M1

BOARD ROOM B

3 p.m. 4th plenary meeting

Item 9: UNIDO activities in the field of energy and

environment

Item 10: Matters related to intergovernmental, non-

governmental, governmental and other

organizations

Item 11: Provisional agenda and date of the thirty-ninth

session

3 p.m. Informal consultations (3rd meeting)

CONFERENCE ROOM M1

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FORECAST OF MEETINGS

FRIDAY, 26 November 2010

9.30 a.m. Bureau meeting of the IDB (if required)

M01 16

10 a.m. Informal consultations (4th meeting) (if required)

CONFERENCE ROOM M1

3 p.m. 5th plenary meeting (starting time to be confirmed)

BOARD ROOM B

Adoption of decisions

Item 12: Adoption of the report

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, 24 November 2010

1st PLENARY MEETING

The thirty-eighth session of the Industrial Development Board was opened by H.E Mr. Helmut Böck (Austria) President of the thirty-eighth session.

Item 1: Adoption of the Agenda

The agenda as proposed was adopted.

A statement was made by the Director-General accompanied by a power point presentation on UNIDO activities.

A statement was made by H.E. Mr. Awad Ahmed Eljazz, Minister of Industry, Sudan.

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 2008-2009
- (b) Financial situation of UNIDO
- (c) Unutilized balances of appropriations: Programme for Change and Organizational Renewal (change management initiative) and technical cooperation activities
- (d) Accounting standards
- (e) Mobilization of financial resources

Statements were made by representatives of Algeria (on behalf of G77 and China), Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Burkina Faso (on behalf of the African Group), Sri Lanka (on behalf of the Asian Group), Chile (on behalf of GRULAC), Japan, China, Republic of Korea, Indonesia and Iran (Islamic Republic of).

Statements were made by representatives of the Secretariat.

2nd PLENARY MEETING (afternoon session)

A side event was held on fostering local pharmaceutical industry in developing countries, which included presentations and a debate involving a number of panellists.

Item 8: UNIDO support in fostering local pharmaceutical industry in developing countries, with special regard to essential health products

Statements were made by representatives of Algeria (on behalf of G-77 and China), Burkina Faso (on behalf of the African Group), Sri Lanka (on behalf of the Asian Group), Chile (on behalf of GRULAC), South Africa, Mongolia, Italy, India, Colombia and the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology.

A statement was made by a representative of the Secretariat.

The Rapporteur made a statement.

Item 3: Multilingualism

Statements were made by representatives Algeria (on behalf of G-77 and China), France and Spain.

A statement was made by a representative of the Secretariat.

Item 4: Progress report on regional programmes, including:

- (a) Regional programme for Latin America and the Caribbean
- (b) Regional programme for Africa
- (c) Arab regional programme
- (d) Other regional programmes

Statements were made by representatives of Algeria (on behalf of G-77 and China), Burkina Faso (on behalf of the African Group), Sri Lanka (on behalf of the Asian Group), Chile (on behalf of GRULAC), Japan, Costa Rica, Turkey, South Africa, Peru and Ukraine.

A statement was made by a representative of the Secretariat.

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