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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

Friday, 31 March 1995

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

CONSULTATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

10.00 a.m. - Open-ended informal consultations Room 7
1.00 p.m.

Consideration of agenda item 5 (a) (iii) entitled "Review of the adequacy of Article 4, paragraph 2 (a) and (b) of the Convention, including proposals related to a protocol and decisions on follow-up"

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

3.00 p.m. - Fifth meeting Plenary Room
6.00 p.m.

Programme to be announced subsequently.

**MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF
UNITED NATIONS BODIES**

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of any opinion whatsoever on the part of the
Secretariat of the United Nations.

GROUP OF 77

9.00 a.m. - closed meeting Committee Room
10.00 a.m.

2.00 p.m. - closed meeting Committee Room
3.00 p.m.

ALLIANCE OF SMALL ISLAND STATES

1.15 p.m. - closed meeting Room 4
2.15 p.m.

OTHER SCHEDULED EVENTS

**INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - WORKSHOP
"Focus on Joint Implementation"**

1.15 p.m. - Room 6
2.45 p.m.

**NGO ASSESSMENTS: PARTICIPATION IN GEF
CLIMATE CHANGE PROJECTS**

1.15 p.m. - See monitor for room
2.45 p.m.

**HADLEY CENTRE FOR CLIMATE PREDICTION -
UNITED KINGDOM MINISTRY OF THE ENVIRONMENT
"Climate Predictions: 1860-2020"**

4.00 p.m. - Room 6
6.00 p.m.

COASTAL ZONE BRIEFING BY THE NETHERLANDS DELEGATION
IN COOPERATION WITH
THE UNITED STATES COUNTRY STUDY PROGRAMME

6.15 p.m. -
7.15 p.m.

Room 6

WORLD BANK/IEEC INFORMATION SESSION: PROJECTS SUPPORTING
DEVELOPMENT AND GREENHOUSE GASES MITIGATION
THROUGH THE WORLD BANK

6.15 p.m. -
7.45 p.m.

See monitor for room

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 3 April 1995

PLENARY

10.00 a.m. -
1.00 p.m.

Third meeting

Plenary Room

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

3.00 p.m. -
6.00 p.m.

~~Fifth meeting~~
Sixth

Plenary room

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 30 March 1995

PLENARY

Second meeting

Organization of work

The President made a statement.

Statements [3]

(a) Statements at the opening of the session

The Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme made a statement.

(b) Other statements

Statements were made by the Deputy Director General of the Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism of South Africa and the Minister for Environmental Protection and Nuclear Safety of Ukraine.

Statements were made by the Managing Director of the Industrial Sectors and Environment Division of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, the Director of the Bureau for Coordination of Environmental Programmes of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Executive Secretary of the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Executive Secretary of the interim secretariat for the Convention to Combat Desertification and the representative of the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Europe.

Statements were made by the following representatives of the intergovernmental organizations: The Executive Director of the International Energy Agency of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and the Meteorology and Climatology Officer of the South Pacific Regional Environment Programme.

Statements were also made by the following representatives of the non-governmental organizations: Mayor of Kampala, Uganda (on behalf of the Second Municipal Leaders' Summit on Climate Change, sponsored by the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives), Climate Action Network Pacific (on behalf of the environmental non-governmental organizations attending the Conference) and the head of the delegation of the International Chamber of Commerce (on behalf of the business non-governmental organizations attending the Conference).

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The summary of the fourth meeting of the Committee of the Whole will appear in Journal No. 5.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Registration

The Registration and Accreditation Office for all Conference participants is located at the main entrance to the International Congress Centre (ICC). The Registration and Accreditation Office will be open on Friday, 31 March, Monday and Tuesday, 3 and 4 April, and Thursday and Friday, 6 and 7 April, from 9.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. On Wednesday, 5 April, it will be open from 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. The Registration and Accreditation Office will not be open on Saturday or Sunday.

Registration for all media representatives, rather than being held at the main entrance of the ICC, will take place at a special media registration desk at the ICC entrance "Kleiner Stern", which can be reached from Hammerskjoldplatz.

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Credentials of representatives

Delegations are kindly requested to submit their credentials to Ms. Silvana da Silva or Mr. Horacio Peluffo (Room 15-16).

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Distribution of documents for information purposes

Representatives of States parties, observer States, bodies of the United Nations system and intergovernmental organizations who wish to make available information material are requested to bring five copies of such material to the office of Mr. William Bunch, Documents Planning and Control Officer, in room 50. Those wishing to distribute papers inside the conference room should contact the Secretary of the meeting concerned.

Representatives of non-governmental organizations wishing to make information material available are requested to bring such material to the NGO Liaison Office, room 56, which can be reached from hall 15.2.

List of participants

Delegations that have not already submitted the names of their representatives participating in the Conference of Parties are kindly requested to do so as soon as possible to the office of the Executive Secretary, located in room 42.

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List of speakers for the ministerial segment

Delegation wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the ministerial segment are kindly requested to contact the Office of the Secretary of the Conference at the ICC, room 49 (Ms. J. Chesney, tel. 30 38 54 12).

Delegations are reminded that statements at the ministerial segment are limited to ministers of the States participating in the first session of the Conference of the Parties and heads of delegations of Parties to the Convention.

Attention is drawn to the decision taken by the Conference at its 1st plenary meeting on 28 March to set a time-limit of five minutes with respect to statements at the ministerial segment.

Delegations are also requested to note that, in accordance with the schedule of work for the session, the meeting of the ministerial segment, originally scheduled from 3.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. on the afternoon of Wednesday, 5 April, will be held from 2.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

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Headsets for interpretation

Participants are requested to leave the headsets on their tables - they should not be removed from meeting rooms.

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Official study tours

The Forum fur Zukunftsenergien, in cooperation with the Press and Information Office of the Federal Government and the Federal Ministry of Economic Affairs, has the pleasure of inviting all Conference participants and accredited journalists to free of charge study tours between 29 March and 3 April to present examples of advanced technologies protecting the climate for sustainable development. For more information check with the Information Desk of the Federal Government in front of Room 3 or call (030) 30 38 54 90 or 30 38 31 76.

Hannover Trade Fair

The Press and Information Office of the Federal Government of Germany invites all Conference participants and accredited journalists to free of charge trips to the Hannover Trade Fair. A special train, the "Climate Express", will run to Hannover every day from 3 to 6 April. Entry to the Fair is free. The trip also includes free meals and beverages. Please contact the Information Desk of the Federal Government in front of Room 3 or call (030) 30 38 54 90 or 30 38 31 76.

Daily meditation

Every morning at 9.30 a.m. the World Conference for Religion and Peace will sponsor a meditation in the Meditation Room.

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Journalists' Pool

All members of the press must apply for pool cards to gain entrance for the speech to be delivered by German Federal Chancellor Helmut Kohl on Wednesday, 5 April. Please note that no access to the hall will be permitted after 10.45 a.m. Cards can be obtained between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, 3 and 4 April, at the Pooling Office in the Press Centre, Hall 17, telephone 842 10 43.

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Press conferences

The following press conferences will be held today, Friday, 31 March, in room 3, unless otherwise specified:

- 10.00 a.m. German Space Agency
- 11.00 a.m. World Meteorological Organization/European Climate Support Network
- 2.30 p.m. Briefing by the German delegation - Room 10
- 2.45 p.m. Briefing by the Group of 77 and the delegation of China
- 5.00 p.m. Briefing by the United States delegation

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