



CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES  
Second session  
Geneva, 8 - 19 July 1996

**No. 9**

**PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS**

**Thursday, 18 July 1996**

**SCHEDULED MEETINGS**

**PLENARY**

**MINISTERIAL SEGMENT**

10.00 a.m.-  
1.00 p.m.

6th meeting

Salle des Assemblées

Statements by ministers and other heads of delegation of Parties

His Excellency Mr. Bernt Bull  
State Secretary, Ministry of Environment of Norway

His Excellency the Honourable Mr. Timbo Keariki  
Minister of Environment and Social Development of the Republic of Kiribati

Delegates are reminded that statements during the ministerial segment should not exceed the five-minute limit to which the Conference agreed at its third plenary meeting. In view of the number of Parties inscribed in the list, priority will be given to ministerial statements, as indicated in the annotations to the provisional agenda.

His Excellency the Honourable Mr. John K. Sambu  
Minister for Environment and Natural Resources of the Republic of Kenya

His Excellency Mr. Victor E. Chub  
Minister, Chief of the Main Administration of Hydrometeorology at the Cabinet of  
Ministers (Glavgidromet) of the Republic of Uzbekistan

Her Excellency Ms. Maria Julia Alsogaray  
Secretary of Natural and Human Environment of Argentina

His Excellency the Honourable Mr. Simon Upton  
Minister for the Environment of New Zealand

Her Excellency Dr. Katalin Szili  
Parliamentary State Secretary, Ministry for Environment and Regional Development of  
the Republic of Hungary

His Excellency the Honourable Chief Dan L. Etete  
Minister of Petroleum of the Federal Republic of Nigeria

His Excellency Vice-Minister Ernesto Guhl  
Vice-Minister of the Environment of Colombia

His Excellency Mr. Yontcho Pelovski  
Deputy Minister of Environment of the Republic of Bulgaria

His Excellency Mr. Valerio Calzolaio  
Vice Minister for the Environment of Italy

Her Excellency Madame Corinne Lepage  
Minister of the Environment of France

His Excellency Dato' Abu Bakar Daud  
Deputy Minister of Science, Technology and Environment of Malaysia

His Excellency Mr. Ioan Jelev  
Secretary of State, Department of Environment, Ministry of Water, Forests and  
Environmental Protection of Romania

Her Excellency Ms. Ritt Bjerregaard  
Commissioner for the Environment of the European Community

His Excellency Mr. Albert Kakou Tiapani  
Minister of Housing, Quality of Life and the Environment of Ivory Coast

His Excellency Mr. Juan Antonio Chiruchi  
Minister of Housing, Land Settlement and Environment of Uruguay

Her Excellency Ms. Elissavet Papazoe  
Deputy Minister of Environment of Greece

His Excellency Mr. Rapolas Liuzinas  
Deputy Minister of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania

His Excellency Mr. Raimundo Pérez-Hernández y Torra, Ambassador and Permanent  
Representative of Spain to the United Nations

His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Ennaceur  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Tunisia to the United Nations in Geneva

Her Excellency Ms. Absa Claude Diallo  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Senegal to the United Nations in Geneva

Mr. Han Chang On  
Deputy Permanent Representative of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the  
United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. G. G. Chipungu  
Ambassador of the Republic of Malawi to Switzerland

Mr. July G. Moyo  
Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Tourism of the Republic of  
Zimbabwe

Mr. Abdullahi Majeed  
Executive Director of the Department of Meteorology of Maldives

His Excellency Mr. Joun Yung Sun  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea to the United  
Nations in Geneva

Mr. Vijai Sharma  
Joint Secretary of the Ministry of Environment and Forests of India

His Excellency Dr. Fabio Fajardo Moros  
President of the Environment Agency of Cuba

Her Excellency Ms. Sirkka Hautojärvi  
Secretary General of the Ministry of the Environment of Finland

His Excellency Mr. Tryggvi Felixson  
Chief, International Division, Ministry for the Environment of Iceland

Mr. Herman Merckx  
Counsellor of the Permanent Mission of Belgium to the United Nations in Geneva

Mr. Jean-Baptiste Kambou  
Technical Adviser to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Burkina Faso

His Excellency Mr. Atbi Riklon  
Deputy Attorney General of the Marshall Islands

Mr. Lambert Gnapelet  
Head, Implementation, Evaluation and Planning of the Ministry of Environment and  
Tourism of Central African Republic

His Excellency Mr. Dharar a. R. Razzooqi  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Kuwait to the United Nations in Geneva

Delegations wishing to have copies of their ministerial statements distributed in the Plenary are usually requested to provide 300 copies to the Conference Officer. It would be greatly appreciated if delegations would provide sufficient additional copies for observers, including NGOs.

## **PLENARY**

### **MINISTERIAL SEGMENT**

3.00 p.m.-  
9.00 p.m.

7th meeting

Salle des Assemblées

Statements by ministers and other heads of delegation of Parties

His Excellency Mr. Martin Bartenstein  
Federal Minister for the Environment of Austria

His Excellency Mr. Sahidou Dango-Nadey  
Minister of the Environment of Benin

His Excellency Mr. Rolando Guillen  
National Director of the National Institute of Renewable Natural Resources of Panama

Her Excellency Ms. Srimani Athulathmudali  
Minister of Transport, Environment and Women's Affairs of the Democratic Socialist  
Republic of Sri Lanka

His Excellency the Honourable Mr. Samiollah Lauthan  
Minister of the Environment and Quality of Life of the Republic of Mauritius

His Excellency Mr. Antonio G. M. La Viña  
Under Secretary of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources of Philippines

His Excellency Mr. José Israel Vargas  
Minister of Science and Technology of Brazil

His Excellency Dr. Abdelrazaq Tobaishat  
Minister of Municipal and Rural Affairs and the Environment of the Hashemite  
Kingdom of Jordan

His Excellency Dr. Erwin Arrieta  
Minister of Energy and Mines of Venezuela

His Excellency Mr. Radovan Tavzes  
State Secretary of Environment and Regional Planning of the Republic of Slovenia

His Excellency Mr. Epel K. Ilon  
Deputy Secretary of the Department of External Affairs of the Federated States of  
Micronesia

His Excellency Mr. Vladimír Novotný  
First Vice-Minister of the Environment of the Czech Republic

His Excellency the Honourable Mr. Terry Coe  
Minister of Finance, Post and Telecommunications, Meteorology, Agriculture, Forestry  
and Fisheries, and Public Works Department of Niue

His Excellency Mr. Thomas Büchel  
Minister of the Environment of the Principality of Liechtenstein

His Excellency Mr. Abdilrashed Dulane  
Vice-Minister, Ministry of Water Resources of the Federal Democratic Republic of  
Ethiopia

His Excellency Mr. Dasho Paljor J. Dorji  
Deputy Minister, National Environment Commission of the Kingdom of Bhutan

His Excellency Dr. Abdulbar Al-Gain  
Head of Meteorological and Environmental Protection of the Ministry of Defense and  
Civil Aviation of Saudi Arabia

His Excellency Mr. Abdul-Hamid Al Munajjed  
Minister of State for Environmental Affairs of the Syrian Arab Republic

His Excellency Mr. Villu Reijan  
Minister of Environment of the Republic of Estonia

His Excellency Mr. Nguyen Duc Ngu  
Director General of Hydrometeorology Service of Vietnam

His Excellency Dr. Yao do Felli  
Minister of Rural Development and Water Works of the Republic of Togo

His Excellency Mr. Nikoloz Beradze  
Chairman of the Hydrometeorology Department of the Republic of Georgia

His Excellency Mr. Sergiu Fandofan  
Director of the State Department for the Protection of Environment and Natural Resources of the Republic of Moldova

Her Excellency Ms. Margaret Nasha  
Assistant Minister of Local Government, Lands and Housing of Botswana

His Excellency Mr. Musa Mbenga  
Minister of Agriculture and Natural Resources of the Gambia

His Excellency Mr. Raymond Tshibanda N'thungamulongo  
Minister of the Environment, Nature Conservation and Tourism of Zaire

Head of Delegation of Egypt

Prof. Iuri Izrael  
Academician and Director of the Institute for Global Climate and Ecology of the Russian Federation

His Excellency Mr. Abdul Latif Mondal  
Joint Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests of Bangladesh

His Excellency Mr. Lirim Selfo  
Chairman, Committee of Environmental Protection of Albania

Ms. Kahkeshan Azhar  
First Secretary of the Permanent Mission of Pakistan to the United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. José Urrutia  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Krit Garnjarna-Goonchorn  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Thailand to the United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Antonio de Icaza  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Benjelloum-Touimi  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Morocco to the United Nations in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Fadlalla Elkhidir Elsayem  
Deputy Director of Hydrometeorology Authority of the Republic of Sudan

His Excellency Mr. Abdallah Nassour Mahamat-Ali  
Ambassador of Chad to France

His Excellency Mr. Souli Nanthavong  
President of Science Technology and Environment Organization of the Lao People's  
Democratic Republic

His Excellency Mr. Alli Mchumo  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of United Republic of Tanzania to the United  
Nations in Geneva

Mr. Shambu Ram Simkhada  
Chargé d'Affaires of the Permanent Mission of Nepal to the United Nations in Geneva

Her Excellency Ms. Margarita Escobar López  
Ambassador and Deputy Permanent Representative of El Salvador to the United Nations  
in Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Aram Gabrielian  
Head of Department for Protection of Atmosphere of Ministry of Environment and  
Natural Resources of Armenia

His Excellency Mr. A.M. Durdiev  
Acting Director of Turkmenglavhydromet of Turkmenistan

His Excellency Mr. Jorge Lema Patiño  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Bolivia to the United Nations in Geneva

Head of Delegation of Lesotho

His Excellency Mr. Nathan Irumba  
Ambassador and Deputy Permanent Representative of Uganda to the United Nations in  
Geneva

His Excellency Mr. Patrick Sinyinza  
Ambassador of Zambia to the United Nations in Geneva

Ms. Becky Myton  
Scientific Adviser to the Minister of Environment of Honduras

### **SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR IMPLEMENTATION**

3.00 a.m.- 6.00 a.m.	Informal consultations	Conference Room XII
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The Chairman of the SBI wishes to hold open-ended consultations on the Annex to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Conference of the Parties and the Global Environment Facility today.

### **OTHER EVENTS**

#### **MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNFCCC BODIES**

The announcements in this section are reproduced as received.  
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UNFCCC secretariat.

#### **OPEC**

9.00 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room XXIII
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#### **GRULAC**

9.00 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room C.3
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#### **GROUP OF 77 AND CHINA**

9.00 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room XXVI
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#### **JUSSCANNZ**

9.00 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room XXII
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**ALLIANCE OF SMALL ISLAND STATES**

1.15 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room IX

**EUROPEAN UNION**

2.00 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room XXIII

**GROUP OF 77 AND CHINA**

2.00 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room XXVI

**ENVIRONMENT AGENCY OF JAPAN AND ENVIRONMENTAL NGOs**

4.00 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room XXVI

**OTHER SCHEDULED EVENTS**

1.00 p.m. "Youth Perspectives on Climate Change and Sustainable Development"  
ISMUN Conference Room XXII

1.00 p.m. Climate-related actions  
Technology/Inventory  
UNIDO Conference Room XXVII

1.00 p.m. Global Commons Initiative  
Global Commons Institute Conference Room XII

3.30 p.m. Workshop on "Stimulating technological change: the FCCC in the context of developing country initiatives"  
TERI Conference Room XXII

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### Funding for delegations

Participants who have not yet contacted Mr. Eric Brodier (Room E.3007) to receive their daily subsistence allowance (per diem) are reminded that it is essential that they do so between 9.00 a.m. and 11.45 a.m. or between 1.00 p.m. and 5.00 p.m. **today Thursday, 18 July 1996.** (Established United Nations financial procedures require that unclaimed cheques be cancelled.)

### Directory of participants

The usual directory of participants, with the address details of participants at COP 2 will be published in October, and mailed to all who had registered for COP 2. The publication will be entitled "Who is Who in the UNFCCC Process, a Directory of Representatives and Observers at the Sessions of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, 1995-1996"; it will be accompanied by an updated CD-ROM containing all official documents and other information products, including the final report and directory of participants of COP 2.

### Ministerial segment

#### Security

With regard to the ministerial segment to be held today Thursday, 18 July 1996, please note that the Security and Safety Section of the United Nations Office at Geneva has requested the following information from Permanent Missions to the United Nations, concerning the visits of their respective Ministers who will be accompanied by Security Aides to COP 2:

1. The name and date of birth of each Security Officer;
2. The Make, Type, Calibre and Serial Number of each weapon; and
3. The number of rounds of ammunition to be carried.

Permanent Missions should send a fax to the Security and Safety Section for the attention of:

Mr. Roland De Stickere, Chief  
Security and Safety Section  
with a copy to:  
Lt. J. Mangin, Chief Surveillance Platoon  
Tel. No. (4122) 917-2900 or 917-2948  
Fax No. (4122) 917-0012

Upon receipt of this information, the Security and Safety Section of the United Nations will instruct Security Aides of the existing rules and regulations within the Palais des Nations.

Parking facilities

Permanent Missions are requested to contact Mr. M.R. Koheallee, Chief, Guard Platoon, Room A-845, tel: (022) 917-4297, and to provide him with the number of Ministers' car licence plates in order to receive special U.N. car passes to access the parking area adjacent to the Salle des Assemblées.

Registration

The Registration and Accreditation area for all participants is located on the mezzanine, second floor, entrance through Door 40. Participants are reminded that the last opportunity to register is from 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and from 2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. today.

Services available to all participants

Five **computers and a printer** are available for delegates to use on a first come, first served basis, three in Room E.3065, one in the Environmental NGOs Room (E.3067) and one in the Business NGOs Room (E.3069). Participants are requested not to monopolize the equipment for too long, as all participants should have access to it. Participants are also requested not to use secretariat equipment.

Six **card-operated photocopying machines** for the use of all participants (delegates and observers) are available in Rooms E.3022 and E.3050 as well as in front of Room E.3065 and in Halls 13 to 15 in Building A (below the Salle des Assemblées). Cards, costing SFr. 10 each and with sufficient capacity for 100 copies, may be purchased at the Registration desk. Photocopying paper will be provided by the secretariat.

**Tables for displaying NGO information material** are available on the mezzanine second floor, Door 40 (Registration area and outside Conference Rooms XIX and XX). NGOs are kindly requested not to display information material or any other documentation in the conference rooms.

Useful information for participants

	<u>Office No.</u>	<u>Telephone No.</u>
<u>Secretary of COP 2</u>		
Ms. Silvana F. da Silva	A.235	76548

List of speakers

Mr. Kevin Hill	A.265	76512
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Conference management

Mr. Janos Pasztor Coordinator	E.3019	77361
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Liaison with Government delegates

Mr. Horacio Peluffo	E.3003	77309
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Funding for delegations

Mr. Eric Brodier	E.3007	77328
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Liaison with observer organizations and special events

Ms. Azza Taalab	A.261	76569
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Meetings assistants (including room assignments)

Ms. Marielos Izaguirre	E.3003	77312
Ms. Francesca Foppiano	E.3019	77364

Registration and corrections to list of participants

Ms. Laurence Pollier	E.3025	77421
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