



## Consultation on the High Level Forum on Aid Effectiveness

### Draft Agenda: Central & West Asia

Amari Watergate Hotel, Bangkok, 7-9 May 2008

#### Wednesday 7 May

18.30-20.00 Welcome for all participants: drinks and snacks at Pool side, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Amari Watergate

#### Day 1 Thursday 8 May

08:00-08:30 Registration and Welcome Coffee: Room C@7, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

#### Session 1: Road to the High Level Forum in Accra

**Chair:** Mr Shahid Zahid, ADB

08:30-09:00 1.1 **Welcome:** Marcia Kran, Officer-in-Charge, UNDP Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific

1.2 **Introduction:** Aidan Cox, UNDP Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific

09:00-09:40 1.2 **Introduction to the High Level Forum**

**Ghana:** Welcome from the host of the High Level Forum (video) (tbc)

**OECD DAC:** Ms Rinko Jogo, Aid Effectiveness Division, OECD Development Cooperation Directorate

**Kyrgyz Republic (tbc):** Minister of Economic Trade and Development (tbc)

09:40-10:00 1.4 **Discussion**

10.00-10.30 1.5 **Managing Aid at Country Level**

10:30-11:00 Coffee

#### Session 2: Using Evidence for Action

11:00-11:30 **Chair:** Mr Chris Hall, World Bank

2.1 **Implications for Action: 2008 Survey and Paris Declaration Evaluation**

**Panel:** **OECD DCD:** Ms Sara Fyson, Aid Effectiveness Division, OECD Development Cooperation Directorate

**Kyrgyz Republic:** (tbc)

**Niels Dabelstein,** Evaluation of the Paris Declaration, Danish Institute for International Studies

11:30-12:00 2.3 **Sharing country experiences from the floor**

### Session 3: Round Tables Working Group Discussions

*RT Working Group Discussions will be chaired by a Government from the region, supported by an HLF 3 RT Co-Chair (if available) and a member of the organising committee (ADB, Japan, UNDP or World Bank)*

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| 1. Country ownership             | 6. Role of Civil Society Organisations             |
| 2. Alignment                     | 7. Fragility & conflict situations                 |
| 3. Harmonisation                 | 8. Sector application of PD                        |
| 4. Development results & impacts | 9. New aid architecture and role of non-DAC donors |
| 5. Mutual Accountability         |  |

12:00-12:15 3.1 **Introduction to Round Tables Session:** Tom Beloe (UNDP Regional Centre)

12:15-13:30 **Lunch at the Promenade Restaurant, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor**

### Session 3: Round Tables (Continued)

13:30-15:00 3.2 **Round Table Working Groups 1, 5 & 8**

**RT 1: Ownership**  
(Room: A@7)

Introduction: Kyrgyz Republic (tbc); Facilitator: Tom (UNDP);  
Rapporteur: Manoranjan

**RT 5: Mutual Accountability**  
(Room: Bangsue)

Introduction: Armenia (tbc); RT Co-Chair remarks, Mr James Polhemus, Irish Aid; Facilitator: Aidan (UNDP); Rapporteur: Manju (ADB)

**RT 8: Sector Experiences**  
(Room: Bang Luang B)

Introduction: Uzbekistan (tbc); RT Co-Chair remarks, Dan Wilde; Facilitator: Antonio (ADB); Rapporteur: Eoghan (UNDP)

15:00-15:30 **Coffee**

**Co-Chairs:** Japan (tbc) and Azerbaijan (tbc)

15:30-16:00 3.3 **Feedback from RT Working Groups 1, 5 and 8**  
**Panel:** 3 Working Group Introducers and any HLF Round Table Co-Chairs

16:00-17:30 3.4 **Round Table Working Groups 3, 4 & 7**

**RT 3: Harmonisation**  
(Room: A@7)

Introduction Azerbaijan (tbc); Facilitator: Tom (UNDP);  
Rapporteur: Manoranjan

**RT 4: Managing for Results**  
(Room: Bangsue)

Introduction: Georgia (tbc); RT Co-Chair remarks, Mr. Dhiresh Ramklass, Government of Zambia; Shahid (ADB); Rapporteur: Eoghan (UNDP)

**RT 7: Fragility & Conflict Situations**  
(Room: Bang Luang B)

Introduction: (tbc); Facilitator: Aidan (UNDP); Rapporteur: Manju (ADB)

17:30-18:00 3.5 **Actions for Aid Effectiveness:** Informal brainstorming on country actions for more effective aid  
**Facilitators:** Aidan Cox, UNDP

18:30-20:00 **Dinner reception at Pool side, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor**

<b>Day 2      Friday 9 May</b>			
08:00-08:30	<b>Coffee</b>		
<b>Session 3: Round Tables (cont.)</b>			
08:30-09:00	<p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> UNDP (Tom Beloe) and Uzbekistan (tbc)</p> <p>3.6 <b><u>Feedback from Working Groups 3, 4 and 7</u></b>  <b>Panel:</b> 3 Working Group Chairs and any HLF3 RT Co-Chairs</p>		
09:00-10:30	<p>3.7 <b><u>Round Table Working Groups 2, 6 &amp; 9</u></b></p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p><b>RT 2: Alignment</b> (Room: A@7)</p> <p><b>RT 6: Civil Society</b> (Room: Bangsue)</p> <p><b>RT 9: Aid Architecture</b> (Room: Bang Luang B)</p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p><b>Introduction: Mongolia</b> (tbc); Facilitator: Manju (ADB); Rapporteur: Eoghan (UNDP)</p> <p><b>Introduction: Kazakhstan;</b> (tbc) Facilitator: Antonio (ADB); Rapporteur: Rinko (OECD)</p> <p><b>Introduction: Tajikistan;</b> (tbc) Facilitator: Sakudo Shunsuke (Japan); Rapporteur: Manoranjan</p> </td> </tr> </table>	<p><b>RT 2: Alignment</b> (Room: A@7)</p> <p><b>RT 6: Civil Society</b> (Room: Bangsue)</p> <p><b>RT 9: Aid Architecture</b> (Room: Bang Luang B)</p>	<p><b>Introduction: Mongolia</b> (tbc); Facilitator: Manju (ADB); Rapporteur: Eoghan (UNDP)</p> <p><b>Introduction: Kazakhstan;</b> (tbc) Facilitator: Antonio (ADB); Rapporteur: Rinko (OECD)</p> <p><b>Introduction: Tajikistan;</b> (tbc) Facilitator: Sakudo Shunsuke (Japan); Rapporteur: Manoranjan</p>
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10:30-11:00	<b>Coffee</b>		
11:00-11:30	<p><b>Co-Chairs:</b> Mr Shahid Zahid, ADB and Armenia (tbc)</p> <p>3.8 <b><u>Feedback from Working Groups 2, 6 and 9</u></b>  <b>Panel:</b> 3 Working Group Chairs and any HLF3 RT Co-Chairs</p>		
<b>Session 4: Accra Agenda for Action (AAA)</b>			
11:30-12:15	<p><b>Chair:</b> Mr Toru Maeda, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan  <b>Facilitator:</b> Mr Tom Beloe, UNDP</p> <p>4.1 <b><u>What's in the AAA and how can you influence it?</u></b>  Ms Sara Fyson, Aid Effectiveness Division, OECD Development Cooperation Directorate</p> <p>4.2 <b><u>Walk around: Actions from Day 1</u></b></p> <p>4.3 <b><u>Any clarifications?</u></b> Discussion</p>		
12:15-13:30	<b>Lunch at the Promenade Restaurant, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor</b>		
<b>Session 4: Accra Agenda for Action (Continued)</b>			
13:30-15:00	<p>4.4 <b><u>Three break out discussion groups on AAA</u></b></p> <p><b>Break Out 1 – Chair: Tajikistan</b> (tbc); (Room: A@7); Facilitator: Tom (UNDP); Rapporteur: Manoranjan</p> <p><b>Break Out 2 – Chair: Mongolia</b> (tbc); (Room: Bangsue); Facilitator: Manju (ADB); Rapporteur: Rinko (OECD)</p> <p><b>Break Out 3 – Chair: Kazakhstan</b> (tbc)(Room: Bang Luang B); Facilitator: Aidan (UNDP); Rapporteur: Eoghan (UNDP)</p>		
15:00-15:30	<b>Coffee</b>		

**Co-Chairs:** Mr Chris Hall, World Bank and Kyrgyz Republic (tbc)

15:30-16:15

4.5 **Feedback from 3 Break Out Groups and Discussion**

## Session 5: Next steps and Closing

**Chair:** Mr Aidan Cox, UNDP

16:15-16:45

5.1 **Next steps: actions at country and regional level to prepare for HLF and beyond**

**Panel:** Government of Mongolia [tbc]

Mr Chris Hall, World Bank

**Discussion**

16:45-17:00

5.2 **Workshop Closing:** Mr Shahid Zahid, ADB

### Secretariat room: Bang Luang A

(5 Computers available for brief internet use, plus wireless connection for laptops)

