

More Solidarity to Address the Crisis: New Resources, New Sectors, New Instruments

Sixth plenary meeting of the Leading Group on Solidarity Levies to Fund Development

Thursday 28 and Friday 29 May 2009, Paris

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Doors open at 8:00 a.m.

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Plenary Session (9:00 a.m. / 12:30 p.m., Hall 12)

Financial Crisis and Development

Formal opening of the sixth plenary meeting by the French Presidency of the Leading Group: **B. Kouchner**

Innovative financing perspectives in the new global economic outlook: **A. Gurria**, *Secretary General of the OECD*

Presidency: **A. Joyandet**, *Secretary of State for Cooperation and Francophony, France*

Message from **M. Yunus***, *Nobel Peace Prize, Bangladesh*

Innovative financing and International Economic Governance: **M. Moratinos**, *Minister of Foreign Affairs, Spain*

The Developing World, a Factor for Growth: **P. Ananias de Souza**, *Minister of Social Development and Fight Against Hunger, Brazil*

Coffee Break / Group photo

The UN and Innovative Financing: **P. Douste-Blazy**, *Special Adviser on Innovative Financing, UN*

Intervention by the Japanese delegation: **N. Minorikawa**, *Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Japan*

Intervention: **CT. Gadio**, *Minister of State and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Senegal*

Innovation for Restructuring Development: **M. Sidibe**, *Executive Director, UNAIDS*

Innovative Financing Going Beyond the Public/Private Divide: NGO(tbc)

French Intervention on the Speakers' Work Plan Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, France

1:00 p.m. / 2:30 p.m.: Ministerial lunch presided by **A. Joyandet** — **Participants:** **K. Rudischhauser**, *Director, Directorate-General Development, European Commission*

Workshop No.1 (2:30 p.m. / 5:30, Hall 12): New Resources, Proof by Example

Chairman: **T. Godal**, *Special Adviser to the Prime Minister, Norway*

Moderator: **B. Coeuré**, *Head of Department, Directorate General of Treasury and Economic Policy, France*

1. Overview of Current Situation

- Levy on airline tickets/UNITAID: **T. Fassi Fihri**, *Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, Morocco* / **J. Bermudez**, *Executive Secretary, UNITAID*
- IFFIm/GAVI: **I. Lewis**, *Secretary of State for International Development, United Kingdom* / **A. Albright**, *Chief Financial and Investment Officer, GAVI*
- AMCs: **S. McAdams**, *Director, Multilateral and Innovative Financing, World Bank*

2. An expanding deposit of resources?

- De-tax: **G. Magliano**, *Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Italy*
- Voluntary solidarity levies: **P. Chérèque**, *Director General, Amadeus* / **B. Salomé**, *Director Millennium Foundation*
- ProductRED & Debt2Health: **M. Kazatchkine**, *Director, World Bank*

3. Financial flows and development

- Illicit Financial Flows and Their Impact on Development: **R. Baker**, *Director, Global Financial Integrity*
- Is moderate taxation of exchange rate transfers possible? **D. Hillman**, *Director, Stamp out Poverty*
- The Fight Against Tax Evasion in Developing Countries: **P. Saint Amans**, *Head of the International Co-operation and Tax Competition Division, OECD*

Workshop No. 2 (2:30 p.m. / 5:30 p.m., hall 15): New Sectors. Expanding the Trend

Chairman: **CT. Gadio**, *Minister of State and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Senegal*

Moderator: **C. Masset**, *Director General, Ministry for Foreign and European Affairs, France*

1. Climate Change and Innovative Financing for Development

- Carbon Auctions for Development: **M. Konukiewicz**, *Director for Global and Sectoral Policies, Germany*
- A New Climate Governance: **L. Tubiana**, *Director, Ministry for Foreign and European Affairs, France*
- Debt Cancellation and Climate Adaptation in the Global South: **M. de Longcamp**, *Senior Adviser, Conservation Finance, WWF*

2. Innovative Financing and Human Development

- Migrants' Remittances: **D. Ratha**, *Economist, World Bank / Spain / Italy*
- World's hunger: **J. Diouf**, *Director general FAO*

3. Public-Private Partnership and Solidarity Investments

- "His sacks of grain seemed like drinking fountains": **X. de Baysar**, *CEO, IDEAM*
- Solidarity tourism: **JF. Rial**, *CEO, Voyageurs du monde*
- **Erick Maville**, *Director, Global Business Coalition on HIV/AIDS, TB and Malaria*

6:00 p.m. / 8:00 p.m.: Optional Programme: Museum visit

7:30 p.m. / 9:30 p.m.: Official dinner offered by **Mr. B Kouchner**, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs - Quai d'Orsay (By invitation only)

26/05/2009 (15:00)

**Plenary Session (9:00 a.m. /10:00 a.m., hall 12)
New Instruments for Development**

Innovative financing mechanisms, development effectiveness and results: **E. Deutscher**, *Chair of the OECD Development Assistance Committee*
Innovating Development Finance: From Financing Sources to Financial Solutions: **P. Le Houerou**, *Vice-President, World Bank*
ODA and innovative financing: **P. Jacquet**, *Chief Economist and Head of Strategy, Agence Française de Développement*

Workshop No. 3 (10:30 a.m. / 12:30 p.m., hall 12): Financial Engineering and Efficiency : Some Aspects

Chairman: **Taieb. Fassi Fihri**, *Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, Morocco*

Moderator: **Pierre Jacquet**, *AFD / Priya Basu, Manager, Multilateral Administration and Innovative Financing, World Bank*

1. Risk Mitigation Instruments

– Malawi food security risk management strategy and instruments: **Ms E. Gratcheva**, *Banking and Debt Management, Treasury, World Bank*

– Weather Risk Financing for Agriculture and Relief/Recovery : World Food Programme Experience and Reflections: **U. Hess**, *Chief of Risk Reduction and Disaster Mitigation Policy, WFP*
–AFD Counter-cyclical loan: **C. Valadier**, *Economist, AFD*

2. Financial Instruments and Incentive Systems

– Cash On Delivery : An Innovative Proposal for Linking Aid to Outcomes: **D. Bermingham**, *Center for Global Development*

– Argentina's innovative experiment with Results Based Financing for Health: **M. Sabignoso**, *National Coordinator for the NACER plan, Argentina*

Parallel event: 3rd Taskforce meeting on innovative financing in the field of health (reserved for Taskforce members)

- Presentation of initial recommendations by the Taskforce secretariat
- Discussion
- Next stages (G8 meeting, UN General Assembly)

1:00 p.m. / 2:30 p.m.: Ministerial lunch presided by: **Christine Lagarde**, *Minister for the Economy, Industry and Employment*
Participants: **JM. Sévérino**, *Director General, AFD / JP Landau*, *Second Deputy Governor, Banque de France*

Closing Plenary Session (2:30 p.m. / 5:30 p.m., hall 12)

Chairman: **Margaret Chan**, *Director general WHO*

Moderator: **Christian Masset**, *Director General, Ministry for Foreign and European Affairs, France*

- Feedback from workshops, round tables and taskforce (different chairmanships)
 - Presentation of chairmanship conclusions (or final declaration)
- Formal declarations: announcements of new memberships of the Leading Group and /or implementation of an innovative financing mechanism; practical measures for the Leading Group; future presidency
 - Speech by the upcoming presidency

Final conclusions of the French Presidency of the Leading group : **A. Joyandet**, *Secretary of State for Cooperation and Francophony, France*

5:30 p.m - 6:00 p.m.: Press conference (Auditorium)

* Intervention by videoconference