

**TWENTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL/
GLOBAL MINISTERIAL ENVIRONMENT FORUM
NAIROBI, 3-7 FEBRUARY 2003**

UPDATED PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

As at 30-1-03

WEDNESDAY, 29 JANUARY-FRIDAY, 7 FEBRUARY 2003

GLOBAL YOUTH RETREAT

29 January: Opening session at Gigiri Complex
29 January-2 February 2003, Karina Guesthouse, Garden Estate
3 February - 7 February 2003, Gigiri Complex

THURSDAY, 30 JANUARY-FRIDAY, 31 JANUARY 2003

**JUDGES AD HOC MEETING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PLAN OF WORK AS A FOLLOW-UP
TO THE GLOBAL JUDGES SYMPOSIUM RELATING TO CAPACITY BUILDING OF JUDGES,
PROSECUTORS, AND OTHER LEGAL STAKEHOLDERS**

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. each day, Conference Room 3

SATURDAY, 1 FEBRUARY –SUNDAY, 2 FEBRUARY 2003

GLOBAL CIVIL SOCIETY FORUM
9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Conference Room 4

SUNDAY, 2 FEBRUARY 2003

MEETINGS OF REGIONAL GROUPS
Time to be decided by each of the Regional Groups
Venues for the respective Groups to be announced

GLOBAL CIVIL SOCIETY FORUM
9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Conference Room 4

INFORMAL CONSULTATION WITH EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AMONG THE REGIONAL GROUPS
3 p.m.- 4 p.m.
Conference Room 1

MONDAY, 3 FEBRUARY 2003

MORNING

GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY

9 a.m. –9:30 a.m., next to UN-HABITAT Building

PLENARY

10 a.m. - 11.15 a.m.
Conference Room 2

Item 1: Opening of the session/forum

- Remarks by Hon. Mr. David Anderson, outgoing GC President
 - Message by Mr. Kofi Annan, the Secretary-General of the United Nations
 - Remarks by Hon. Dr. Newton Kulundu, Minister for Environment, Natural Resources and Wildlife, Republic of Kenya
 - Presentation by Hon. Justice Arthur Chaskalson, Chief Justice of South Africa, on the report of the Judges Ad-hoc Meeting
 - Statement by Dr. Klaus Töpfer, Executive Director of UNEP
- [order of the speakers to be confirmed]

-- Short break --

Item 2: Organization of the session/forum

Item 2(a): Election of officers

Item 2(b): Adoption of the agenda and organization of the work of the session/forum¹

Coffee Break

PLENARY

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Conference Room 2

Item 4: Policy issues

Item 4(a): State of the Environment

Item 4(b): Emerging policy issues

- Presentation on the state of the environment
 - Presentation by Mr. Pachauri, Chair, IPCC
- [Order of the speakers to be confirmed]

¹ The plenary will consider under provisional agenda item 2 (b) the establishment of sessional committees, i.e. a Committee of the Whole and a Drafting Group.

MONDAY, 3 FEBRUARY 2003

PRESS CONFERENCE
1 p.m. - 2 p.m., Press Centre

SPECIAL EVENT
Civil Society Forum Event on Rio Principle 10
1:15 p.m. - 3 p.m., Conference Room 4

AFTERNOON

PLENARY 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Conference Room 2
<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Presentation on the report of the Global Civil Society Forum <p>Item 4(b): Emerging policy issues</p> <p>Item focus: Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development: Environment and cultural diversity</p> <p>Item 6: Outcome of the World Summit on Sustainable Development</p> <p>Item 7: Linkages among and support to environment and environment-related conventions</p>	<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <p>Item 4(a): State of the environment</p> <p>Item 4(d): The role of civil society</p> <p>Item 4(e): International environmental governance</p> <p>Item 9: Programme, the Environment Fund and administrative and other budgetary matters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Organization of the work of COW▪ Election of the Rapporteur

EVENING

RECEPTION HOSTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL AND THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m., Fountain area

TUESDAY, 4 FEBRUARY 2003

MORNING

PLENARY 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Conference Room 2
<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <p>Item 6: Outcome of the World Summit on Sustainable Development (continues)</p> <p>Item 7: Linkages among and support to environment and environment-related conventions (continues)</p> <p>Session focus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development: Chemicals▪ Implementation of the outcomes of Doha Agreement: Trade and environment	<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <p>Item 4(c): Coordination and cooperation within and outside the United Nations, including non-governmental organizations</p> <p>Item 9: Programme, the Environment Fund and administrative and other budgetary matters</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL EVENT Civil Society Forum Event: Implementation Conference Africa- a Programme of Stakeholder Action for sustainable development in Africa 1:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m., Conference Room 4</p>

Tuesday, 4 February 2003

AFTERNOON

PLENARY 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Conference Room 2
<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <p>Item 6: Outcome of the World Summit on Sustainable Development (continues)</p> <p>Item 7: Linkages among and support to environment and environment-related conventions (continues)</p> <p>Session focus: Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development: Water</p>	<p>Item 4: Policy issues (continues)</p> <p>Item 5: Follow-up of General Assembly resolutions</p> <p>Item 8: Contribution to future sessions of the Commission on Sustainable Development</p>

EVENING

<p>SPECIAL EVENT Film entitled "Le Peuple Migrateur (The Migrating People) 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., Conference Room 2</p>

<p>SPECIAL EVENT Civil Society Forum Event: Launch of Indigenous People's report 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m., Old Cafeteria</p>

<p>RECEPTION HOSTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF KENYA Parliament Buildings (Time to be provided)</p>
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WEDNESDAY, 5 FEBRUARY 2003

MORNING

MINISTERIAL CONSULTATION

9 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Conference Room 2

Opening of the Ministerial Consultation

- Cultural component
 - Statement by the GC President
 - Message by Mr. Kofi Annan, Secretary-General of the United Nations
 - Remarks by Ms. Anna Kajumulo Tibaijuka, Executive Director, UN-HABITAT
 - Remarks by Dr. Klaus Töpfer, Executive Director of UNEP
 - H.E. Mr. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal
 - Hon. Mr. Mwai Kibaki, President of the Republic of Kenya
- [Order of the speakers to be decided]

--Short Break--

11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Discussion on " Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development: New Partnership for Africa's Development (NEPAD)"

Introduction by:

- H.E. Mr. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal

PRESS CONFERENCE (to be confirmed)

1 p.m.- 2 p.m., Press Centre

Wednesday, 5 February 2003

AFTERNOON

MINISTERIAL CONSULTATION 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Conference Room 2
Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, with special focus on Regional implementation of the outcomes of World Summit on Sustainable Development for UNEP's work	Item 9: Programme, the Environment Fund and administrative and other budgetary matters

EVENING

PANEL DISCUSSION/WORKING DINNER 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Conference Room 4/Fountain Area
<p style="text-align: center;">"Linkages between poverty and the environment"</p> <p>Presentations by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Prof. Partha Dasgupta, Frank Ramsey Professor of Economics, University of Cambridge▪ Dr. Ashok Khosla, Director, Development Alternative

THURSDAY, 6 FEBRUARY 2003

MORNING

MINISTERIAL CONSULTATION 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Conference Room 2
<p>Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable, with special focus on: Promotion of sustainable production and consumption patterns</p> <p>Introduction by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ H.E. Mr. Xie Zhenhua, Minister, State Environmental Protection Administration, China▪ H.E. Mr. Borge Brende, Royal Ministry of the Environment, Norway	<p>Item 9: Programme, the Environment Fund and administrative and other budgetary matters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Draft decisions▪ Adoption of the report and conclusion of the Committee's work

<p>SPECIAL EVENT Afghanistan Environment Assessment Report 1 p.m. - 2 p.m., Press Centre</p>
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<p>EU EVENT Renewable Energy Coalition 1 p.m. - 3 p.m., Conference Room 4</p>

Thursday, 6 February 2003

AFTERNOON

MINISTERIAL CONSULTATION 3 p.m. – 7 p.m. Conference Room 1	COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. Conference Room 2
<p>Implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, with special focus on State of the Environment-THE LIVING NATURAL RESOURCE BASE TO FIGHT POVERTY: UNEP contribution to the Biodiversity Commitments of WSSD</p> <p>Introduction by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ H.E. Mr. Lic. Victor Lichtinger, Minister for Environment and Natural Resources, Mexico <p>Lead intervention by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Ms. Waller-Hunter, Executive Secretary of UNFCCC▪	<p>Item 9: Programme, the Environment Fund and administrative and other budgetary matters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Draft decisions▪ Adoption of the report and conclusion of the Committee's work

EVENING

<p>SPECIAL EVENT Film entitled "Wanted Dead or Alive-Elephant poaching" 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. Conference Room 2</p>
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FRIDAY, 7 FEBRUARY 2003

MORNING

MINISTERIAL CONSULTATION/PLENARY

10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Conference Room 1

- Report of the President on the outcome of the roundtable discussions, including recommendations for UNEP

Item 10: Provisional agenda, date and place of: (a) the eighth special session of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum; (b) the twenty-third session of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum

- Adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole

PRESS CONFERENCE

1 p.m.- 2 p.m., Press Centre

AFTERNOON

PLENARY

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.
Conference Room 2

Item 3: Credentials of representatives

Item 11: Other matters

Item 12: Adoption of the report

Item 13: Closure of the session/forum

SATURDAY, 8 FEBRUARY 2003

FIELD EXCURSION

Focussing on poverty alleviation, the environment and sustainable development

8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Nairobi National Park, Ngong, and Kajiado