

Project Review Meeting
WTO Doha Round & South Asia: Linking Civil Society with Trade Negotiations
Scope Complex, CGO, Lodi Road, (Bhabha Hall)
New Delhi, December 21-22, 2006

Agenda

Thursday, 21 December 2006

1000 – 1100 Session 1: Inaugural

Welcome by Bipul Chatterjee, *Deputy Executive Director, CUTS International & Director, CUTS Centre for International Trade, Economics & Environment (CUTS CITEE)*

Special Address by S. N. Menon, *Former Commerce Secretary, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India*

Remarks by Maaïke de Loo, *Programme Officer - South Asia, Oxfam Novib, The Netherlands*

Vote of Thanks by Simi T B, *Researcher, CUTS Centre for International Trade, Economics & Environment, India*

1100 – 1130 Tea/Coffee

1130 – 1300 Session 2: Agriculture – Special Products and Special Safeguard Measures

Mehnaz Ajmal Paracha, *Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Pakistan*

Veena Jha, *India Programme Coordinator, United Nations Centre for Trade and Development (UNCTAD), India Programme*

1300 – 1400 Lunch

1400 – 1530 Session 3: Services

Selim Raihan, *Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh*

Pranav Kumar, *Policy Analyst, CUTS Centre for International Trade, Economics & Environment, India*

1530 – 1600 Tea/Coffee

1600 – 1730 Session 4: Duty and Quota Free Market Access

Shiv Raj Bhatt, *Economist, South Asia Watch on Trade, Economics & Environment (SAWTEE), Nepal*

Atiur Rahman, *Chairman, Unnayan Shamannay, Dhaka, Bangladesh*

Friday, 22 December 2006

0930 – 1100 Session 5: Non-Tariff Barriers in NAMA

Pranav Kumar, *Policy Analyst, CUTS Centre for International Trade, Economics & Environment, India*

Manzur Ahmed, *Adviser, Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Bangladesh*

1100 – 1130 Tea/Coffee

1130 – 1300 Session 6: Preference Erosion and Aid for Trade

Janaka Wijayasiri, *Research Economist, Institute of Policy Studies (IPS), Sri Lanka*

Huma Fakhar, *Fakhar Law International, Pakistan*

1300 – 1400 Lunch

1400 – 1500 Session 7: Closing Remarks

Closing Remarks by G. K. Pillai, *Secretary, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India*