

# Vulnerable developing countries in the post 2015 development agenda

April 16<sup>th</sup> 2013, from 10 am to 1 pm, at UN NLB, Conference Room 6

## *Agenda Proposal* (11.4.13)

*Main statements are expected to last 10-15' each, short comments 3-5' max*

### **10h to 10h10                    Introduction**

Gyan Chandra **Acharya**, Under-Secretary-General, High Representative for LDCs, LLDCs and SIDS (OHRLLS)

### **10h10 to 11h30                Main issues identified**

Patrick **Guillaumont**, Président de la Ferdi, Professeur émérite: « Three reasons to take into account the specificities of vulnerable developing countries in the post 2015 development agenda and the involvement of Ferdi and LDC IV Monitor in this context”

Nathalie **Broadhurst**, Sous-Directrice des Politiques du Développement, Direction générale de la Mondialisation, du Développement et des Partenariats, Ministère des Affaires étrangères, France : “French vision on the post 2015 agenda : a focus on the needs of the most vulnerable countries (and a differentiated approach)”

Lucien Marie Noel **Bembamba**, Ministre de l’Economie et des Finances, Burkina Faso: “What an African and landlocked LDC is expecting from the post 2015 development agenda, compared to the previous MDGs agenda”

**Interactive Discussion**, including a short comment by Maurice **Kugler**, Head of the research team, Human Development Report Office, UNDP

### **11h30 to 12h50                How the international community is addressing the issues**

Haroon **Bhorat**, Professor and **Research Specialist** for the Secretariat of the HLP : discussion on the concerns of LDCs, LLDCs and SIDS in light of the work of the HLP and how it combines the principle of universal goals with the need to address the specific issues of the vulnerable developing countries.

Federico **Bonaglia**, Head, Policy Dialogue Division, OECD Development Centre and Member of the LDC IV Monitor: “Why the achievement of the extended goals of the post 2015 agenda involves the design of an international strategy for supporting the development of the most vulnerable countries”

**Interactive Discussion**, including a short comment by Nicola **Crosta**, Head, Knowledge, Policy and Advocacy, UN Capital Development Fund,

### **12h50 to 13h                    Conclusions**

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