



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

16 June 2015

Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 20 February 2015 by which I forwarded the Concept Note for the High-Level Event on Climate Change which I will convene on 29 June 2015, I have the honour to transmit herewith the Provisional Programme for the Event.

Given the high number of participants and in order to accommodate requests from Member States to speak, the Event may be extended to the morning of 30 June 2015.

I look forward to the participation of Member States and Observers at high level.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sam K. Kutesa', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Sam K. Kutesa

All Permanent Representatives and
Permanent Observers to the United Nations
New York.

**High-Level Event on Climate Change
29 June 2015
Provisional Programme**

Morning Session	
9.00 – 10.00 a.m.	<p>Opening Segment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E Mr. Sam K. Kutesa, President of the United Nations General Assembly • H.E Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations <p>Video Message</p> <p>Keynote speakers (5 Minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Mr. Anote Tong, President of the Republic of Kiribati • H.E. Mr. Mogens Lykketoft, Speaker of the Parliament of Denmark and President- elect of the 70th session of the General Assembly • H.E. Mr. Manuel Pulgar-Vidal, Minister of the Environment of Peru, President of COP20 • H.E. Mr. Laurent Fabius, Minister of Foreign Affairs of France, President of COP21 <p>Statements (5 Minutes each):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Ms. Christiana Figueres, Executive Secretary of UNFCCC • H.E. Mr. Vuk Jeremić, President of the Center for International Relations and Sustainable Development • Mr. Xiuhtezcatl Roske Martinez, Representative of Civil Society
10.00 – 1.00 p.m. 10.00- 11.30 a. m	<p>Panel 1: <i>Mobilizing political momentum for ambitious actions on mitigation, adaptation and means of implementation</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Achim Steiner, Executive Director of UNEP</p> <p>Briefing by Co-Chairs of the Ad-hoc Group on the Durban Platform ADP (5 Minutes each):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Daniel Reifsnyder • Mr. Ahmed Djoghlaif

<p>11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.</p>	<p><u>Panelists (5 Minutes each)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Dr. Khaled Fahmy, Minister of Environment of the Arab Republic of Egypt • H.E. Mr. Thoriq Ibrahim, Minister of Environment and Energy of the Republic of Maldives • H.E. Ms. Izabella Monica Vieira Teixeira, Minister of Environment of Brazil • H.E. Mr. Xie Zhenhua, Special Representative on climate change of China • H.E. Mr. Miguel Arias Canete, Commissioner of the European Union in charge of Energy and Climate Change <p><u>Interventions by Member States and stakeholders (3 Minutes each):</u></p> <p>Moderator: H.E. Mr. Felipe Calderon, Former President of Mexico</p> <p><u>Panelists (5 Minutes each)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Ms. Edna Molewa, Minister of Environment of the Republic of South Africa • H.E. Mr. Sultan Ahmed Al Jaber, Minister in charge of Climate Change and Energy of the United Arab Emirates • H.E. Prof. Ephraim Kamuntu, Minister of Water and Environment of the Republic of Uganda • H.E. Ms. Isabella Lovin, Minister in charge of International Development Cooperation of Sweden • Mr. Trigg Talley, US Deputy Special Envoy for Climate Change <p><u>Interventions by Member States and stakeholders (3 Minutes each):</u></p>
<p>Afternoon Session</p>	
<p>3.00 - 3.10 p.m.</p>	<p>Statement by Robert Redford, Actor and Environmental Campaigner</p>
<p>3.10 - 5.45 p.m.</p>	<p>Panel 2: <i>Mobilizing stakeholders for ambitious actions on mitigation, adaptation and means of implementation</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Rachel Kyte, Vice President of the World Bank Group</p> <p>Panelists interventions (5 Minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Laurence Tubiana, France's Special Representative for COP21

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Jean Pierre Clamadiou, CEO of Solvay • Ms. Hela Cheikhrouhou, Executive Director of the Green Climate Fund • Ms. Monique Barbut, Executive Secretary of the UN Convention to Combat Desertification • Mr. Adnan Amin, Executive Director of IRENA, • Ms. Naoko Iishi, CEO of the Global Environment Facility <p><u>Interventions by Member States and stakeholders (3 Minutes each):</u></p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing Segment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Ban Ki-Moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations • H.E. Sam Kutesa, President of the 69th session of the UN General Assembly

* Possibility of continuation of the Event in the morning of June 30, 2015.