

Trade and Development Commission
Tenth session
Geneva, 12–16 November 2018
Room XXVI

Programme

	Monday, 12 November	Tuesday, 13 November	Wednesday, 14 November	Thursday, 15 November	Friday, 16 November
Morning 10 a.m.– 1 p.m.	<i>Opening plenary meeting</i> <u>Item 1</u> Election of officers <u>Item 2</u> Adoption of the agenda and organization of work Opening statement General statements Presentation by Ms. Pamela Coke-Hamilton, Director, Division on International Trade and Commodities (DITC), UNCTAD Presentation by Ms. Shamika N. Sirimanne, Director, Division on Technology and Logistics (DTL), UNCTAD	<i>Second informal meeting</i> <u>Item 4</u> Trade, multilateral cooperation and sustainable development (continued) “Sustainable development through trade facilitation partnerships and reforms” Panel discussion Moderator: Mr. Jan Hoffmann, Chief, Trade Logistics Branch, DTL, UNCTAD Panellists: H.E. Ms. Dalia Kadišienė, Minister Counsellor Permanent Mission of the Republic of Lithuania H.E. Mr. Diego Aulestia Valencia, Ambassador, Ecuador H.E. Mr. Osman Abufatima Adam Mohammed, Ambassador, Sudan H.E. Mr. Taonga Mushayavanhu, Ambassador, Zimbabwe	<i>Fourth informal meeting</i> <u>Item 3</u> Reports of expert meetings (a) Reports of the multi-year and single-year expert meetings: (i) Multi-year Expert Meeting on Commodities and Development (tenth session) (ii) Multi-year Expert Meeting on Trade, Services and Development (sixth session) (iii) Multi-year Expert Meeting on Enhancing the Enabling Economic Environment at All Levels in Support of Inclusive and Sustainable Development, and the Promotion of Economic Integration and Cooperation (second session) (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy (seventeenth session) (c) Report of the Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Consumer Protection Law and Policy (third session) <u>Item 5</u> Progress report on promoting and strengthening synergies among the three pillars Presentation of progress report by Ms. Pamela Coke-Hamilton, Director, DITC, UNCTAD [Interactive discussion]	<i>Sixth informal meeting</i> Consideration of the draft outcome of the Commission	<i>Closing plenary meeting</i> <u>Item 6</u> Other business <u>Item 7</u> Adoption of the report of the Commission to the Trade and Development Board

		Mr. Stephen Février, Head of Mission, Organization of Eastern Caribbean States [Interactive discussion]	Presentation of progress report by Ms. Shamika N. Sirimanne, Director, DTL, UNCTAD [Interactive discussion]		
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Afternoon 3–6 p.m.	<i>First informal meeting</i> <u>Item 4</u> Trade, multilateral cooperation and sustainable development “Multilateralism under threat – what next?” Panel discussion Moderator: Ms. Pamela Coke-Hamilton, Director, DITC, UNCTAD Panellists: H.E. Mr. Julian Braithwaite, Ambassador of the United Kingdom to the United Nations and other international organizations H.E. Ms. Cheryl Spencer, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Jamaica to the United Nations H.E. Mr. Zhang Xiangchen, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of China to the World Trade Organization	<i>Third informal meeting</i> <u>Item 4</u> Trade, multilateral cooperation and sustainable development (continued) “Energizing existing and emerging regional trade agreements towards the Sustainable Development Goals” Panel discussion Moderator: H.E. Ms. Mere Falemaka, Permanent Representative, Pacific Islands Forum Panellists: H.E. Mr. Carlos Mario Foradori, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Argentina to the United Nations H.E. Mr. Chi Dung Duong, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Viet Nam to the United Nations (TBC)	<i>Fifth informal meeting</i> <u>Item 4</u> Trade, multilateral cooperation and sustainable development (continued) “Trade in an unequal world – promoting inclusiveness” Panel discussion Moderator: Ms. Caitlin Kraft-Buchman, Founder/ Executive Director, Women@TheTable Panellists: Mr. Ricardo Meléndez-Ortiz, Chief Executive Officer, International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development Ms. Isabel Ortiz, Director, Social Protection, International Labour Organization Ms. Carolyn Rodrigues-Birkett, Director, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, Liaison Office, Geneva Mr. Antonino Serra Cambaceres, Coordinator of Programme for Latin America and the Caribbean, Consumers International	<i>Seventh informal meeting</i> Consideration of draft outcome of the Commission (continued)	
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	Mr. Paolo Garzotti, Deputy Permanent Representative of the European Union to the World Trade Organization Mr. Mr. John O'Neill, Deputy Permanent Representative of Canada to the World Trade Organization [Interactive discussion]	H.E. Ms. Socorro Flores Liera, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations (TBC) Ms. Ana Laura Lizano, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Costa Rica to the World Trade Organization Mr. Carlos María Correa, Executive Director, South Centre Mr. Rashid Kaukab, Executive Director, Consumer Unity and Trust Society International, Geneva [Interactive discussion]	[Interactive discussion]		
6.15–7.30 p.m.	Cocktails Delegates Restaurant, A-Building, 8th floor				