

**CSD15 - Industrial Development**  
**“Industry as a Partner for Sustainable Development :  
Managing supply chains and investment to unchain value”**

Date/Time: Monday, 7 May 2007, 13h15 - 15h00  
Venue: Delegates Dining area, UN Headquarters, New York

*Hosted by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) with the International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD) and with the support of the Governments of Norway and South Africa, this multi-stakeholder event will explore options and actions for supporting the ability of developing markets to achieve sustainable development goals through supply chains and responsible investment management.*

**Draft Annotated Agenda**

*13.00 Moderator Paul Hohnen welcomes participants and invites them to serve themselves from the buffet lunch and promptly take their seats.*

**13.15 Welcome by Governments of Norway** - Dr Paul Hofseth, Director General, Ministry of the Environment - **and South Africa** - Dr Tshenge Demana, Executive Manager, Department of Trade and Industry

**13.25 Keynote address by David Runnalls**, President, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)

**13.35 Panel 1: Supply Chain Management in a globalising world:** What are the current issues? How do companies balance the need for lower costs with the need for higher standards? How can they help suppliers in the developing world to meet international standards and expectations? What is expected of Governments in framing a more enabling environment for supply chains to uphold key principles of sustainable development?

- **Jacqueline Cote**, Senior Advisor: Advocacy and Partnerships, World Business Council for Sustainable Development (*a business perspective on how global supply chains can support or undermine sustainable development, and what is expected of policy-makers in Government*)
- **Susana Marti**, CSR Manager, Telefonica (*on how Telefonica is working in Latin America to improve sustainability performance of its suppliers and support improved application of ICT to promote similar goals*)
- **Barbara Morton**, Sustainable Procurement Advisor, Procurement and Contracts Division, UK Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (*on the UK Government Sustainable Procurement Action Plan published in March 2007, and the role of government in using supply chains to improve social and environmental conditions*).

- **Richard Lloyd**, Executive Director, Consumers International (*on how consumer purchases are affected by development, human rights and environmental issues, and communicating needs between the local consumer and the foreign producer*)
- **Lucien Royer**, Trade Union Advisory Committee to the OECD (*on organised labour's vision for environmental and social responsibility in global supply chains*)

14. 00 Questions and facilitated discussion.

14.15 **Panel 2: Responsible Investment - from making the commitment to rewarding leading companies and innovators in cleaner technologies:** What progress is being made in implementing new responsible investment commitments made in the mainstream institutional investment and asset management community? Are they helping new business models and cleaner technologies to scale up in different sectors and regions - in particular emerging markets and economies? How can Governments ensure a regulatory environment that enables financial markets to think and act more long term?

- **Angeline Kung**, Executive Associate, Goldman Sachs (*views from an investment banker on challenges in investment research when applying environmental and social responsibility criteria to operations in different sectors and countries*)
- **Andrea Moffat**, Director of Corporate Programs, CERES (*on how NGOs are shaping investment behaviour, and what is expected of private and public institutions to help speed up change in the mainstream*)
- **Jack Cogen**, President and Chief Executive Officer, Natsource LLC (*on progress made via energy brokerage and advisory services, and challenges faced in making market instruments work to deliver cleaner technologies*)
- **Robert Kee**, Senior Vice President, Global Technology and Operations, Bank of America (*on challenges in its US\$ 20 billion green investment initiative to support the growth of environmentally sustainable business activity to address climate change*)

14.40 Questions and facilitated discussion.

14.55 **Industry as a Partner for Sustainable Development - closure by Mark Radka**, Head: Energy Branch, Division of Technology, Industry and Economics, United Nations Environment Programme

15.00 Meeting concludes