

Workshop on insurance-related actions to address the specific needs and concerns of developing country Parties arising from the adverse effects of climate change and from the impact of the implementation of response measures

**Rheinhotel Dreesen, Bonn, Germany
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Final Agenda

Day 1: Wednesday 14 May 2003

- 09:00 - 09:30 Opening session
09:30 - 10:30 **Overview of insurance-related actions in the context of the adverse effects of climate change** (*Joanne Bayer, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis*)
10:30 - 10:45 *Coffee break*
10:45 - 11:45 **Forging innovative public-private insurance mechanisms to address climate-related losses - What is needed** (*Paul Clemens Hunt, UNEP Finance Initiatives*)
11:45 - 12:30 **Linking disaster risk reduction and climate change adaptation** (*John Harding, Secretariat of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction*)
12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch*
14:00 - 14:45 **The Canadian Disaster Experience: Driving Forces** (*David Etkin, Environment Canada*)
14:45 - 15:30 **Risk management best practices** (*David Crichton, Middlesex University and University College London*)
15:30 - 15:45 *Coffee break*
15:45 - 17:45 Brainstorming session

Day 2: Thursday 15 May 2003

- 09:30 - 10:30 **Overview of insurance-related actions in the context of the impact of the implementation of response measures** (*Axel Michaelowa, Hamburg Institute of International Economics*)
10:30 - 11:30 **Fiscal policy in oil exporting countries and the role of oil saving and stabilization funds** (*Ugo Fasano, International Monetary Fund*)
11:30 - 12:30 **National initiatives to hedge against potential loss of oil revenues: The Norwegian Government Petroleum Fund** (*Kjersti Flåtthen, Norwegian Ministry of Finance*)
12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch*
14:00 - 15:00 **Capacity-building needs for risk assessment in the context of losses arising from the impact of the implementation of response measures** (*Axel Michaelowa, Hamburg Institute of International Economics*)
15:00 - 16:15 Concluding Panel on insurance-related actions in the context of the adverse effects of climate change
16:15 - 16:30 *Coffee Break*
16:30 - 17:45 Concluding Panel on insurance-related actions in the context of the impact of the implementation of response measures
17:45 - 18:00 Closing session