

FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE - Secretariat CONVENTION - CADRE SUR LES CHANGEMENTS CLIMATIQUES - Secrétariat

IN SESSION WORKSHOP ON IMPACTS OF, AND VULNERABILITY AND ADAPTATION TO, CLIMATE CHANGE

Application of methods and tools, including regional models, for assessing impacts and vulnerability and adaptation

Linkages between adaptation and sustainable development

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

8 December 2004 (3.00 -7.00 p.m.)

Welcome and introduction by the Workshop Chair, Mr. Abdullatif S. Benrageb

Presentations and Q&A:

- Overview of existing approaches/methods/tools to assessments of vulnerability and adaptation. **Mr. Richard Klein** (PIK, Germany)
- Use of climate scenarios developed from regional climate model experiments for impacts and adaptation studies **Ms. Linda Mearns** (NCAR, USA)
- Application of regional models for India Mr. Rupa Kumar Kolli (TERI, India)
- Tools to assess vulnerability and help adapt to climate change in a temperate developed agricultural economy Ms. Judy Lawrence (New Zealand Climate Change Office)
- Preparedness for climate related disasters: general approach, strategy and methods **Ms. Marjorie Soto Franco** (Red Cross, Nicaragua)
- Arctic Climate Impact Assessment and implication on the sustainable development of the region **Mr. Robert Correll** (ACIA project, USA)
- Climate change, adaptation and sustainable development: experiences & challenges Mr. Joseph Konno (Environmental Protection Agency, Federal States of Micronesia)
- The fate of indigenous communities under climate change Mr. Osvaldo F. Canziani (Fundación Ecológica Universal, Argentina).

Exchange of views and lessons learned

Wrap-up by the Chair