

## EIF Programme at the Third Global Review of Aid for Trade

18 to 19 July 2011, Geneva

### Overview

The Third Global Review of Aid for Trade gives the EIF an opportunity to build on the high-level political support expressed for the EIF at UN LDC-IV in Istanbul with dedicated working sessions for LDCs and development partners with a view to driving EIF delivery on the ground.

The sessions aim to (i) share information on the EIF and provide updates on progress; (ii) support LDCs and development partners in their roles in the wider EIF architecture, outlining tools and assistance available; and (iii) set out the next steps for the programme going forward.

### Programme

#### ***DEVELOPMENT PARTNER SESSION***

Time and venue: Tuesday, 19 July, 14:45 to 16:15, WTO Room E

Co-chairs: Ambassador of Finland and Ambassador of Lesotho

Participants: Development partners; EIF partners

14:45 to 14:55	Introductory remarks by the Chair of the Global EIF Steering Committee and the Chair of the EIF Board
14:55 to 15:15	Role of the Donor Facilitator in driving EIF delivery (presentation by the ES and the TFM)
15:15 to 15:25	Case story on donors in-country: Nepal (presentation by the Government of Nepal in partnership with the Government of Germany as Donor Facilitator)
15:25 to 15:35	Overview of donors at the global level on enhancing coordination between Geneva, capitals and in-country (Denmark as Donor Coordinator, Geneva)
15:35 to 16:10	Discussion and experience-sharing with a focus on actions going forward
16:10 to 16:15	Closing remarks and next steps by Co-chairs

**LDC SESSION**

Time and venue: Tuesday, 19 July, 16:30 to 18:00, WTO Room E

Co-chairs: Ambassador of Finland and Ambassador of Lesotho

Audience: Senior officials and Focal Points; EIF partners

16:30 to 16:40	Introductory remarks by the Chair of the Global EIF Steering Committee and the Chair of the EIF Board
16:40 to 17:00	Role of Senior officials in driving EIF delivery (presentation by the ES and the TFM)
17:00 to 17:40	Discussion and experience-sharing with a focus on actions going forward
17:40 to 17:45	Closing remarks and next steps by Co-chairs (for closing session)
17:45 to 18:00	Bilateral discussions between the ES/TFM and Focal Points upon request

**UNDP "ADDRESSING THE CHALLENGES OF MAINSTREAMING TRADE"**

(in co-operation with EIF)

Time and venue: Monday, 18 July, 16:30 to 18:00, WTO Room D

**PREMIERE OF THE EIF FILM "TRADE WORKS: BOOSTING LIVELIHOODS, BUILDING FUTURES"**

Time and venue: Monday, 18 July, 13:00 to 13:30, WTO Room CR, with opening remarks by Ambassador Maruping

**EIF DISPLAY AREA ON 18 and 19 JULY (Salle des Pas Perdus and Council Room lobby)**

- EIF LDC Trade Exhibition with products from across EIF countries supported (or with planned support in the pipeline) through the EIF and wider Aid for Trade initiatives
- EIF photo gallery, EIF country profiles, brochures and flyers, displays, EIF film DVDs
- EIF media briefings and additional press interviews upon request