

Lunch Event Thursday, 21 February 2008 12:00 - 2:00 PM



(you are also welcome to join at 1 PM after the roundtables)

Women as the Voice for the Environment - WAVE High Level Ministerial Side Event UNEP Governing Council Meeting, MONACO 2008 Green Room (Espace Le Guelfe) Meeting language: English, no translation will be available

"Financing Climate Change Measures – from a gender and rights perspective"

The High-Level event will bring together the Network of Women Ministers of the Environment, delegates and civil society representatives, to discuss key policy issues including bio-fuels, nuclear, mitigation and adaptation programmes and their impact on women and the poor.

A simple lunch will be served

<u> OPENING 12:15 – 12:30</u>

Gender - missing links in financing climate change adaptation and mitigation Ms. Ulrike Roehr, Gender CC, Women for Climate Justice, Germany

PANEL DISCUSSION 12:30 - 13:00

Panel discussion part 1: Keep nuclear energy out of climate change policies?

- Ms. Tórunn Sveinbjarnardóttir, Minister of Environment, Iceland. Co-Chair Network of Women Ministers for Environment
- Ms. Anjelka Mihailova, NGO Environmental Ambassadors, Serbia
- Ms. Tamara Malkova, Green Dosier/ ANPED, Ukraine
- Ms. Sabine Bock, WECF Women in Europe for a Common Future, Germany

PANEL DISCUSSION 13:00 - 14:00

Panel discussion part 2: Financing Climate Change whilst empowering women and the poor

- Ms. Rejoice Thizwilondi Mabudafhasi, Minister of Environment of South Africa Co-Chair Network of Women Ministers for Environment
- Ms. Batilda Burian, Minister of Environment, Tanzania
- Mr. Bert Koenders, Minister for Development Cooperation, Netherlands
- Ms. Mildred Mkandla, Earthcare Africa Policy Mon. Institute
- Ms. Yana Dordina, Projects Coordinator, RAIPON
- Ms. Tina Jortikka-Laitinen, Director, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Finland

Panel discussion part 3: Which role can bio-fuels play to tackle climate change, and what are the social and gender impacts?

- Ms. Liana Bratasida, Assistant Minister of Environment Indonesia
- Ms. Jacqueline Cramer, Minister of Environment, Netherlands
- Ms. Elizabeth Thompson, Minister of Environment, Barbados
- Mr. Marcello Furtado, Campaign Director, Greenpeace

Comments and discussion with Ms. Ulrike Roehr, and the Network of Women Environmental Ministers Introduction and moderation by

- Ms. Janet Kabeberi-Macharia, Senior Gender Advisor, UNEP
- Ms. Sascha Gabizon, Executive Director WECF Women in Europe for a Common Future

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