

Senior Officials Segment			Ministerial Segment												
Thursday, 24 April 2008			Friday, 25 April 2008			Saturday, 26 April 2008			Sun, 27 Apr	Monday, 28 Apr 2008	Tuesday, 29 Apr 2008	Wednesday, 30 Apr 2008			
09:00-09:30: <b>Senior Officials Segment</b>  <b>Item 1: Opening of the session:</b>  (a) Opening addresses; (b) Election of officers (c) Adoption of the agenda.			09:30-11:00 <b>Informal consultative meeting with delegations of Least Developed and Land-locked Developing Countries and Economies in Transition</b>			09:00-11:00: <b>Committee of the Whole I</b>			09:00-11:00: <b>Committee of the Whole II</b>	09:00-11:00: <b>Committee of the Whole III</b>	09:00-10:00: <b>Opening of Ministerial Segment</b> - <b>Opening &amp; keynote statements;</b> - <b>Election of officers</b>	09:00-11:00 <b>High-level Panel on MDGs</b>			
09:30-10:00 Break			11:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole I</b>  <b>Item 4:</b> Technical coop. activities.			Consideration and approval of draft Reports from Committee of the Whole I			Consideration and approval of draft reports from Committee of the Whole II	Consideration and approval of draft report from Committee of the Whole III				10:00-17:00 <b>Asian &amp; Pacific Business Forum</b>  (APBF 2008)	11:00-12:15 <b>Side event on “UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities: Towards Inclusive Development in Asia-Pacific”</b> Reception Hall, UNCC
10:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole I</b>  <b>Item 3:</b> Management issues	10:00-12:00: <b>Committee of the Whole II</b>  <b>Item 2 (a):</b> Poverty Reduction	10:00-12:00: <b>Committee of the Whole III</b>  <b>Item 2(b):</b> Managing Globalization	<b>Item 5:</b> Dates, venue & theme topic for 65 <sup>th</sup> session of the Commission			11:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole II</b>  <b>Item 2(c) (Cont'd)</b> Emerging social issues			11:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole III</b>  <b>Item 2(b)</b> Managing Globalization (Cont'd)			10:00-10:30: <b>Break</b>	11:00-12:30 <b>Item 7</b> <b>Policy issues for the Asian &amp; Pacific region.</b> (Cont'd)		
12:00-14:00: Lunch	12:00-14:00 Lunch	12:00-14:00 Lunch	12:00-14:00: Lunch			12:00-14:00: Lunch			10:30-13:00: <b>Item 6: Ministerial Roundtable on “Energy security and sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific”</b>			13:00-14:30: <b>ES’s luncheon in honour of heads of delegations (by invitation) and MDG side event</b> UNCC Dining Room	12:45-13:45: <b>Side event on “Towards a supportive financial system for achieving MDGs”.</b> UNCC Dining Rm		
14:00-17:00: <b>Committee of the Whole I</b>  <b>Item 3</b> Management issues (Cont'd)	14:00-17:00: <b>Committee of the Whole II</b>  <b>Item 2(d)</b> Countries with Special Needs  <b>Item 2(c)</b> Emerging social issues	14:00-17:00: <b>Committee of the Whole III</b>  <b>Item 2(b)</b> Managing Globalization (Cont'd)	14:00-17:00 <b>Working Group on Draft Resolutions (WGDR)</b>			14:00-17:00 <b>Working Group on Draft Resolutions (WGDR)</b>			14:00-17:00 <b>Working Group on Draft Resolutions (WGDR)</b>			13:00-14:30: <b>Installation of Mahatma Gandhi sculpture</b> Reception Hall, UNCC	14:00-17:00 <b>Item 7</b> <b>Policy issues for the Asian &amp; Pacific region.</b> (Cont'd)	14:00-17:00: <b>Item 9</b> <b>Adoption of the report of the Commission.</b>	
17:30-19:30: <b>Reception by the Executive Secretary</b> (for all participants) Reception Hall, Ground Fl, UNCC												18:30-21:00: <b>APBF Gala Dinner</b> (by invitation) Peninsula Bangkok Hotel	14:45-17:15: <b>Item 7:</b> <b>Policy issues for the Asian &amp; Pacific region.</b>	<b>Item 8</b> <b>Other matters.</b>	
18:00-20:00: Informal Working Group on Draft Resolutions												17:30-19:00: <b>Reception by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Thailand</b> (for all participants) Reception Hall, Ground Fl, UNCC			

**Tentative timetable**

**Thursday, 24 April 2008**

09:00-09:30 <b>Item 1: Opening of the session:</b> (a) Opening address; (b) Election of officers; (c) Adoption of the agenda		
09:30-10:00 Break		
10:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole I</b> <b>Item 3:</b> Management issues: (a) Implementation of Commission resolutions 58/1, 61/1 & 63/3; (d) Draft strategic framework for the biennium 2010-2011; (e) Development pillar; (f) Work of the regional institutions;	10:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole II</b> <b>Item 2 (a):</b> Poverty Reduction	10:00-12:00 <b>Committee of the Whole III</b> <b>Item 2(b):</b> Managing Globalization
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14:00-17:00 <b>Committee of the Whole I</b> <b>Item 3</b> Management issues (Cont'd) (b) Programme performance report for biennium 2006-2007; (c) Biennial evaluation report for 2006-2007; (g) Report of the OIOS on inspection of results-based management practices at ESCAP; (h) Activities of ACPR; (i) Reports of regional intergovernmental bodies.	14:00-17:00: <b>Committee of the Whole II</b> <b>Item 2(d)</b> Countries with Special Needs: LDCs, LLDCs & SIDS  <b>Item 2(c)</b> Emerging social issues	14:00-17:00: <b>Committee of the Whole III</b> <b>Item 2(b)</b> Managing Globalization (Cont'd)
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18:00-20:00 Informal Working Group on Draft Resolutions (IWGDR)		

64<sup>th</sup> session of the Commission  
 Senior Officials Segment (24-26 April 2008)

Friday, 25 April 2008

09:30-11:00

**Informal consultative meeting with delegations of least developed and land-locked developing countries and economies in transition**

11:00-12:00

**Committee of the Whole I**

**Item 4:**

Technical cooperation activities of ESCAP and announcement of intended contributions.

**Item 5:**

Dates, venue & theme topic for 65th session of the Commission

11:00-12:00

**Committee of the Whole II**

**Item 2(c)**

Emerging social issues (Cont'd)

11:00-12:00

**Committee of the Whole III**

**Item 2(b)**

Managing Globalization (Cont'd)

12:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-17:00

**Working Group on Draft Resolutions  
 (WGDR)**

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<b>Saturday, 26 April 2008</b>		
<p>09:00-11:00 <b>Committee of the Whole I</b></p> <p>Consideration and approval of draft reports for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Item 3: Management Issues;</li> <li>- Item 4: Technical Cooperation Activities;</li> <li>- Item 5: Dates, venue &amp; theme topic for the 65th session</li> </ul>	<p>09:00-11:00 <b>Committee of the Whole II</b></p> <p>Consideration and approval of draft reports for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Item 2(a): Poverty Reduction</li> <li>- Item 2(c): Emerging social issues;</li> <li>- Item 2(d): Countries with Special Needs.</li> </ul>	<p>09:00-11:00 <b>Committee of the Whole III</b></p> <p>Consideration and approval of draft reports for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Item 2(b): Managing Globalization</li> </ul>
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<p>12:00-14:00            Lunch</p>		
<p>14:00-17:00            <b>WGDR (Cont'd)</b></p>		

<b>Sunday, 27 April 2008</b>	
<p>10:00-17:00            <b>Asian and Pacific Business Forum (APBF 2008)</b></p>	<p>09:00-12:00 &amp; 14:00-17:00:            <b>WGDR (if needed)</b></p>
<p>18:30-21:00:            <b>APBF Gala Dinner</b> (by invitation) Venue: Peninsula Bangkok Hotel</p>	

**64<sup>th</sup> session of the Commission  
Ministerial Segment (28-30 April 2008)**

Monday, 28 April 2008	Tuesday, 29 April 2008	Wednesday, 30 April 2008
09:00-10:00 1. Opening of the Ministerial Segment (a) Opening & keynote statements; (b) Election of officers (Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the Commission)	09:00-11:00 <b>High-level Panel on MDGs</b>  <hr/> 11:00-12:30 <b>Item 7:</b> Policy issues for the Asian & Pacific region. (Cont'd)	11:00-12:15: Side event on "UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Towards Inclusive Development in Asia-Pacific" Venue: Reception Hall, UNCC
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14:45-17:15 <b>Item 7:</b> Policy issues for the Asian and Pacific region: (a) Key challenges for inclusive & sustain. economic & social development since the 63rd session; (b) Economic & social survey of Asia & the Pacific 2008; (c) Achieving the MDGs in the ESCAP region.	<b>Item 8:</b> Other matters	
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