

***Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
Tentative Calendar of Meetings***

January-December 2009

<i>Date</i>	<i>Title of Meetings / Activities</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Division/ Office</i>	<i>Work programme</i>	<i>Language</i>	<i>Funding</i>
<u>January 2009</u>						
08 – 09 Jan 2009	Regional Dialogue to Review Policies for the Eradication of Poverty and Hunger in the Region in Accordance with the Millennium Declaration	Bangkok	SDD	PB126758	E/	Regular budget
12 – 15 Jan 2009	Workshop on Sanitation Solutions for the Urban Poor in Pacific Islands States	Majuro	MPDD	PB126777	E/	GTZ
13 – 16 Jan 2009	Regional Workshop on Millennium Development Goals Monitoring	Bangkok	SD	PB126606	E/	UNSD/ADB
14 Jan 2009	Cambodian National Workshop on Project “Strengthening Life Skills for Positive Youth Behaviour”	Phnom Penh	SDD	PB127151	E/	Christian Conference of Asia (CCA)
20 – 21 Jan 2009	Workshop for Global Compact Focal Points in Asia	Bangkok	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden and the Netherlands
21 – 22 Jan 2009	Expert Group Meeting “Strengthening Partnerships for Development through Enhanced Regional Trade”	Bangkok	TID	PB126558	E/	Regular budget
22 Jan 2009	The Climate Game Change (APBF)	Bangkok	TID	PB118706	E/	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
28 – 30 Jan 2009	Capacity Development Workshop on Improving Agricultural Productivity, Water Use Efficiency and Rural Livelihoods	Bangkok	EDD	PB126828	E/	Regular budget
<u>February 2009</u>						
03 Feb 2009	The Steering Committee Meeting of Development Account Project for South Asia	Bangkok	SD	2-4-002	E/	United Nations development account

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03 – 05 Feb 2009	Expert Group Meeting to Assess the Progress in the Implementation of the Plan of Action on Population and Poverty Adopted at the Fifth Asian and Pacific Population Conference (APPC)	Bangkok	SDD	PB126705	E/	Regular budget
04 – 06 Feb 2009	The First Session of Committee on Statistics	Bangkok	SD	PB135650	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
06 Feb 2009	The Steering Committee Meeting of Development Account Project for South East Asia Countries	Bangkok	SD	2-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
10 – 11 Feb 2009	Fourth Session of the Technical Committee Meeting of the Asian and Pacific Centre for Agricultural Engineering and Machinery (APCAEM)	Chiang Rai, Thailand	TID	PB126552	E/	Participating Institutions
10 – 12 Feb 2009	Expert Group Meeting on “Developing Eco-efficient and Sustainable Urban Infrastructure in Asia and Latin America	Bangkok	EDD	PB126825	E/	United Nations development account
10 – 12 Feb 2009	MDG Retreat on Development Account “Supporting the Achievement of the MDGs in Asia and Pacific Region (ADB Component – Track 3)	Prachuab Khirikhan, Thailand	CSN	PB126781	E/	ADB
12 – 13 Feb 2009	Fourth Session of the Governing Council Meeting of the Asian and Pacific Centre for Agricultural Engineering and Machinery (APCAEM)	Chiang Rai, Thailand	TID	PB126552	E/	Participating Institutions
12 – 13 Feb 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Regional Follow-up to the World Programme of Action for Youth in the Year 2000 and Beyond: Ensuring Regional Youth Development	Bangkok	SDD	PB126704	E/	Regular budget
12 - 13 Feb 2009	Sri Lanka National Workshop on Strengthening Life Skills for Positive Youth Behaviour	Colombo	SDD	PB127151	E/	CCA
16 Feb 2009	Regional Thematic Working Group on International Migration, including Human Trafficking	Bangkok	SDD	PB126692	E/	Regular budget
16 – 20 Feb 2009	Training on Cognitive and Pilot Testing in the Context of Disability Statistics	Bangkok	SD	2-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
17 – 19 Feb 2009	Interregional Expert Group Meeting on Public-Private Partnerships in Infrastructure Development	Bangkok	TD	PB126434	E/	United Nations development account
17 – 19 Feb 2009	Workshop on Knowledge Transfer and Capacity Building for Water and Sanitation Services in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	MPDD	PB126777	E/	GTZ
17 – 20 Feb 2009	Pacific Information and Communications Technology Ministerial Forum	Nuku'alofa	IDD	PB126517	E/	Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency

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18 – 20 Feb 2009	1 st Community-based Rehabilitation (CBR) Asia-Pacific Congress	Bangkok	SDD	PB127140	E/R	Japan
18 – 20 Feb 2009	WTO/ITD/ESCAP National Workshop on WTO Matters for Scholars from Thailand	Bangkok	TID	PB126547	E/	WTO/ITD
19 – 20 Feb 2009	Fourth Session of the Senior Officials Committee on Energy Cooperation in North-East Asia	Busan, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126793	E/	Korea Energy Economics Institute (KEEI)
21 – 23 Feb 2009	Follow-up Training-of-Trainers Workshop on Freight Forwarding and Multimodal Transport	Phnom Penh	TD	5-4-003	E/	Section 22
24 Feb 2009	Sub-regional Seminar on the Prospective Benefits of Membership in Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Bangkok	TID	4-4-003	E/	United Nations development account
25 Feb 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-fourth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
25 – 26 Feb 2009	2 nd Meeting of Country Reporters on Housing Finance	Chiang Mai, Thailand	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
25 – 27 Feb 2009	31 st Session of the Standing Committee of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Bangkok	TID	PB126537	E/	Participating Governments
25 – 27 Feb 2009	Regional Symposium on Improving Awareness on ICT Applications for Disaster Management	Bishkek	IDD	PB126460	E/	Section 22
26 Feb 2009	Working Group on Pacific Island Developing Countries, 2 nd Session	Suva	EPOC	PB126353	E/	Regular budget
<u>March 2009</u>						
02 – 03 Mar 2009	National Workshop on Housing Finance	Jakarta	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
02 – 04 Mar 2009	National Workshop on Training of Trainers in Multimodal Transport and Logistics	Manila	TD	5-4-003	E/	Section 22
04 Mar 2009	Fifth Session of the Governing Council of the Centre for Alleviation of Poverty through Secondary Crops Development in Asia and the Pacific (CAPSA)	Bangkok	SDD	PB126745	E/	Participating Institutions
04 – 05 Mar 2009	Preparatory Meeting for the International Conference on Green Industry in Asia	Bangkok	EDD	PB126825	E/	ESCAP/UNIDO

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04 – 05 Mar 2009	Policy-level Expert Group Meeting on Operationalization of International Intermodal Transport Corridors in North-East and Central Asia	Tashkent	TD	PB126439	C/E/R	Republic of Korea
04 – 05 Mar 2009	Senior Officials Meeting on South-to-South Cooperation on Disability	Bangkok	SDD	8-4-001	E	Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability (APDC)
05 – 06 Mar 2009	Concluding Regional Workshop on “Strengthening Life Skills for Positive Youth Health Behaviour”	Bangkok	SDD	PB127151	C/E	CCA
05 – 07 Mar 2009	National Workshop on Foundation Course in Freight Forwarding, Multimodal Transport, Logistics and Supply Chain Management	Manila	TD	5-4-003	E/	Section 22
09 Mar 2009	International Women’s Day	Bangkok	SDD	PB126679	E/	Regular budget
10 – 11 Mar 2009	Inter-agency Task Force on Statistics of International Trade in Services	Bangkok	SD	PB126656	E/	United Nations Statistics Division
10 – 11 Mar 2009	Inter-agency Task Force on International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS)	Bangkok	SD	PB126656	E/	United Nations Statistics Division
12 Mar 2009	Joint Meeting of the Inter-agency Task Force on International Merchandise Trade Statistics and Task Force on Statistics of International Trade in Services	Bangkok	SD	PB126656	E/	United Nations Statistics Division
16 – 20 Mar 2009	ESCAP/ADB/UNDP Advocacy Workshop on MDGs for the Pacific	Nadi, Fiji	CSN	PB126781	E/	ADB/UNDP
17 Mar 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-fifth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
17 – 18 Mar 2009	14 th Session of the SPECA Project Working Group on Transport and Border Crossing (TWG-TBC)	Almaty, Kazakhstan	TD	PB126381	E/R	Regular budget
18 Mar 2009	7 th Meeting of the Regional Thematic Working Group on Poverty and Hunger	Bangkok	MPDD	PB126743	E/	Regular budget
23 Mar 2009	A Regional Review of the Economics of Climate Change	Bangkok	EDD	PB126831	E/	ADB
23 – 25 Mar 2009	National Workshop on Housing Finance	Ulaanbaatar	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
24 – 25 Mar 2009	UNESCAP/UNECE High-level Symposium on “Building Regional Capacity for Paperless Trade”	Bangkok	TID	4-4-002	E/R	United Nations development account
25 Mar 2009	World Water Day	Bangkok	EDD	PB126791	E/	Participating Governments

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25 – 27 Mar 2009	Expert Group Meeting on ICT and Disaster Risk Reduction	Bangkok	IDD	PB126877	E/	Regular budget
25 – 27 Mar 2009	ESCAP-ILO National Youth Employment Workshop	Tarawa	EPOC	PB126364	E/	ILO
25 – 27 Mar 2009	First Session of Committee on Disaster Risk Reduction	Bangkok	IDD	PB135666	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
<u>April 2009</u>						
02 – 03 Apr 2009	National Workshop on Housing Finance	Mumbai. India	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
07 Apr 2009	ARTNeT GMS Follow-up Research Team Meeting on the Political Economy of Regional Integration in the GMS: A Stakeholder Analysis	Bangkok	TID	PB126543	E/	Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)
08 – 09 Apr 2009	14 th Senior Officials Meeting of NEASPEC	Moscow	EDD	PB126813	E/	NEASPEC Core Funds
08 – 10 Apr 2009	Regional Inter-agency Consultative Meeting on Good Urban Governance	Kathmandu	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
20 Apr – 01 May 2009	Introduction to the Multilateral Trading System for Bhutanese Officials	Berne, Germany	TID	PB126588	E/	European Commission
21 Apr 2009	Training Seminar on Procedures for Making Notifications to the World Trade Organization on Trade Related Measures	Kathmandu	TID	PB126588	E/	European Commission
23 – 29 Apr 2009	65 th Session of Commission	Bangkok	OES	PB127874	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
<u>May 2009</u>						
04 – 06 May 2009	ESCAP-ILO National Youth Employment Workshop	Port Vila	EPOC	PB126364	E/	ILO/Regular budget
11 – 13 May 2009	UNESCAP/UNECE Seminar on Trade Facilitation at the Border in Central Asia	Dushanbe	TID	4-4-002	E/R	United Nations development account
12 – 14 May 2009	WTO/ESCAP High-Level Consultations on DDA Negotiations Issues for Senior Officials	Bangkok	TID	PB126544	E/	WTO

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13 – 15 May 2009	Expert Group Meeting in Preparation for the High-level Intergovernmental Meeting on the Review of the Implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action	Bangkok	SDD	PB126701	E/	Regular budget
15 May 2009	Ministerial Roundtable on Green Growth in Cambodia	Siem Riep, Cambodia	EDD	PB126822	E/	ESCAP/KOICA
18 May 2009	Regional Thematic Working Group on International Migration, including Human Trafficking	Bangkok	SDD	PB126692	E/	Regular budget
20 May 2009	Inception Meeting on Energy Efficiency for Public Buildings in Ulaanbaatar	Ulaanbaatar	EDD	PB126819	E/Mongolian	United Nations development account
20 – 22 May 2009	Regional Policy Forum on Trade Facilitation and SMEs in Times of Crisis	Beijing	TID	PB126548	E/	China
21 – 22 May 2009	ESCAP/ADB/UNDP Consultative Meeting	Bangkok	CSN	PB143749	E/	ADB
25 – 26 May 2009	TWG-GEEW Meeting	Bangkok	SDD	PB127145	E/	Regular budget
25 – 27 May 2009	Workshop on Estimating Household Unincorporated Enterprises with Some Market Production (HUEMs) and Informal Sector Value Added Using 1-2 Survey Data	Bangkok	SD	2-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
26 May 2009	Inception Meeting on Energy Efficiency for Public Buildings in Dushanbe	Dushanbe	EDD	PB126819	E/R	United Nations development account
27 – 28 May 2009	Policy Dialogue on the Impacts of the Global Economic Crisis on International Migration: Follow-up to the Asia-Pacific High-level Meeting on International Migration and Development	Bangkok	SDD	PB135646	E/	Regular budget
27 – 29 May 2009	32 nd Session of the Standing Committee of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Bangkok	TID	PB126537	E/	Participating Governments
28 – 29 May 2009	Workshop on Informal Employment and Informal Sector Data Analysis, Tabulations and Report Writing	Bangkok	SD	2-4-002	E	United Nations development account
29 May 2009	Roundtable on Making the Most of WTO Trade Facilitation Negotiation	Beijing	TID	PB126580	E/	Canada

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June 2009						
01 Jun 2009	Task Force on the Development of the Strategy for the Implementation of the Intergovernmental Collaborative Mechanism on Energy Cooperation in North-East Asia, First Meeting	Bangkok	EDD	PB126793	E/	Korea Energy Economics Institute (KEEI)
01 – 02 Jun 2009	ARTNeT Consultative Meeting on Bridging the Development Gaps in the GMS	Hanoi	TID	PB126543	E/	IDRC
01 – 03 Jun 2009	National Workshop on Housing Finance	Colombo	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
02 Jun 2009	UNESCAP Meeting of Executives of National Associations of Freight Forwarders and Logistics Service Providers	Bangkok	TD	PB126438	E/	Self-financed
02 – 03 Jun 2009	ESCAP-UNDP Regional Technical Seminar on Local Governance and Basic Services Delivery in Conflict Affected Areas	Bangkok	SDD	1-4-003	E/	Regular budget
02 – 05 Jun 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Preparation of Annexes to SCO Road Facilitation Agreement	Moscow	TD	PB126432	C/E/R	ADB
03 – 04 Jun 2009	Seventh Meeting of the Working Group on Energy Planning and Policy (Energy Cooperation in North-East Asia)	Bangkok	EDD	PB126793	E/	KEEI
03 – 04 Jun 2009	10 th Meeting of United Nations Road Safety collaboration	Bangkok	TD	PB126442	E/	Self-financed
04 Jun 2009	UNESCAP Regional Forum of Freight Forwarders, Multimodal Transport Operators and Logistics Service Providers	Bangkok	TD	PB126438	E/	Self-financed
08 – 10 Jun 2009	Expert Group Meeting on the Harmonization of National Legislations with the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	SDD	PB126703	E/	Regular budget
11 Jun 2009	Asian Global Compact Local Network (GCLN) Regional Meeting	Istanbul	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden/the Netherlands
11 Jun 2009	Ceremony to Mark the Entry into Force of the Intergovernmental Agreement on the Trans-Asian Railway Network	Bangkok	TD	PB126439	C/E/F/R	Republic of Korea
11 – 12 Jun 2009	Regional Inter-agency Meeting on the Promotion and Implementation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	SDD	PB127140	E/	Japan

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17 – 18 Jun 2009	Expert Group Meeting on “Towards a Low Carbon Development Path for Asia and the Pacific: Challenges and Opportunities to the Energy Sector”	Beijing	EDD	PB126794	E/	Regular budget
18 Jun 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-sixth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
18 Jun 2009	Policy Dialogue on Energy Efficiency for Low Carbon Development in Cities: Challenges and Opportunities	Beijing	EDD	PB126819	E/	Section 22
19 – 20 Jun 2009	Asia-Pacific Forum on Low Carbon Economy – China 2009 “China’s Low Carbon Development Pathway”	Beijing	EDD	PB126819	C/E	Department for International Development, U.K/Energy Research Institute, China
22 – 24 Jun 2009	Regional Workshop on Eco-efficient Urban Water Infrastructure	Singapore	EDD	6-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
22 – 26 Jun 2009	ESCAP/WTO ARTNeT Capacity Building Workshop for Trade Research	Bangkok	TID	PB126543	E/	IDRC
22 – 27 Jun 2009	First Training of Trainers Seminar on the Application of the Green Growth Tools	Bangkok	EDD	PB126825	E/	ESCAP/CSC/KOICA
29 – 30 Jun 2009	National Seminar on Prospective Benefits of Joining the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement for Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22
29 Jun – 01 Jul 2009	South-East Asia Workshop on Payments for Ecosystem Services: Incentives for Improving Economic Policy, Biodiversity Conservation and Natural Resource Management Target Performance	Bangkok	EDD	PB126825	E/	ESCAP/ARBCP/ACB/ADB/USAID
29 Jun – 03 Jul 2009	National Training of Trainers Workshop on Freight Forwarding, Multimodal Transport and Logistics	Ulaanbaatar	TD	PB126439	E/	Section 22
<u>July 2009</u>						
01 – 03 Jul 2009	National Workshop on Housing Finance	Islamabad	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
09 Jul 2009	Interagency Consultation on Youth Strategies	Bangkok	SDD	PB127142	E/	Regular budget
13 Jul 2009	Working Group on Pacific Island Developing Countries, Third Session	Suva	EPOC	PB126353	E/	Regular budget

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13 – 17 Jul 2009	Asia-Pacific Regional Preparation Meeting for 9 th Session of the Conference of Parties (COP9) of UNCCD	Bangkok	EDD	PB126817	E/	UNCCD
14 – 15 Jul 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Facilitating Global and Regional Trade	Bangkok	TID	PB126593	E/	Regular budget
20 – 22 Jul 2009	Thirteenth Session of the Intergovernmental Consultative Committee on the Regional Space Applications Programme for Sustainable Development in Asia and the Pacific-cum-Expert Meeting	Bangkok	IDD	PB126446	E/	Regular budget
20 – 22 Jul 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Regional Cooperation towards Building an Information Society in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	IDD	PB126877	E/	Regular budget
21 – 23 Jul 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Innovative Strategies towards Flood Resilient Cities in Asia-Pacific	Bangkok	IDD	PB126812	E/	Regular budget
22 Jul 2009	Consultative Meeting on the ESCAP Video on Accessibility in Thailand	Bangkok	SDD	PB127140	E/	Japan
22 – 23 Jul 2009	Conference on Social Policy in the Pacific	Suva	EPOC	3-4-003	E/	UNICEF and UNRISD
23 – 24 Jul 2009	Brainstorming Session on Linking IWRM, MDGs and Water Security – 2010 Regional State of the Environment Report (SOE)	Bangkok	EDD	PB126795	E/	IUCN and UNEP
27 – 30 Jul 2009	Regional Capacity Building Workshop on “Strengthening the Response to the Global Financial Crisis in Asia-Pacific: The Role of Monetary, Fiscal and External Debt Policies	Dhaka	MPDD	PB126767	E/	Section 22/Korea-ESCAP Cooperation Fund (KECF)
27 – 31 Jul 2009	National Training of Trainers Workshop on Freight Forwarding, Multimodal Transport and Logistics	Kathmandu	TD	PB126439	E/	Section 22
27 – 31 Jul 2009	Training of Trainers Course IWRM as a Basis for River Basin Organizations (RBO) Management “Improve Efficiency and Effectiveness for Water Security”	Bangkok	EDD	PB126818	E/	UNDP/Thailand
28 – 29 Jul 2009	National Seminar on Prospective Benefits of Joining the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement for Papua New Guinea	Port Moresby	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22
30 Jul 2009	Third Steering Committee Meeting of the EC-Nepal WTO Assistance Programme	Kathmandu	TID	PB126588	E/	European Commission

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30 Jul 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-seventh session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
<u>August 2009</u>						
08 – 14 Aug 2009	Seventeenth Annual Short Course in Global Trade Analysis	Bangkok	TID	PB126543	E/	International Development Research Centre (IDRC)
10 – 12 Aug 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Housing Finance Network	Jakarta	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
10 – 14 Aug 2009	National Training of Trainers Workshop on Freight Forwarding, Multimodal Transport and Logistics	Almaty	TD	PB126439	E/R	Section 22
11 – 13 Aug 2009	4 th Policy Consultation Forum of the Seoul Initiative	Incheon, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126822	E/	Republic of Korea
19 – 21 Aug 2009	Second Regional Workshop on the Eco-efficient Water Infrastructure Development in Asia and the Pacific	Incheon, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126818	E/	Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA)
20 – 21 Aug 2009	Expert Group Meeting on “Achieving the health-related Millennium Development Goals in South Asia”	Bangkok	SDD	PB126702	E/	Regular budget
25 – 27 Aug 20069	Asia-Pacific Regional Workshop on Mainstreaming ICT Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities	Bangkok	SDD	PB127144	E/	Disability Trust Fund
31 Aug – 05 Sep 2009	South-East Asian Training of Trainers Seminar on Green Growth Policy Tools Training for Low-carbon Development	Bangkok	EDD	PB126821	E/	KOICA
<u>September 2009</u>						
01 – 03 Sep 2009	National Training of Trainers Workshop on Multimodal Transport and Logistics	Yangon	TD	PB126439	E/	Section 22
02 – 04 Sep 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Improving Road Safety, Seminar on Road Maintenance in Asia and Third Working Group Meeting on the Asian Highway	Bangkok	TD	PB126436	C/E/R	Regular budget/United Nations development account
04 Sep 2009	ARTNeT GMS Capacity Building Workshop on Primary Data Collection and Competitiveness Analysis	Vientiane	TID	PB126543	E/	France

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07 Sep 2009	National Seminar on the Prospective Benefits for Cambodia in Joining the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement (APTA)	Phnom Penh	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 23
08 – 10 Sep 2009	Regional Workshop for Knowledge Hubs in Asia-Pacific Region	Nanjing, China	IDD	7-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
08 – 10 Sep 2009	E8-GEF-UNDESA-ESCAP Financing Sustainable Electrification South and South-East Asia Dialogues	Bangkok	EDD	PB126819	E/	E8
09 – 11 Sep 2009	14 th Session of the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities (CCSA)	Bangkok	SD	PB126656	E/	Regular budget
09 – 11 Sep 2009	Green Industry in Asia: Managing the Transition to Resource-efficient and Low Carbon Industries	Manila	EDD	PB126825	E/	ESCAP/UNIDO/ADB
09 – 11 Sep 2009	WTO/ESCAP Regional Seminar on Trade in Agriculture and Agriculture Negotiations	New Delhi	TID	PB126544	E/	WTO
11 Sep 2009	ARTNeT GMS Capacity Building Workshop on Primary Data Collection and Competitiveness Analysis	Phnom Penh	TID	PB126543	E/	France
14 – 24 Sep 2009	4 th Seoul Initiative Leadership on Green Growth	Incheon, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126821	E/	Republic of Korea
15 – 16 Sep 2009	ESCAP/WHO Meeting on the Improvement of Vital Statistics and Vital Registration	Bangkok	SD	PB126606	E/	Participating Governments
15 – 16 Sep 2009	Second North-East Asia Government-Business Dialogue	Ulaanbaatar	EDD	PB126793	E/	KEEI
16 – 17 Sep 2009	Asia-Pacific High-level Forum on ICPD at 15 (International Conference on Population and Development at 15)	Bangkok	SDD	PB127148	E/	United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)
16 – 17 Sep 2009	14D Training-of-Trainers (TOT) Course	Kuala Lumpur	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden/the Netherlands
16 – 18 Sep 2009	2009 SDplanNet-AP Annual Conference	Bangkok	EDD	PB126817	E/	International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)
17 – 18 Sep 2009	Fifth Senior Officials Committee on Energy Cooperation in North-East Asia	Ulaanbaatar	EDD	PB126793	E/	KEEI
17 – 18 Sep 2009	Expert Group Meeting on the Development of Economic Statistics in the Asian and Pacific Region	Bangkok	SD	PB126609	E/	Regular budget

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18 Sep 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-eighth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
18 Sep 2009	ARTNeT GMS Capacity Building Workshop on Primary Data Collection and Competitiveness Analysis	Hanoi	TID	PB126543	E/	France
21 – 25 Sep 2009	ARTNeT/RIS Follow-up Workshop on Gravity Modeling of Trade Facilitation and “Behind the Border” Measures Affecting Trade	New Delhi	TID	PB126543	E/	IDRC
23 – 25 Sep 2009	33 rd Session of the Standing Committee of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Bangkok	TID	PB126537	E/	Participating Governments
25 Sep 2009	ADB-ESCAP Workshop on Transport and Climate Change	Bangkok	EDD	PB126817	E/	Section 22
28 Sep – 02 Oct 2009	Inter-commissional Workshop on Socio-economic Disaster Evaluation	Bangkok	IDD	PB126521	E/	Regular budget
29 Sep – 01 Oct 2009	Expert Group Meeting on “Closing the Gaps: Strategies to Combat and Monitor Exclusion	Bangkok	SDD	8-4-002	E/	Regular budget
29 Sep – 01 Oct 2009	ESCAP/UNECE National Workshop on Establishing a Single Window in Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	TID	4-4-002	E/	Regular budget
<u>October 2009</u>						
02 Oct 2009	Interregional Wrap-up Workshop: United Nations Development Account 06/07B ‘Strengthening Social Inclusion, Gender Equality and Health Promotion’	Bangkok	SDD	PB126702	E/	Regular budget
06 – 07 Oct 2009	Sub-regional Workshop in Asian Countries on the Policy Recommendations on Key Socioeconomic Issues Contained in the Economic and Social Survey of Asia and the Pacific	Singapore	MPDD	PB126768	E/	Regular budget
07 – 08 Oct 2009	Sub-regional Seminar on Ageing Readiness in South-East Asia and South Asia	Jakarta	SDD	PB127141	E/	Macao, China
12 Oct 2009	World Habitat Day Commemorations	Bangkok	EDD	PB126740	E/T	Community Organizations Development Institute (CODI)

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13 – 15 Oct 2009	2 nd Regional Workshop on Enhancement and Communication Technology Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities	Incheon, Republic of Korea	SDD	PB127144	E/	Republic of Korea
14 Oct 2009	The International Day for Disaster Reduction and the ASEAN Day for Disaster Management	Bangkok	IDD	PB126823	E/	Regular budget
15 Oct 2009	Meeting on the Formation of an Asia-Pacific Network on Pro-poor Housing Finance	Bangkok	EDD	PB126782	E/	Regular budget
15 – 16 Oct 2009	WTO/ESCAP Regional Seminar on the WTO and Regional Trade Agreements (RTAs) for Asia-Pacific Economies	Bangkok	TID	PB126544	E/	WTO
15 – 16 Oct 2009	UNECE/ESCAP Seminar on Public-private Cooperation and International Standards for Trade Facilitation and the Single Window	Almaty	TID	4-4-002	E/	Section 35
19 – 20 Oct 2009	Sub-regional Workshop on Strengthening ICT Policies and Applications to Achieve MDGs and WSIS Goals in Southeast Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	IDD	PB126517	E/	Republic of Korea
19 – 20 Oct 2009	Expert Group Meeting to Identify Work Priorities of the New ESCAP Sub-regional Office for East and North-East Asia	Bangkok	OES		E/	Regular budget
21 – 22 Oct 2009	Expert Group Meeting to Identify Work Priorities of the New ESCAP Sub-regional Office for South and South-West Asia	Bangkok	OES		E/	Regular budget
21 – 22 Oct 2009	Sub-regional Workshop on Strengthening ICT Policies and Applications to Achieve MDGs and WSIS Goals in South Asia and Central Asia	Bangkok	IDD	PB126517	E/	Republic of Korea
21 – 23 Oct 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Cooperation and Harmonization of Green Labeling Programmes in North-East Asia	Suwon City, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126825	E/	NEASPEC
21 – 23 Oct 2009	Pacific Disability Ministers Meeting	Rarotonga	EPOC	PB126365	E/	Section 22 and AUSAID
21 – 23 Oct 2009	Regional Workshop for Knowledge Hubs in Central Asia and Neighboring Countries	Dushanbe	IDD	7-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
26 – 28 Oct 2009	LINK Meeting	Bangkok	MPDD	PB126751	E/	Regular budget
27 – 29 Oct 2009	Second Asia-Pacific Mayors' Forum on Environmentally Sustainable Urban Infrastructure Development	Ulsan, Republic of Korea	EDD	PB126825	E/	United Nations development account

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29 – 30 Oct 2009	Regional Workshop on Community e-Centre for Rural Development	New Delhi	IDD	PB126524	E/	ADB
29 – 30 Oct 2009	National Workshop on Pro-poor Housing Finance	New Delhi	EDD	PB126782	E/	Regular budget
30 Oct 2009	National Workshop on South Asian SMEs Value Chains	Colombo	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22
31 Oct – 1 Nov 2009	34 th Session of the Standing Committee of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Bangkok	TID	PB126537	E/	Participating Governments
<u>November 2009</u>						
01 Nov 2009	Third Multi-Stakeholder Steering Committee Meeting of the Asia-Pacific Research and Training Network on Trade (ARTNeT)	Bangkok	TID	PB126543	E/	IDRC
02 Nov 2009	Business Network on Climate Change	Bangkok	TID	PB126550	E/	ESCAP
02 Nov 2009	Introduction to Asia-Pacific Global Compact Community of Practice; Workshop VI Global Compact Local Network in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden/the Netherlands
02 – 03 Nov 2009	OECD-ESCAP Regional Conference on Corporate Responsibility: "Why Responsible Business Conduct Matters"	Bangkok	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden/the Netherlands
02 – 03 Nov 2009	Asia-Pacific Trade Economists' Conference Trade-Led Growth in Times of Crisis Celebrating the 5 th Anniversary of the Asia-Pacific Research and Training Network on Trade	Bangkok	TID	PB126543	E/	IDRC
02 – 05 Nov 2009	Workshop on Energy Efficiency in SPECA Countries	Bishkek	EDD	PB126819	E/R	Section 22
02 – 05 Nov 2009	Steering Committee Meeting on the Demonstration Runs of Transport Operations along the International Intermodal Transport Corridors in North-East and Central Asia	Bishkek	TD	PB126440	C/E/R	Republic of Korea
04 – 06 Nov 2009	Workshop for Global Compact Local Networks in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	TID	PB126592	E/	Sweden/the Netherlands
04 – 06 Nov 2009	Committee on Trade and Investment, First Session	Bangkok	TID	PB135653	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
05 Nov 2009	SPECA Project Working Group on Water and Energy Resources, seventeen session	Bishkek	EDD	PB126793	E/R	UNECE/ESCAP

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09 Nov 2009	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and twenty-ninth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
09 Nov 2009	National Workshop on South Asian SMEs Value Chains	Dhaka	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22
09 – 10 Nov 2009	Policymaker Workshop and Preparatory Meeting for the Regional Report for MCED6	Bangkok	EDD	PB126817	E/	Section 22
09 – 11 Nov 2009	High-level Symposium on Pro-poor Housing Finance	Bangkok	EDD	1-4-003	E/	Section 22
09 – 12 Nov 2009	Consultative Meeting on the World's Women 2010: Trends and Statistics	Bangkok	SD	PB126606	E/	Regular budget
10 – 13 Nov 2009	Preparatory Meeting on the Establishment of the Council of Ministers on Water Security	Bangkok	EDD	6-4-003	E/	Section 22
12 – 13 Nov 2009	ESCAP/ADB/WTO Meeting of Aid for Trade Regional Technical Group for Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	TID	PB126580	E/	ADB
16 – 17 Nov 2009	Fifth Session of the Governing Council of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific	Phuket, Thailand	SDD	PB126607	E/	Participating Institutions
16 – 18 Nov 2009	High-level Intergovernmental Meeting to Review Progress Made on Implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action	Bangkok	SDD	PB126697	E/	Regular budget
16 – 20 Nov 2009	Regional Training of Trainer (TOT) Workshop on Transport and Logistics	Bangkok	TD	PB126439	E/	Section 22
17 – 19 Nov 2009	ESCAP-ILO National Youth Employment Workshop	Port Moresby	EPOC	PB126364	E/	Regular budget/ILO
18 – 19 Nov 2009	Editorial Committee Meeting for the Asia-Pacific Disaster Report	Bangkok	IDD	PB126823	E/	Regular budget
19 Nov 2009	National Workshop on South Asian SMEs Value Chains	Kathmandu	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22
20 Nov 2009	13 th Meeting of the Regional Interagency Working Group on ICT	Bangkok	IDD	PB126502	E/	Regular budget
23 Nov 2009	Regional Thematic Working Group on International Migration, including Human Trafficking	Bangkok	SDD	PB126692	E/	Regular budget
23 – 24 Nov 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Economic and Social Performance and Issues in the ESCAP Region	Bangkok	MPDD	PB126738	E/	Regular budget

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24 – 25 Nov 2009	Regional Workshop on Engendering Energy Policy and Practice in Asia	Bangkok	EDD	PB126819	E/	ENERGIA
24 – 26 Nov 2009	WTO/ESCAP Advanced Regional Workshop on Government Procurement for Asia-Pacific Economies	Bangkok	TID	PB126544	E/	WTO
24 – 26 Nov 2009	Committee on Macroeconomic Policy, Poverty Reduction and Inclusive Development, First Session	Bangkok	MPDD	PB135649	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
24 – 26 Nov 2009	ESCAP-Takayama Congress on the Creation of an Inclusive and Accessible Community in Asia and the Pacific: A Town Easy to Live is a Town East to Visit	Takayama, Japan	SDD	PB127140	E/	Japan
25 – 26 Nov 2009	Asia-Pacific Trade Facilitation Forum 2009	Bangkok	TID	PB126581	E/	ADB
26 – 27 Nov 2009	SPECA Project Working Group on Trade, Fourth Session	Geneva	TID	4-4-002	E/R	United Nations development account
30 Nov – 01 Dec 2009	Regional Implementation Meeting for Asia and the Pacific Ahead of the Eighteenth Session of the Commission on Sustainable Development	Bangkok	EDD	PB126809	C/E/F/R	ESCAP/DESA/UNEP
30 Nov – 02 Dec 2009	Regional Workshop on the Measurement of Informal Sector and Informal Employment	Bangkok	SD	PB120114	E/	United Nations development account
30 Nov – 03 Dec 2009	Workshop on Asian and Pacific City Census Data Analysis	Bangkok	SD	PB126606	E/	Regular budget
<u>December 2009</u>						
02 – 04 Dec 2009	Committee on Environment and Development, First Session	Bangkok	EDD	PB126804	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
02 – 04 Dec 2009	Wrap-up Meeting: Regional Good Practices on ICT for Development, e-Centres and Emerging Technologies	Bangkok	IDD	PB126524	E/	ADB
03 – 04 Dec 2009	Workshop on Interregional Cooperation on the Measurement of Informal Sector and Informal Employment	Bangkok	SD	PB126612	E/	United Nations development account
08 Dec 2009	Meeting of the Technical Advisory Group on the Development of Economic Statistics	Bangkok	SD	2-4-003	E/	Section 22
08 – 11 Dec 2009	Workshop on the Improvement of Disability Measurement and Statistics	Bangkok	SD	PB126657	E/R	United Nations development account

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09 – 10 Dec 2009	Roundtables on Governance and Uses of ICT to Advance Towards the MDGs in Asian Countries	Bangkok	IDD	PB126518	E/	Regular budget
09 – 11 Dec 2009	Developing a Regional Action Plan for Economic Statistics Workshop	Bangkok	SD	2-4-003	E/	Section 22
09 – 11 Dec 2009	Expert Group Meeting on Enhancing Regional Cooperation for Energy Security in Asia and the Pacific	Bangkok	EDD	PB126830	E/	Republic of Korea
10 – 11 Dec 2009	Regional Workshop on Knowledge-hubs and Networks – Next Step	Bangkok	IDD	7-4-002	E/	United Nations development account
14 – 15 Dec 2009	Rising Non-tariff Protectionism and Crisis Recovery	Macao, China	TID	PB126544	E/	Macao, China
14 – 18 Dec 2009	First Session of Forum of Asian Ministers of Transport	Bangkok	TD	PB135657	C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
15 Dec 2009	3 rd Ministerial Council of the Asia-Pacific Trade Agreement	Seoul	TID	PB126537	E/	Participating Governments
open (1 day)	Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission, three hundred and thirtieth session	Bangkok	PMD		C/E/F/R	Participating Governments
open (6 days)	Negotiating Meeting on Annexes to SCO Road Facilitation Agreement	Open	TD	PB126432	C/E/R	ADB
open (3 days)	UNDESA/ESCAP Workshop on Local Governance and Climate Change Preparedness	Bangkok	EDD	PB126831	E/	ESCAP/DESA
open (2 days)	Sub-regional Workshop on South Asian SMEs Value Chains	Colombo	TID	4-4-003	E/	Section 22