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Climate change, energy and food

High-level conference on food security: the challenges of climate change and bioenergy

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ROUNDTABLE 2

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Discussion points

1. What key adaptation measures (at different scales) do you propose for meeting the challenge posed by climate change to food security?
2. In light of the present discussions on deforestation and forest degradation and the role of agriculture in climate change mitigation, what incentives for carbon sequestration and emission reduction can we provide to local land users?
3. How can we best incorporate the interests of vulnerable groups in the proposed measures to deal with climate change?
4. How does climate change impact on access to food and its utilization by different consumer groups in developing and developed countries?

Invited Speakers

- Hon. Muzahem Al Muheisen, Minister of Agriculture, Jordan
- Hon. Erik Solheim, Minister for International Development and Minister of Environment, Norway
- Mr. Martin Khor, President, Third World Network
- Mr. Ulla Hola, Global Director, Tetra Pak
- Mr. Martin Parry, Chair, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change