

Global Parliamentary Summit against Hunger and Malnutrition

Palace of the Senate, Madrid, 29-30 October 2018



PROGRAMME

Chairman: *Mr. Pio García-Escudero Márquez*, President of the Spanish Senate

Vice-Chairman: *Ms. Hina Rabbani Khar*, Member of the National Assembly, former Minister of Finance and former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Pakistan

Monday, 29 October

09:00 h. Registration of participants

10:00 h. **Inauguration and opening ceremony**

Master of Ceremony: *Mr. Alberto Fabra*, Senator, President of the Commission for International Cooperation for the Development of the Senate of Spain

Authorities of the Government of Spain and the United Nations

Mr. José Graziano da Silva, Director-General of FAO

Mr. Pio García-Escudero Márquez, President of the Senate of Spain

Mr. Pedro Sánchez Pérez-Castejón, President of the Government of Spain

Regional Representatives of the Parliamentary Fronts and Alliances

Ms. Gabriela Cuevas Barrón, President of the Inter-Parliamentary Union

Mr. Stephen Julius Masele, Vice President of the Pan-African Parliament

Mr. Hugo Richer, General Coordinator of the Parliamentary Fronts in Latin America and the Caribbean

Mr. Paolo De Castro, First Vice-Chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development and Coordinator of the Alliance of the European Parliament "Fight against Hunger"

11:30 h. Coffee break

12:00 h. **Panel discussion**

Moderator: *Mr. Federico Buyolo*, director, Office of the High Commissioner for the 2030 Agenda

Presentation 1: "Ending hunger and its causes"

Ms. Hilal Elver, Special Rapporteur of the United Nations on the Right to Food

Presentation 2: "Chile, a Healthy Country: The Law on Nutrition Labelling and Advertising"

Mr. Guido Girardi, Senator from Chile

Debate

14:00 h. Lunch

15:30 h. **Topic 1: Ending hunger and its causes**

Moderator: *Ms. Jaqueline Amongin*, Pan-African Parliament

Commentator: *Ms. Bernadette Herrera Dy*, Parliament of Philippines

Round of registered interventions of 5 minutes to present experiences and examples of legislative work against hunger, malnutrition and its causes

16:45 h. Coffee break

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- 17:15 h. Debate
- 18:00h. Summary and conclusions
- 18:15h. Optional visit to the Senate

Tuesday, 30th of October

- 09:00 h. Start of the session
- 09:05 h. **Topic 2: The challenge of nutrition**
- Moderator:** *Mr. Elías Castillo*, President of PARLATINO
Commentator: *Mr. Ilyas Ahmed Hassan*, Member of Parliament of Djibuti
- Round of registered interventions** of 5 minutes to present experiences and examples of legislative work to address the challenge of Nutrition focused on how to achieve results in the fight against micronutrient deficiency, overweight and obesity
- Debate**
- Summary and conclusions**
- 11:20 h. Coffee break
- 11:45 h. **Topic 3: Effective action to achieve SDG2**
- Moderator:** *Mr. Tanis Tertius*, Parliamentarian of Haiti and National Coordinator of the Parliamentary Front against Hunger
Commentator: *Ms. Soraya Rodríguez*, Member of the Parliament of Spain and Member of the Spanish Parliamentary Alliance for the Right to Food
- Round of registered interventions** of 5 minutes on budget allocation and the use of resources (financial burden for governments on health budgets as a consequence of illnesses derived from malnutrition, overweight and obesity); partnership strategy to achieve SDG 2 between the private sector, civil society, academia, government and parliaments etc
- Debate**
- Summary and conclusions**
- 13:45 h. Lunch
- 15:15 h. **Panel on the support to the work of the parliamentarians by the development agencies FAO, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), World Food Programme (WFP), European Commission (EC) - Challenges and areas of collaboration**
- Moderator:** *Hon. Janet Jepkemoi Korir*, Member of Parliament of Kenya
Presentations:
Ms. Marcela Villarreal, Director of the South-South Partnerships and Cooperation Division, FAO
Mr. Ashwani Muthoo, Director, Global Engagement and Multilateral Relations Division, IFAD
Ms. Stephanie Hochstetter, Director for the Rome-based Agencies and the World Food Security Committee, WFP
Mr. Leonard Mizzi, Head of Unit, Rural Development, Food Security, Nutrition, European Commission, EC
Video message: *Mr. Stefano Manservigi*, Director General for International Development and Cooperation, EC
- 17:00 h. **Closing Session**
- Ms. Marcela Villarreal*, Director of the South-South Partnerships and Cooperation Division, FAO
Ms. Ana Pastor, President of the Congress of Deputies of Spain
Mr. Josep Borrell, Minister of Foreign Affairs, European Union and Cooperation
- Summary of the Conference:** Vice-Chairman, *Ms. Hina Rabbani Khar*, Member of the National Assembly, former Minister of Finance and former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Pakistan
- Reading of the Summit Final Declaration:** *Ms. Ana Pastor*, President of the Congress of Deputies of Spain
- 17:30 h. **Conclusion and closing remarks**