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Stakeholder Dialogue

Triggering Action on Water through the Post-2015 Agenda

SUNDAY 01 SEPTEMBER
14:00 - 17:30 (ROOM B9/10)
WORLD WATER WEEK

As the timeframe of the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) draws to a close in 2015, the global community is taking stock of how effectively it can chart pathways towards a sustainable future.

To this end, member states at the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio+20) agreed to launch a process to develop a set of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The post-2015 processes are responding to a mandate from the 2010 UN General Assembly to set out the development agenda that will succeed the MDGs.

While the MDGs focused primarily on developing economies, SDGs aim to develop a broader sustainability framework with a global outlook, and will focus on priority thematic areas for sustainable development, which will be subject to further negotiation under an inter-governmental working group. The SDG process aims to develop global sustainable development goals to be agreed by the General Assembly in the second half of 2014.

There are different proposals for a Sustainable Development Goal on water and for targets and indicators covering both access to basic water and sanitation services and water resources management.

UN Water has been providing support to the Open Working Group on the SDGs. **The 2013 UN-Water Stakeholder Dialogue** aims to provide an opportunity to present, discuss and have feedback from stakeholders implementing actions on the ground, **on the UN-water work for an SDG on water and the proposals for targets and indicators**. Especially in relation to appropriate roles and responsibilities, to insure that they lead to action on the ground.

Stakeholders:



Business: **Dan Bena**,
Pepsico, CEO Water
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Women & society:
Khin Ni Ni Thein,
Women for Water
Partnership



International Coopera-
tion: **Nina Odenwael-
der**, GIZ



Youth: **Bart Devos**,
World Youth Parlia-
ment for Water
(WYPW)



Farmers: **Bruce
Wills**, World Farmers
Organisation (WFO)

Coffee Table Dialogues:



Jens Liebe, Pro-
gramme Officer,
UNW-DPC

Moving towards universal access and hygiene practices, improving efficiency and water quality, reducing pollution, wastewater treatment and reuse, dealing with floods and droughts and scarcity, and improving governance are issues that have been captured in different formulation of targets and indicators. A key question is if these will trigger action in the same way as the Millennium Development Goal target on water has done.

Some of the questions that this Stakeholder dialogue aims to respond are:

- Do proposals have the same level of clarity and will they help provide the same focus for action?
- What would be the necessary means and accompanying measures by the international community, the governments and the different stakeholders to lead to effective action?

PROGRAMME

14:00 - 14:10 Welcoming words and introduction, **Michael Jarraud**, Secretary General WMO and Chair UN-Water.

14:10 - 14:50 Post 2015 Global Consultations results, **Paul Taylor**, GWP
Jose Gestí, UNICEF

14:50- 15:30 UN-Water SDG on water, **Joakim Harlin**, UNDP
Thomas Chiramba, UNEP

15:30- 16:30 Panel discussion moderated by **Josefina Maestu**, Director UNW-DPAC.

- Business: **Dan Bena** (Pepsico, CEO Water Mandate)
- Women & society: **Khin Ni Ni Thein** (WfWP)
- International cooperation: **Nina Odenwaelder**, (GIZ)
- Youth: **Bart Devos** (WYPW)
- Farming: **Bruce Wills** (WFO)

16:30- 17:00 Coffee table dialogues to provide feedback to the panel and main speakers, **Jens Liebe**, UNW-DPC

17:00 - 17:30 Wrap-up and feedback from the dialogues and the UN, **Olcay Unver**, Coordinator WWAP

