



Integrated Assessment of Trade Liberalization in the Agriculture Sector Agenda of the meeting Geneva, 5 April 2002

Room 2, International Environment House
13-15 chemin des Anémones, Châtelaine, Geneva

- 09:00 – 09:15** **Introduction and overview of the UNEP country projects**
Hussein Abaza, Chief, *UNEP Economics and Trade Branch*
- Review of past country project studies
- 09:15 – 09:30** **Provisions in the WTO Agreement on Agriculture**
Mr. John Finn, Counsellor, *WTO Agriculture and Commodities Division*
- 09:30 – 11:15** **Presentations by national institutions**
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| China | Colombia |
| Côte d'Ivoire | Guinea Bissau |
| Guyana | Indonesia |
| Nigeria | Senegal |
| Thailand | Vietnam |
- Past and current trends of rice production
 - National policies and international trade policies affecting rice production
- 11:15 – 11:30** **Coffee/Tea Break**
- 11:30- 13:00** **Designing the new country projects**
- Presenting the UNEP Reference Manual
 - Presenting the guide for conducting assessment focusing on the rice sector
- Discussion*
- 13:00 –14:00** **Lunch break (sandwiches offered by UNEP)**
- 14:00 – 16:00** **Designing the new country projects**
Continued discussion
- 16:00 – 16:15** **Coffee/Tea break**
- 16:15 – 17:30** **Organization of work**
- Presenting the time table and work plan
 - Proposing the plan to have a sector specific reference manual
- Discussion*
- 17:30 – 18:00** **Concluding remarks**