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ORDER OF THE DAY

Thursday, 10 May

(Palacio de Convenciones, Havana)

- 8.30 – 10 a.m. Presentation of the document prepared by the secretariat, *The Inefficiency of Inequality*, by Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC
Comments:
- Mario Pezzini, Director of the OECD Development Centre
 - Rodrigo Malmierca Díaz, Minister of Foreign Trade and Foreign Investment of Cuba
- 10 – 10.30 a.m. Statements by delegations
- 10.30 a.m. – 1 p.m. High-level seminar “The inefficiency of inequality”
- 10.30 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. **Panel 1: Growing tensions of globalization**
Chair: Rodrigo Malmierca Díaz, Minister of Foreign Trade and Foreign Investment of Cuba
- Richard Kozul-Wright, Director of the Division on Globalization and Development Strategies, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
 - Rolando Cordera Campos, Coordinator of the Development Studies Programme at the National Autonomous University of Mexico
 - Susana Malcorra, Argentina, Chair of the Eleventh Ministerial Conference of the World Trade Organization (WTO)



- Ronaldo Costa Filho, Undersecretary General for Economic and Financial Affairs of Brazil
- Diego Sánchez-Ancochea, Director of the Latin American Centre at the University of Oxford

11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Panel 2: Investments, technologies and productivity for sustainable development

Chair: Salvador Pardo Cruz, Minister of Industry of Cuba

- José Ramón López Portillo, Co-Founder of the Centre for Mexican Studies at Oxford University
- Álvaro García, Director of the Office of Planning and Budget of Uruguay
- Juanita Rodríguez Kattah, Vice-Minister for the Digital Economy of the Ministry of Information and Communications Technologies of Colombia
- Juan T. Monegro, Vice-Minister for Industrial Development of the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and MSMEs of the Dominican Republic
- Juan Carlos Parra Fonseca, Deputy General Manager, Corporación Financiera Nacional BP, Ecuador
- Yolanda Martínez, Coordinator of the National Digital Strategy of Mexico

1 – 2.30 p.m.

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2.30 – 6.30 p.m.

High-level seminar “The inefficiency of inequality” (continued)

2.30 – 4 p.m.

Panel 3: The inefficiencies of inequality

Chair: Roberto Morales Ojeda, Vice-President of the Council of State and Minister of Health of Cuba

- Gabriela Agosto, Executive Secretary of the National Council for the Coordination of Social Policies of Argentina
- Ana Olivera, Vice-Minister of Social Development of Uruguay
- Alberto Enríquez Villacorta, Undersecretary for Technical Affairs and Planning of the Office of the President of El Salvador
- Kang Kyung-wha, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea

4 – 6.30 p.m.

Panel 4: Territories, infrastructure and the environment: a space for the environmental big push

Chair: Elba Rosa Pérez Montoya, Minister of Science, Technology and Environment of Cuba

- Pearnel Charles Jr., State Minister in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Jamaica
- Mauricio Bejarano, Vice-Minister for Mines and Energy of Paraguay
- Fernando Álvarez de Celis, Undersecretary for territorial Planning and Public Works Coordination of the Ministry of Interior, Public Works and Housing of Argentina
- Isaac Castillo, Undersecretary for Energy of Panama
- Pedro Álvarez Icaza, Coordinator General of Biological Corridors and Resources, National Commission for Knowledge and Use of Biodiversity (CONABIO) of Mexico
- Lucía Ruíz, Vice-Minister for Strategic Development of Natural Resources of the Ministry of the Environment of Peru
- Rodolfo Nin Novoa, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Uruguay