

*UNCTAD 2011 Public Symposium CUTS GRC – FES Breakout Session on*

## Green Transition and Poverty Alleviation In Least Developed Countries: Taking Stock Of LDC IV

*Thursday, 23 June, 14:30-16:30*

*Palais des Nations, Room XXV, Geneva.*

### Programme

- 14:30: Session Chairman  
*Mr. Ramamurti Badrinath, Director, CUTS Geneva Resource Centre*
- 14:35: Welcome Remarks and introduction  
*Dr. Matthes Bubbe, Director, FES Geneva Office*
- 14:40: LDC IV outcomes and the resulting Plan of Action in the context of LDC needs and interests  
Presentation by *Mr. Charles Gore, Special Coordinator for Cross-Sectoral Issues Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD.*
- 15:00: Facilitating transformation of LDCs into green economies: Field experience  
Presentation by *Dr. Gerhard Schories, Technical Director Water, Energy and Landscape, ttz Bremerhaven.*
- 15:20: Poverty related issues and their implications to the environment in LDCs: Possible strategies and initiatives to ensure inclusive resolution  
Presentation by *Mr. Asad Naqvi Programme Officer Economics and Trade Branch UNEP*
- 15:40: Open Discussion
- 16:30: End