DAC Network on Poverty Reduction

TASK TEAM ON PRIVATE SECTOR DEVELOPMENT

Draft Agenda

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Berlin, starting a 13:30 on 12 September and continuing at 9:30 on 13 September 2005

Monday 12 September

1. Adoption of the agenda [DCD/DAC/POVNET/A(2005)10].

13:30 2. Introduction of new participants and overview of the scope of the Task Team’s work.

14:00 3. Observations on Hot Topic papers released on OLIS and discussion of any comments received:
   - Enhancing women’s market access [DCD/DAC/POVNET(2005)12].
   - Removing barriers to formalisation [DCD/DAC/POVNET(2005)13].
   - Competition policy in developing countries [DCD/DAC/POVNET(2005)14].
   - Promoting the supply-side response [DCD/DAC/POVNET(2005)15].

14:30 4. Finalisation of remaining Hot Topic papers:
   - The financial sectors’ contribution to pro-poor growth.
   - Public-private dialogue.

15:30 5. Coffee break

16:00 6. Review of the draft Overview for the compendium of Hot Topic papers.

Tuesday 13 September

9:30 6. Next steps and calendar towards finalisation and publication of the Task Team’s work on promoting the contribution of private sector development to pro-poor growth.

10:00 7. Up-date by the Secretariat on the process for preparing the Povnet overarching paper and discussion of the Task Team’s main messages, including from the Hot Topic papers, that the Task Team would like included in the report.

10:30 8. Dissemination, communication and implementation of the Task Team’s products, including at the conference in Cairo on “Reforming the Business Environment” (November 2005).

11:15 9. Coffee break

11:45 10. Possible future role and activities of the Task Team and its members after completion of the current phase of activities (i.e. from 2006).

12:15 11. Presentation and discussion of proposed main points the Task Team Leader will raise at the Povnet plenary meeting on 27-28 October 2005.

13:00 11. Other business.

1. The meeting will be held at GTZ’s Berlin Office, Reichpietschufer 20.