A joint High-Level Meeting on Development and Environment will be held on 1st February 1991 at OECD Headquarters. It will bring together Ministers and senior officials from aid and environment ministries and agencies of OECD Members. This meeting, which immediately follows the meeting of the OECD Environment Committee at Ministerial level on 30th-31st January, will explore how OECD governments can strengthen their co-operation with developing countries in achieving environmentally sustainable economic growth and in protecting the global environment.

The meeting is expected to give impetus to a strengthened process of co-operation among Aid and Environment Ministries, including preparations for the 1992 United Nations Conference on Environment and Development. It is expected to be followed by a joint ministerial-level meeting in December 1991.