EIGHTH COORDINATION MEETING ON INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION

Population Division
Department of Economic and Social Affairs
United Nations Secretariat
New York, 16-17 November 2009

ORGANIZATION OF WORK

Monday, 16 November 2009

Morning session (09.00 - 12.30)

I. Opening of the meeting

Hania Zlotnik, Director, Population Division, DESA

II. Special presentation: Human Development Report 2009

Overcoming barriers: Human mobility and development Jeni Klugman, Director, Human Development Report Office, UNDP

III. The impact of the economic and financial crisis on international migration: One year later

The global economic crisis and migrant workers: Impact and response *Ibrahim Awad, Director, International Migration Programme, ILO*

International Migration and the Economic Crisis: Understanding the links and shaping policy responses

Jean-Christophe Dumont, Principal Administrator, DELSA, OECD

The financial crisis and international migration in the Arab region: Challenges and opportunities Batool Shakoori, Chief, Population and Social Policy Section, ESCWA *Afternoon session (14.00 – 17.00)*

IV. Coordination of activities in the area of international migration and development

Presentations by participating organizations (tour-de-table)

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V. Strengthening the evidence base on international migration and development

The 2010 round of world population and housing censuses as sources of international migration statistics

Keiko Osaki-Tomita, Chief, Demographic and Social Statistics Branch, Statistics Division, DESA

The Suitland Working Group: Task Force on improving migration and migrant data using household surveys and other sources *Elizabeth M. Grieco, Chief, Immigration Statistics Staff, U.S. Census Bureau*

Trends in international migrant stock: The 2008 Revision Costanza Giovannelli, Population Affairs Officer, Population Division, DESA

The evolution of global bilateral migration 1960-2000 Caglar Ozden, Senior Economist, DECRG, the World Bank

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VI. The Global Forum on Migration and Development

GFMD III, Athens, Greece, 2-5 November 2009

H.E. Ambassador Anastasis Mitsialis, Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations

GFMD IV, Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, 8-12 November 2010

Mr. Noel González Segura, Second Secretary, Permanent Mission of Mexico to the United Nations

VII. Closing of the meeting

Bela Hovy, Chief, Migration Section, Population Division, DESA