



DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE  
(Joint Ministerial Committee  
of the  
Boards of Governors of the Bank and the Fund  
On the  
Transfer of Real Resources to Developing Countries)



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**NOTICE OF MEETING**

The 78<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Development Committee will be held on Sunday, October 12th, 2008, commencing at 9:30 a.m. in the Preston Auditorium, The World Bank Main Complex, Washington, D.C. The session will be followed by the Chairman's Luncheon for Members (1:45-3:00 pm) in Room MC13-121.

**DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE - PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

1. Recent economic developments, and their effect on long term growth and overcoming poverty: the role of the World Bank and the IMF in protecting the vulnerable<sup>1</sup>
2. Development and Climate Change: A Strategic Framework for the World Bank Group
3. Enhancing Voice and Participation of Developing and Transition Countries in the World Bank Group

**LUNCHEON<sup>2</sup>**

Background Documents

- Development and Climate Change: A Strategic Framework for the World Bank Group
- Enhancing Voice and Participation of Developing and Transition Countries in the World Bank Group: Options for Reform

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<sup>1</sup> An issues note on this subject and the paper on rising food and fuel prices and household vulnerability will be circulated separately.

<sup>2</sup> The Chairman's Luncheon is expected to allow for informal discussion on the Bank strategic directions and/or use of IBRD capital. In addition, ministers may also raise other topics they wish to highlight, or suggest issues for future discussion.