

**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

FOLKETINGET



**Programme**

OPEN MEETING ON THE WORLD BANK

**Date:** Monday January 25, 2010  
**Time:** 13.30 to 17.00  
**Venue:** Landstingssalen

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**PROGRAMME – OPEN MEETING ON THE WORLD BANK**

- 13.30 Opening and welcome**  
by Marion Pedersen, Chairman of the Danish Foreign Affairs Committee
- Introductory address on Danish priorities  
By Danish Minister for Development Cooperation, Ulla Tørnæs
- 13.50 Nordic Baltic cooperation strategy in the World Bank**  
By executive director, Anna Brandt
- 14.30 World Bank Group and the financial Crisis**  
- A European Example  
By Taavi Rõivas, Chariman Estonian Committee on Finance  
Helgi Hjörvar, Foreign Affairs Committee, Iceland  
Thomas Laursen, World Bank representative on Eastern Europe
- 15.00 Coffee break**
- 15.30 World Bank Group and the financial Crisis**  
- Developing countries and the financial crisis  
By Lars Koch, Ibis  
Niels Richter, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Jakob Kopperud, World Bank Nordic Office
- 16.00 Financing Renewable Energy – the role of the World Bank**  
By Steen Gade, Foreign Affairs Committee, Denmark  
Jamal Saghier, director for Energy, World Bank
- 16.50 Closing remarks**  
by Jeppe Kofod, Foreign Affairs Committee, Denmark