

FOLKETINGET



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of the Danish EU Presidency
EU 2012



Final Programme

The Road to Green Growth and Sustainable Development

Chairpersons Meeting for Environment and Foreign Affairs Committees

Copenhagen 14-15 May 2012



Monday May 14th 2012

Theme of the day: Rio+20 - roadmap for a sustainable future

- 11h00 Arrival and check in at Palace Hotel Copenhagen
- 12h20 Coaches depart from Palace Hotel Copenhagen to Christiansborg Palace
- 12h30 Coffee and light refreshments
- 13h00 Welcome address and opening of the meeting
Mr. Per Stig Møller
Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Danish Parliament
- 13h10 Global transition towards sustainable growth – recommendations to Rio+20
Ms. Connie Hedegaard, EU Commissioner for Climate Action [Confirmed]
- 13h30 Questions and debate
- 13h45 Sustainable Development through Green Growth
Ms. Marianne Fay, Chief Economist of the Sustainable Development Network, the
World Bank [Confirmed]
- 14h05 Rio+20: Building an Equitable Green Economy – Views from Civil Society
Ms. Tara Rao, Expert on sustainable development, India [Confirmed]
- 14h25 Questions and debate
- 14h50 Family photo
- Coffee Break
- 15h25 The parliamentarian dimension of Rio+20 – view by The Global Legislators
Organisation (GLOBE)
- Mr. Adam C.T. Matthews, Secretary General, GLOBE & World Summit of Legislators
[Confirmed]
- 15h45 Questions and debate



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- 16h00 Coaches depart from Christiansborg Palace to the European Environment Agency
- 16h15 Action programme on building up an inclusive green economy
Prof. Jacqueline McGlade, Executive Director, European Environment Agency
[Confirmed]
- Followed by more in-depth presentations and a presentation of the findings of the EEA's global resource/green economy indicator report
Mr. Paul McAleavey, Head of Air and Climate Change, EEA [Confirmed]
Mr. Jock Martin, Head of Integrated Environmental Assessments, EEA [Confirmed]
- 17h15 Coaches depart from the European Environment Agency to Palace Hotel
- 18h15 Coaches depart from Palace Hotel to the harbour followed by boat to Trekroner Sea Fortress
- 19h30 Dinner hosted by the Foreign Affairs Committee and the Environment Committee at the Restaurant Trekroner Sea Fortress
Attire: Business casual
- 22h00 Transport by boat followed by coaches to Palace Hotel Copenhagen



Tuesday May 15th 2012

Theme of the day: the 7th Environmental Action Programme – greening Europe

Breakfast at Palace Hotel Copenhagen

- 8h20 Coaches depart from Palace Hotel Copenhagen to Christiansborg Palace
- 8h45 Welcome to Day 2 of the meeting
Ms. Lone Loklindt
Chairman of the Environment Committee of the Danish Parliament
- 8h55 The triple dividend: A New approach to Development and Environment
Mr. Friedrich Barth, EU focal point for sustainable development, UNDP Europe
[Confirmed]
- 9h15 Resource Efficiency – view by a Green Tec company
Mr. Kim Nøhr Skibsted, Group Vice President, Grundfos A/S [Confirmed]
- 9h35 Questions and debate
- 10h05 Green growth – green Europe – a vision for the 7th Environmental Action Programme
– by the EU presidency
Ms. Ida Auken, Danish Minister for the Environment [Confirmed]
- 10h25 Questions and debate
- 10h45 Coffee break
- 11h15 Resource Revolution: Meeting the world's energy, materials, food, and water needs
Mr. Marc Zornes, Engagement Manager, McKinsey & Company [Confirmed]
- 11h35 Key elements of the 7th Environmental Action Programme – view by the European
Parliament
Mr. Jo Leinen, Member of the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety
Committee [Confirmed]
- 11h55 Questions and debate



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- 12h25 Closing remarks
 Ms. Lone Loklindt
 Chairman of the Environment Committee of the Danish Parliament
- 12h45 Lunch hosted by the Danish Parliament in the Members Restaurant
- 13h45 End of the Conference

A 30 minute guided tour of the Parliament will be offered to participants in English and French at the close of the meeting.



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ADDRESSES AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Conference Venue

The Danish Parliament
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Palace Hotel

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Dinner Venue

Trekroner Sea Fortress
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Website	www.presidency.dk
Registration and information	Participants will receive their identity badges, documentation and other conference material when they register on arrival at the Palace Hotel on 14 May 2012. Delegates arriving late will register in the lobby of the Danish Parliament prior to the meeting.
Badges	Available during check-in (see above). For security reasons all participants are requested to wear their badges throughout the entire conference.
Interpretation	The organizers have provided simultaneous interpretation in English, French and Danish.
Documents	1 st floor – In front of the Conference Hall
Seating and speech requests	Delegates will have assigned seating in the Conference Hall. Delegates are requested to sit in their assigned seat. Delegation flags and names cards will be clearly visible in the Hall. Information on how to request the floor and use the microphones will be available in the Hall.
Secretariat	1 - 117
Copy Center	Tingstedet
FAX	Send and receive: +45 3337 3242 The Fax is in the Service Center, 1 st floor
Restaurant	Snapstinget, ground floor Everyday 08.00 – 20.00
Post Office	Service Center, 1 st floor Everyday 10.00 – 16.00
ATM	1 st floor



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Kiosk	Ground floor Everyday 07.00 – 16.00
Police/ambulance/fire	Contact Security +45 3337 5602 +45 3337 5603
Telephone	Dial 0 in order to call out of the house
Smoking	Smoking is prohibited on the premises of the parliament. Please go outside.
Refreshments	Will be served during coffee breaks and throughout the day next to the Conference Hall.
IT Centre	The Great Hall, 1 st floor
Toilets	See map
Lunch	Served in the Members Restaurant, ground floor room S - 133
Transportation	<p>Participants are asked to arrange transport to and from the airport on their own.</p> <p><u>Metro from the airport:</u> The Metro station is located at the end of Terminal 3 and is covered by the roof of the terminal. The Metro operates at 4-6 minutes' intervals during the day and evening hours and at 15-20 minutes' intervals during the night. The travel time from the airport to the centre of Copenhagen (Kongens Nytorv Station) is 15 minutes.</p> <p><u>Trains from the airport:</u> The ticket office is located in Terminal 3 above the railway station. There are lifts and stairs between the platforms and Terminal 3. The train operates between the airport and Copenhagen Central Station. The travel time is approx. 15 minutes.</p> <p><u>Taxi:</u> Taxis are available at the airport and the return transfer can be booked via the hotel. The cost of transfer from the airport to the city centre is approx. 200-300 Danish Kroner</p>



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Currency	The currency in Denmark is Danish kroner. 1 euro = approx. 7,5 Danish Kroner
Meeting Room 1	1 - 008 Please contact the Secretariat
Meeting Room 2	1 - 009 Please contact the Secretariat
Wifi	Free internet access is available throughout the Palace. Use the "Guest network" and confirm the connection in your web browser.
Print	Please contact the Secretariat.
Press	Questions regarding the press and other may be addressed to the Secretariat.
TV	The entire Conference will be broadcast live on Danish national television (in Danish and original language) and will also be available live on streaming immediately after the conference. It will also be available "on-demand".