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Chairperson:

H.E. Ms. Sylvie Lucas (Luxembourg), President of the Economic and Social Council

"Financial crisis and its impact on development — The work of the Bretton Woods institutions" **Panellists:**

Mr. Ranjit Teja, Head of the Strategy Unit, Deputy Director, Strategy and Policy Review Department, International Monetary Fund

Mr. Dominique Desruelle, Advisor, Strategy and Policy Review Department, International Monetary Fund

Mr. Jeffrey Lewis, Senior Advisor and Head of the International Policy and Partnerships Group, Head of Poverty Reduction and Economic Management Network (PREM), and focal point for the G-20, World Bank

"Governance issues and institutional reforms within the Bretton Woods institutions" **Panellists:**

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