



**Economic and Social Council  
Special meeting on international tax cooperation  
(New York, 5 June 2014)**

Pursuant to its resolution 2013/24, ECOSOC will hold on 5 June 2014, a one-day meeting to consider international cooperation in tax matters including, as appropriate, its contribution to mobilizing domestic financial resources for development and the institutional arrangements to promote such cooperation, with the participation of representatives of national tax authorities.

A short opening plenary will feature a presentation by the Chair of the UN Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters on the outcome of the 9<sup>th</sup> session of the Committee (Geneva, 21-25 October 2013). Subsequently, there will be a panel discussion on “*International tax cooperation: Current issues on the agenda of international organizations*”, with the participation of major international organizations active in the tax area, such as the IMF, World Bank, OECD, the Inter-American Centre of Tax

international instruments that would better align rights to tax with economic activity. The Plan is organized around 15 actions, which are to be implemented by the specified deadlines

have more expertise and special knowledge in understanding an industry and in dealing with taxation issues than under-resourced tax administrations of developing countries.

Governments are faced with the challenge of