

## **EU-Japan Business Dialogue Round Table**

**Tokyo Meeting, 7-9 July 2002 Hotel Okura (South Wing)**

**Proposed Programme (as of 3 July 2002)**

### **7 JULY (Sun.)**

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| 15:00 - 16:00    | Co-Chairmen's Bilateral Meeting  | [Suzuran Room, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor] |
| 16:00 - 16:50    | EU-side Preparatory Meeting  | [Seiunn Room, 12 <sup>th</sup> floor] |
| 17:00 - 18:30(P) | Preparatory Meeting to discuss Outline of RT Recommendations and WTO Statement   | [Orchard Room, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor] |
| 19:00            | Reception & Dinner<br>hosted by Dr. T. Sekimoto (Co-Chairman)<br>Contributions from Commissioner E. Liikanen &<br>Mr. H. Konno Vice-Minister of METI | [Maple Room I, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor] |

### **8 JULY (Mon.)**

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| 08:00 - 08:50 | EU-side Breakfast hosted by European Commission (E. Liikanen)   | [Maple Room II, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor] |
| 09:00 - 10:00 | Opening Session<br>"Joint Session of RT Members and Representatives<br>of the Authorities"<br><br>Guest Speeches by<br>Mr. T. Hiranuma, Minister of METI<br>Commissioner E. Liikanen<br>Mr. S. Uetake, Senior Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs<br>Mr. R. Abbott, Deputy General Director, D.G. Trade<br>Mr. Y. Tsukio, Vice-Minister of Ministry of Public Management,<br>Home Affairs, Posts & Telecommunications | [Orchard Room, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor]  |
| 10:00 - 10:15 | Coffee Break  |  |
| 10:15 - 10:45 | Formal approval of Outline of RT Recommendations and WTO Statement  |  |
| 10:45 - 11:30 | Business Environment in Japan<br>Presentation by Mr. K. Minaguchi<br>President, Keizai Doyukai Research Institute   |  |
| 11:30 - 12:15 | Business Environment in Europe<br>Presentation by Mr. G. Jacobs<br>Chairman & CEO UCB   |  |
| 12:15 - 13:30 | Lunch   | [Maple Room I, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor]  |
| 13:30 - 16:30 | WP's Reports and Discussions  |  |

16:30 - 16:45 Coffee Break

16:45 - 17:30 Global Business Environment  
Presentation by Mr. S. Fukukawa  
CEO, Dentsu Institute for Human Studies

17:30 - 18:40 General Free Discussion

18:45 Coach departure to dinner venue (invitation only)

19:00 Dinner hosted by Mr. S. Uetake,  
Senior Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs  
Response by Viscount E. Davignon (Co-Chairman) &  
an Address from Commissioner P. Lamy  
[Iikura-Kokan Government House, MOFA]

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| <b>9 JULY (Tue.)</b> |
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09:00 - 10:30 Free Discussion [Orchard Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor]  
- Bio Industries  
Presentation by Mr. K. Utada  
Chairman, Japan Association of Bioindustries Executives  
and Senior Advisor to the board, Ajinomoto

- The future activities of the EJBDRT

10:30 - 11:00 Wrap-up of the meeting

11:00 - 12:15 Final "Joint Session of RT Members  
and Representatives of the Authorities"  
Comments or Speeches by  
Commissioner P. Lamy  
Mr. S. Uetake, Senior Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs  
Mr. K. Furuya, Senior Vice-Minister of METI  
Mr. Y. Tsukio, Vice-Minister of Ministry of Public  
Management, Home Affairs, Posts & Telecommunications

12:15 - 13:30 Lunch [Maple Room I, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor]

13:30 - 14:30 Press Conference [Maple Room II, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor]  
Co-Chairmen