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Enabling the rural poor
to overcome poverty

Agenda and programme of events

Governing Council — Thirtieth Session
Rome, 14-15 February 2007

Agenda

1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Statement by the President of IFAD
4. General statements
5. Report on the Seventh Replenishment of IFAD's resources
6. Audited financial statements of IFAD for 2005
7. Administrative budget of IFAD and its Office of Evaluation for 2007
8. Membership of the Executive Board
9. Progress report on implementation of the performance-based allocation system
10. Report on lessons learned by the International Land Coalition
11. Progress report on the Global Mechanism of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification
12. Other business

Disclosure of documents

Programme of events

Wednesday, 14 February 2007

Morning meeting **10 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Inaugural ceremony
 Commencement of consideration of agenda items

Afternoon meeting **3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.**

3 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Round-table discussions

Three round tables will be held simultaneously on the following topics:

- Rural employment promotion through the value chain approach
- Generating remunerative livelihood opportunities for rural youth
- Migration and rural employment

5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. Continuation of consideration of agenda items

Thursday, 15 February 2007

Morning meeting **9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Continuation of consideration of agenda items

Afternoon meeting **3 p.m. to 6 p.m.**

3 p.m. to 5.50 p.m. Continuation of consideration of agenda items

5.50 p.m. to 6 p.m. Closure of the session