

## PROGRAMME

### **Round Table on Equitable Trading and Coffee International Coffee Organization, London Tuesday, 18 May 2004**

- 13.30 – 14.00 **Registration**
- 14.00 – 14.35 **Opening remarks**
- Néstor Osorio, Executive Director, International Coffee Organization
  - Ian Breminer (Chairperson of the Round Table), Managing Director, Complete Coffee Ltd.
- 14.35 – 15.05 **Definitions of and key issues concerning equitable trading**
- Dan Rees, Director, Ethical Trading Initiative
  - Anne Tallontire, Research Fellow, Natural Resources and Ethical Trade Programme, Natural Resources Institute
- 15.05 – 15.30 **Perspective of fairtrade bodies on equitable trading and the world coffee economy**
- Ian Bretman, Deputy Director, Fairtrade Foundation
  - Phil King, Finance Director, Cafédirect
- 15.30 – 15.50 **Impact in developing countries**
- Jack Bigirwa, Chairman, National Union of Coffee Agribusinesses and Farm Enterprises (NUCAFE) and Vice-Chairman, IFAP Tropical Commodities
- 15.50 – 16.05 **Coffee break**
- 16.05 – 16.45 **Industry perspective – The role of the coffee industry in importing countries in poverty reduction**
- Rob Simmons, Analyst, LMC International
  - Patrick Leheup, Commodity Sourcing Manager for the Coffee & Beverages Strategic Business Unit, Nestlé Ltd.
  - Representative of retail sector (*to be confirmed*)
- 16.45 – 17.10 **Partnerships for sustainable coffee economy**
- Carsten Schmitz-Hoffmann, Project Secretariat, Common Code for the Coffee Community
  - Jason Potts, Coordinator, Sustainable Commodity Initiative, International Institute for Sustainable Development
- 17.10 – 17.45 **General discussion followed by questions and answers**
- 17.45 – 18.00 **Chairperson's concluding remarks**
- Rapporteur: **Pablo Dubois, Head of Operations, ICO**