ICO-WORLD BANK HIGH-LEVEL ROUND-TABLE
“INTERNATIONAL COFFEE CRISIS – LOOKING FOR LONG-TERM SOLUTIONS”
International Coffee Organization, 22 Berners Street, London – Monday, 19 May 2003

PROGRAMME

08.45 – 09.15 Briefing for panellists (Committee Room, ground floor)
08.45 – 09.30 Registration and coffee

Panel 1 Coffee and commodities in international trade: A problem area

09.30 – 10.00 Welcome address
Néstor Osorio – Executive Director (Moderator)

10.00 – 10.20 Kevin Cleaver, Director, Agriculture and Rural Development, World Bank

10.20 – 10.40 Saint-Cyr Djikalou – Permanent Representative of OAMCAF to the ICO and former Minister of Commerce, Côte d’Ivoire

10.40 – 11.00 Linneu Carlos da Costa Lima – Secretary for Production and Marketing, Ministry of Agriculture, Brazil

11.00 – 11.20 Bernard Petit – Director, Directorate General for Development, European Commission

11.20 – 11.40 Juan Manuel Santos – former Minister of Finance, Colombia

11.40 – 12.00 Glenys Kinnock, MEP, European Parliament

12.00 – 12.30 Panel discussion followed by questions and answers

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch break (participants are free to make their own arrangements for lunch)

Panel 2 Finding solutions – Diversification, quality, added value and market development

14.00 – 14.15 Introduction
Panos Varangis, Lead Economist, Commodity Risk Management Group, Agriculture and Rural Development, World Bank (Moderator)

14.15 – 14.30 Phil Bloomer – Head of Advocacy, Oxfam GB

14.30 – 14.45 Simon Kester – Chairman, European Coffee Corporation

14.45 – 15.00 Michael R. Neumann – Chairman of the Board of Management, Neumann Gruppe GmbH, Hamburg

15.00 – 15.15 Gabriel Silva Luján – General Manager, FEDERACAFÉ

15.15 – 15.30 Olle Tegstam – Senior Vice-President, Nestec Ltd.

15.30 – 15.45 Bruce Tozer, Managing Director, Structure, Trade and Commodity Finance, Rabobank International

15.45 – 16.00 Annemieke Wijn – Senior Director, Commodity Sustainability Programs, Kraft Foods Inc.

16.00 – 17.30 Panel discussion followed by questions and answers

17.30 – 18.00 Concluding remarks by Néstor Osorio, ICO and Kevin Cleaver, World Bank

18.00 – 20.00 ICO/World Bank Reception Sponsored by RABOBANK

Rapporteurs: Panel 1: Pablo Dubois, Head of Operations, ICO
Panel 2: Sergio Jellinek, Office of the Vice-President for Environmentally and Socially Sustainable Development, World Bank