



Short courses for Permanent Missions in Geneva

## Trade and Environment

29 February 2008

### PROGRAMME

| Geneva, Palais des Nations |  | Room XXV |
|----------------------------|--|----------|
| 10:00 - 10:05              | <b>Welcome</b>   |          |
| 10:05 - 11:15              | <p><b>Challenges and opportunities arising from new packages of private (sustainability) standards for food exports from developing countries</b></p> <p>Followed by an interactive discussion</p> <p><b>Ulrich HOFFMANN</b>, Head, Trade and Sustainable Development Section, Division on International Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities (DITC)</p>           |          |
| 11:15 - 11:30              | Coffee break   |          |
| 11:30 - 12:15              | <p><b>The WTO negotiations on liberalization of trade in environmental goods and services - opportunities for developing countries</b></p> <p>Followed by an interactive discussion</p> <p><b>Alexey VIKHLYAEV</b>, Economic Affairs Officer, Trade and Sustainable Development Section, Division on International Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities (DITC)</p> |          |
| 12:15 - 13:00              | <p><b>Organic agriculture - a trade and sustainable development opportunity for developing countries</b></p> <p>Followed by an interactive discussion</p> <p><b>Sophia TWAROG</b>, Economic Affairs Officer, Trade and Sustainable Development Section, Division on International Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities (DITC)</p>                                  |          |