

# THIRD UN WORLD CONFERENCE ON DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

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**Provisional Substantive Programme - Ideas for Consideration**  
*(subject to revisions following the first Preparatory Committee meeting 14-15 July 2014)<sup>1</sup>*

### HIGH LEVEL SEGMENT

Addressing Emerging Risks in a post-2015 Global Agenda

### MINISTERIAL ROUNDTABLES

- A. Risk Sensitive Investment: Public-Private Partnerships
- B. Reconstructing after Disasters: Building Back Better
- C. Governing Disaster Risk: Overcoming Challenges
- D. Inclusive Disaster Risk Management: Governments, Communities and Groups Acting Together
- E. Reducing Disaster Risk in Urban Settings

### WORKING SESSIONS

#### Progress on existing HFA Priorities

- 1. Governance and Development Planning at National/Local Levels (Priority 1)
- 2. Risk Identification and Early Warning (Priority 2)
- 3. Education and Knowledge in Building a Culture of Resilience (Priority 3)
- 4. Underlying Risk Factors (Priority 4)
- 5. Preparedness for Effective Response (Priority 5)

#### Emerging Risks

- 6. Technological Hazards: From Risk Reduction to Recovery
- 7. Climate Risk and Resilience: Accelerating National and Local Initiatives
- 8. Ecosystems and Resilience
- 9. Global Risk Trends
- 10. Integrated Water Resource Management
- 11. Food Security through a Disaster-Resilient Agriculture
- 12. Disaster Management for Healthy Societies

#### Commitments to implementation

- 13. Business and Private Sector: Investing in Resilient Infrastructure
- 14. Applying Science and Technology to DRR decision-making
- 15. Communities Addressing Local Risks
- 16. Mobilizing Women's Leadership in DRR

#### Accelerating implementation

- 17. Commitments to School Safety
- 18. Measuring and Reporting Progress

<sup>1</sup> The content of the paper is a preliminary reflection of the host country and the secretariat. The paper is being circulated as a working document in order to solicit further views.