

Multi-stakeholder Partnership Dialogues at the Third International Conference on Small Island
Developing States

# Session 6: Water and Sanitation, Food Security & Waste Management

Savaii Partnerships Hall, Apia, Samoa | Thursday, 4 September 2014, 10:00am-1:00pm

### Preliminary Programme



#### 10:00 am - 10:15 am - Opening

Opening remarks by Chair & Moderator – His Excellency Ronald Jean Jumeau, Ambassador for Climate Change and small island developing States Issues, Permanent Mission of the Republic of Seychelles to the United Nations in New York

#### 10:15 am - 12.45 pm - Keynote Presentations & Interactive Partnership Dialogue

The session will include **key note presentations** by leading experts in the priority area subcluster with five minutes each.

- H.E. Mr. Federico Ramos de Armas, Secretary of State for Environment, Spain
- H.E. Ms. Karen Tan, Permanent Representative of Singapore to the United Nations
- Mr. Michel Jarraud, Secretary-General, World Meteorological Organization
- Dr. Alemneh Dejene, Team leader, Climate Change Adaptation and Environmental Sustainability, Climate Tenure and Energy Division, FAO
- Mr. Hemsing Hurrynag, Chair, Pesticide Action Network

At the end of the key note presentations, participants are invited to an **Interactive Partnership Dialogue** among all stakeholders in reviewing existing successful partnerships, launching innovative partnerships, and foster discussion on key priorities for Small Island Developing States in the area of "Water and Sanitation, Food Security and Waste Management" and its subcluster.

Interventions from the floor on partnerships should be focus, succinct, limited to three minutes, and would seek to maintain balance between:

- New and existing partnerships
- Pacific/AIMS/Caribbean SIDS regions

• Governmental/UN entities/Non-governmental

## 12.45pm - 1.00 pm - Closing

Summarizing of session in form of set of *recommendations & opportunities* for SIDS in the priority area