

## **UN Steering Committee on Partnerships for SIDS**

## Ambassadorial level Meeting Tuesday 4 April 2023, 10:00am - 12:00pm ECOSOC Chamber

## **Provisional Agenda**

Item 1	Opening remarks
10:00-	Remarks by Co-Chairs
10:20am	H.E. Mr. Fatumanava-o-Upolu III Pa'olelei Luteru, Permanent Representative
	of Samoa to the United Nations
	H.E. Ms. Ana Paula Zacarias, Permanent Representative of Portugal to the
	United Nations
	Remarks by the Secretariat
	Mr. Li Junhua, Under-Secretary-General, UNDESA
	<ul> <li>Ms. Rabab Fatima, High Representative for the Least Developed Countries,</li> </ul>
	Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States
Item 2	Review of achievements in 2022
10:20-	Presentations by:
10:40am	• UNDESA
	OHRLLS
Item 3	Launch of the application process for the 2023 UN SIDS Partnerships Awards
10:40-	Announcement by H.E. Mr. Fatumanava-o-Upolu III Pa'olelei Luteru, Permanent
10:45am	Representative of Samoa to the United Nations
Item 4	Endorsement of the work programme of 2023
10:45-	Presentations by:
11:05am	H.E. Ms. Ana Paula Zacarias, Permanent Representative of Portugal to the
	United Nations
	• UNDESA
	• OHRLLS
Item 5	General discussions
11:05-	Interventions and statements
11:55am	Guiding questions:
	<ul> <li>How can the Committee ensure to engage partnerships for SIDS in the</li> </ul>
	preparatory process for the fourth International Conference on SIDS?
	How can we strengthen the SIDS Partnership Framework under the next
	SIDS programme of action?
	How can we/partnerships support SIDS in areas that are fundamental
	to strengthen resilience in SIDS, such as recovery from the COVID-19

	pandemic, sustainable infrastructure, blue economy, protection of oceans and seas, human capacity and health, as well as data and statistical systems?
Item 6	Closing
11:55am- 12:00pm	<ul> <li>H.E. Mr. Fatumanava-o-Upolu III Pa'olelei Luteru, Permanent Representative of Samoa to the United Nations</li> <li>H.E. Ms. Ana Paula Zacarias, Permanent Representative of Portugal to the United Nations</li> </ul>
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