

Side Event at the 1st PrepCom for UN Conference on SIDS, New York

SIDS ADAPTING TO CLIMATE CHANGE: A PARTNERSHIP UNDER THE GLOBAL ADAPTATION NETWORK (GAN)

Date: Tuesday, 25 February 2014

Time: 1.15pm – 2.30pm

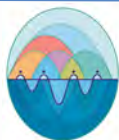
Venue: Conference Room A

The side event will provide a forum for SIDS representatives to exchange experiences and lessons learnt on adapting to the adverse impacts of climate change. The Global Adaptation Network (GAN) and its knowledge-sharing activities will be presented by UNEP, including a proposal for a SIDS partnership. The speakers and participants will have the opportunity to share their views on whether this could be a useful platform for strengthening knowledge-sharing and collaboration, and to provide their guidance on the way forward in developing the partnership.

A new short video on “Adaptation to Sea Level Rise” produced by UNEP as part of the *Two Minutes on Oceans with Jim Toomey* video series will also be shared at the event.

Moderator: H. E. Ronald Jumeau, Ambassador for Climate Change and SIDS Issues, Seychelles

Speakers: SIDS Representatives
Mr. Espen Ronneberg, Climate Change Adviser, SPREP
Mr. Elliott Harris, Director, New York Office, UNEP



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