ITC JOINT ADVISORY GROUP PROGRAMME

46TH SESSION, 21 – 22 MAY 2012
WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION, ROOM CR I

MONDAY, 21 MAY 2012

10:00 – 13:00 OPENING SESSION

10:00 – 11:10 Opening remarks

10:00 – 10:10 The Chair of the 45th session: H.E. Mr. Hisham M. Badr, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt

10:10 – 10:20 The Chair of the 46th session: H.E. Mr. Francisco Pírez Gordillo, Ambassador, Permanent Representative to the WTO, Permanent Mission of Uruguay

10:20 – 10:30 Mr. Pascal Lamy, Director-General, WTO

10:30 – 10:40 Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General, UNCTAD

10:40 – 11:00 Ms. Patricia Francis, Executive Director, ITC
Opening remarks and Annual Report on the activities of ITC in 2011 (ITC/AG(XLVI)/243)

11:00 – 11:10 Presentation of financial update as of 30 April 2012 by Ms. Eva K. Murray, Director, Division of Programme Support, ITC

11:10 – 13:00 ITC Strategic Plan 2012-2015 and Corporate Logframe (ITC/AG(XLVI)/245)

11:10 – 11:30 Introduction by Mr. Jean-Marie Paugam, Deputy Executive Director, ITC

11:30 – 13:00 Discussion

Member states will have the opportunity at this juncture to make interventions of a general nature on the work of ITC.

13:00 – 15:00 Lunch
15:00-18:00  AFTERNOON SESSION
15:00 – 17:00  Continuation of the morning’s discussions

17:00 – 17:15  Presentation of ITC’s New Interactive Corporate Video

18:00 – 19:30  EVENING COCKTAIL - Lobby of the “Salle William Rappard”
Reception hosted by the ITC Executive Director, Ms. Patricia Francis

TUESDAY, 22 MAY 2012

10:00 - 13:00  MORNING SESSION
10:00 – 11:30  Consolidated Programme Document for 2012-2013 (ITC/AG(XLVI)/244)

10:00 – 10:20  Introduction by Mr. Friedrich von Kirchbach, Director, Division of Country Programmes, ITC

10:20 – 11:30  Discussion

11:30 - 13:00  Announcement of trust fund contributions to ITC

13:00 – 15:00  Lunch break

15:00-18:00  AFTERNOON SESSION
15:00 – 17:00  Informal session on ITC’s Trade Support Institution Benchmarking Programme
Moderated by Ms. Aicha Pouye, Director, Division of Business and Institutional Support, ITC
Session not recorded in the JAG report

17:00 - 17:50  Adoption of draft report on 46th session

17:50 - 18:00  Closing remarks – Ms. Patricia Francis, Executive Director, ITC

INFORMATION FOR COUNTRY DELEGATES: ITC will collect statements during the event. We would be grateful if statements could be sent in advance to ITC in PDF format.