PROGRAMME

9 February 2009 (15h-18h)

Round Table 1: Space systems observation/monitoring of climate change.

Moderator: Gerard Brachet, Vice President, IAF and chairman of IAF/CLIODN

- 15h00 to 15h30 Welcome remarks

Aboubekr Seddik Kedjar, Chairman of the Scientific and Technical Sub Committee of COPUOS

Berndt Feuerbacher, IAF President

- 15:30 to 15:45 Opening statement by the coordinators
- 15:45 to 16:45 Presentations

Valanathan Munsami, Group on Earth Observation (GEO)

Barbara Ryan, World Meteorological Organisation Space Program (WMO)

K. Radhakrishnan, Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)

- **16:45 to 17:00** Q & A on round table 1

Coordinators of the Symposium: *Gerard Brachet* (IAF/CLIODN Chairman) *Philippe Willekens* (IAF Executive Director)

Round Table 2: Space systems contribution to understanding and forecasting climate behaviour

Moderator: Gerard Brachet, Vice President, IAF and chairman of IAF/CLIODN

- 17:00 to 17:40 Presentations

Stan Wilson, Senior Scientist, Satellite and Information Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

Claire Jolly, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)

- 17:40 to 17:55 Q & A on round table 2
- 17:55 to 18:00 Concluding Remarks

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