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## **Media Advisory**

### **Mongolia: Government of Mongolia-External Partners Technical Meeting in Main Hall of UB hotel, October 09-10, 2006**

The Government of Mongolia and the World Bank will jointly host a bi-annual technical meeting with development partners on October 09-10, 2006. The meeting, which is open to the media, will be held at the Ulaanbaatar Hotel.

The meeting aims to strengthen cooperation between the Government and development partners in support of Mongolia's economic and social priorities. The meeting will also provide an opportunity for all sides to report on and review progress since the last technical meeting, held in February 2006.

The meeting will focus on two key areas: infrastructure and environment. The meeting in February addressed education and private sector issues.

Around 200 people, representing the Government, donor agencies, NGOs and the private sector, will participate in this technical meeting.

N. Bayartsaikhan, Minister of Finance of Mongolia, and David Dollar, World Bank Country Director for Mongolia, will speak at the beginning of the meeting. Closing remarks will be made by the Minister of Finance and Arshad Sayed, World Bank Country Manager and Resident Representative in Mongolia.

#### **Press Conference**

At the conclusion of the meeting, the Government of Mongolia, represented by the Ministry of Finance and the World Bank will jointly host a press conference to explain outcomes, and respond to questions. Local and international media are invited.

The venue of the Press Conference is conference room on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor, Ulaanbaatar hotel. It will start at 4.40 pm on October 10, 2006. The main speakers will be N. Bayartsaikhan, Ministry of Finance, Mongolia and David Dollar, World Bank Country Director for Mongolia, Arshad Sayed, World Bank Country Manager and Resident Representative in Mongolia.

#### **Media support during the meeting**

Interested media will be provided with information at the media corner of the meeting. For better coordination interested media should contact to Sunjidmaa Jamba, the World Bank. Mobile phone: 976 9908 7912.

**Time schedule**

Monday, October 09: 09.00 am -05.00 pm

Tuesday, October 10: 09.00 am- 04.30 pm

**Location of media corner**

Left entrance, Main hall, UB hotel,

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