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## Timor-Leste and Development Partners Meeting

April 3-4, 2006  
Hotel Timor, Dili,  
Timor-Leste



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### MEDIA ADVISORY

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The Government of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste and the World Bank will jointly host the annual Timor-Leste and Development Partners' Meeting on April 3 and 4 in Dili. The theme of this year's meeting is "*Combating Poverty as a National Cause.*" Key topics of discussion will include "*Timor-Leste Economy: Development and Perspectives*" and "*The Future for Capacity Development in Timor-Leste*".

Opening statements will be made by Prime Minister, Mr. Mari Alkatiri; President Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão and Mr. Xian Zhu, the World Bank Country Director for Timor-Leste. Closing remarks will be made by the Prime Minister, and Mr. Xian Zhu.

**\*Registered media are invited to attend the opening session on April 4, 2006 starting at 9.00 am. Registered media are also invited to attend the closing session at 5.45 pm April 4, 2006. A press conference will follow the closing session at 6.15 pm.**

For further information and additional documentation, we encourage you to visit the Government's TLDPM website: [www.mopf.gov.tp/tldpm](http://www.mopf.gov.tp/tldpm).

**The Government and the World Bank invite all media to attend this important event, however, due to security precautions, only media who have pre-registered may attend. To register, please contact:**

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