

The World Bank
Pakistan Country Gender Assessment Dissemination
May 4th 2006
Venue: Kohinoor Hall, Marriott Hotel, Islamabad

Agenda

Time

Activity

Session I

08:40 – 09:00	Registration and Welcome tea
09:00 – 09:05	Recitation of the Holy Quran
09:05 - 09:15	Introduction by Mr. John Wall, Country Director, The World Bank
09:15 – 09:40	Presentation on main messages from Pakistan Country Gender Assessment Report by Dr. Tara Vishwanath, Lead Economist, The World Bank
09:40 - 10:00	Keynote address by Engr. M. Akram Sheikh, Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission
10.00- 10.30	Tea and Snacks
10:30 – 11:30	Question & Answer Session on the Country Gender Assessment Moderator: Dr. Zeba A. Sathar, Country Representative, Population Council
11: 30- 12.00	Wrap Up
12:00 – 13:00,pm	Lunch

Session II

13:00 – 14:15	<p>Presentation 1: Political Participation Women's Political School Project</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Speaker: Mr. Suhail Safdar, Secretary, Ministry of Women Development (15 mins)• Speaker: Ms. Rakshanda Naz, Resident Director, Aurat Foundation, Peshawar (15 mins) <p>Chair and Moderator: Mr. Suhail Safdar, Secretary, Ministry of Women Development Q&A</p>
14:15 – 15:15	<p>Presentation 2: Legal Issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Violence Against Women and Access to Legal Justice• Speaker: Zia Awan, Lawyer for Human Rights and Legal Aid, Karachi (15 mins) <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Saba Gul Khattak, Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad Q&A</p>
15:15 – 17:15	<p>Presentation 3: Access to Key Public Services- Education and Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Speaker: Dr. Ghazala Mansuri, Economist, The World Bank (25 mins) <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Arfa Sayeda Zehra, Chairperson, National Commission on the Status of Women, Islamabad</p> <p>Concluding session and refreshment</p>