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TIME FRAME	MILESTONES	ACTIONS / FOLLOW-UP	DOCUMENTATION
DEC. 04	59 <sup>th</sup> GA Resolution on UNLDC III decided to hold MTR during 61 <sup>st</sup> GA session in 2006	Modalities to be decided by 60 <sup>th</sup> GA	GA Resolution on UNLDC III <a href="#">A/RES/59/244</a> OP 5, 6
<b>JULY 05</b>			
	<b>2005 ECOSOC HLS</b>	Inputs to SG Report on HLS theme	SG Report on HLS theme ( <a href="#">E/2005/56</a> )
15 JULY	1 <sup>st</sup> Inter-Agency consultations on MTR	Logistical and substantive organization Circulation of summary of the consultations to all UN and other agencies Continuing consultations with multilateral partners for individual roles and inputs	Background Paper on MTR <a href="#">Summary</a>
18 JULY	Workshop for the LDC National Focal Points focusing on the MTR	Logistical and substantive organization 22 NFPs participated	
19 JULY	<b>2005 ECOSOC General Segment: annual review of BPoA</b>	Third SG Progress Report and Matrix of Achievement Joint UN-OHRLLS/UNDP Letters to UNRCs on national reviews Letters to Ex. Sec. of Reg. Commissions on regional reviews	Third SG Progress Report on BPoA ( <a href="#">E/2005/68, A/60/81</a> ) Matrix (CRP.7 Part <a href="#">I</a> , <a href="#">II</a> , <a href="#">III</a> ) ECOSOC Resolution
<b>SEPT. 05</b>			
14-16 SEPT.	<b>60<sup>th</sup> GA High level plenary meeting Plenary + 4 Interactive roundtables</b>	Advocacy to get MTR/BPoA issues incorporated in statements by HoS/G	HLPM outcome document refers to the LDCs and Brussels Programme of Action  A Chart with all references made by speakers to the LDCs-related issues has been prepared.
17-28 SEPT.	<b>60<sup>th</sup> GA General Debate</b>	Same as above	

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28 SEPT.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations	Interactions of LDC Chair and Bureau with UN and other agencies.  Inter-agency consultations  Continuing consultations with multilateral partners for individual roles and inputs	Updated background Paper on MTR  Circulation of summary of the consultations to all UN and other agencies
<b>OCT-NOV. 05</b>			
OCT.- DEC. 05  9 Nov.	60 <sup>th</sup> GA Second Committee  <b>Consideration of agenda Item 55 on countries in special situations (LDCs and LLDCs) by GA Second Committee</b>	Negotiations on Resolution on MTR modalities  Mandate on SG Report on comprehensive review covering period 2001-2005	SG's Third Progress Report on BPoA ( <a href="#">E/2005/68, A/60/81</a> )  SG's Progress Report on APoA ( <a href="#">A/60/287</a> )  GA Resolution on UNLDC III focusing on MTR modalities
1 <sup>ST</sup> WEEK OF OCT.	Consultations with UNDG and UN Res. Coordinators	Follow up on support for national reviews  Continuing contacts with National Focal Points and UNRCs to finalize dates for national reviews	
28 Oct.05	CEB received SG's note on MTR preparations.		
<b>DEC. 05</b>			
	Consultations with LDC Group and Development Partners on MTR	Firm up activities leading to MTR after adoption of GA resolution  HR's letter sent to Agencies on 17 Nov.05	
<b>JAN. 06</b>			
17 JAN.06	3 <sup>rd</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations on special preparatory events organized in collaboration with UN System as contributions to MTR  National reviews – broad-based, inclusive dialogue in each LDC to prepare national inputs to be completed by 15 January 2006	Monitoring and coordination by UN-OHRLLS  Preparation of synthesis reports for Africa and Asia / Pacific	50 national reports

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<b>FEB. 06</b>			
21-23 FEB.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNECA and UN-OHRLLS in ADDIS ABABA</b>	34 LDCs + Haiti (invited participant)	34 national reports for Africa + Haiti ECA Regional report Synthesis of African national reports Third Annual report of the SG on the BPoA UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet (EN and FR) Draft Outcome Document
<b>MAR. 06</b>			
14-15 MAR.06	<b>Regional review for the MTR organized by UNESCAP and UN-OHRLLS in BANGKOK</b>	14 LDCs + Yemen (invited participant)	14 national reports for Asia + Yemen ESCAP Regional report Synthesis of Asian/Pacific national reports Outcome of the Addis Ababa Meeting Third Annual report of the SG on the BPoA UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet (EN) Draft Outcome Document
20-24 MAR.06	<b>UNECLAC Ministerial Meeting will consider Haiti's case for the MTR IN MONTEVIDEO</b>	Haiti: Commission session to discuss <i>Haiti will also participate at the UNECA Africa review</i>	1 national report Outcome of Africa and Asia-Pacific Regional Meetings
<b>APR. 06</b>			
7-8 APR.06	CEB to discuss UN agencies' involvement in the MTR preparations in MADRID		
26 APR. 06	4th Inter-Agency Consultations		
	<b>Consultations with Development Partners (EU, Japan, USA, Norway, Australia, New Zealand)</b>		
	Inputs from Development Partners		
	Inputs from multilateral partners that have mainstreamed the BPoA		

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Submission of SG's Fourth Annual Progress Report on the implementation of BPoA for ECOSOC 2006			
<b>MAY 06</b>			
<b>9 MAY 06</b>	<b>UNESCWA Ministerial Meeting will consider and approve Yemen's report for the MTR in BEIRUT</b>	Yemen: Commission session to discuss <i>Yemen will also participate at the Asia-Pacific regional review</i>	1 national report Outcome of Africa and Asia-Pacific Regional Meetings
<b>13-14 May 06</b>	"Strategy Planning for campaign and advocacy for the Brussels Programme and the MDGs" organized by LDC Watch/Millennium Campaign (UNDP) in Kampala, UGANDA		
<b>19 MAY 06</b>	Launch of the publication on Governance in LDCs organized by UN-OHRLLS and UNDP, in New York		Publication: Governance for the future-Democracy and Development in the Least Developed Countries
<b>29-30 MAY 06</b>	Ad Hoc LDC Experts Meeting in preparation for the Mid-Term Review, organized by UNCTAD, in Geneva		
<b>JUNE 06</b>			
<b>5-6 JUNE 06</b>	<b>Conference and Workshop on Building Inclusive Financial Sectors in Africa organized by UNCDF in Dakar, SENEGAL</b>		
<b>5-6 JUNE 06</b>	<b>Preparatory Experts Meeting in Cotonou, BENIN</b>		Synthesis reports of national reports of respectively African and Asia/Pacific LDCs Report of the Regional Commissions respectively for African and Asian/Pacific LDCs Outcome documents of respectively the Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings UN GA resolution A/RES/60/228 BPoA Booklet Ministerial Declaration/Communiqué on LDCs' platform for MTR
<b>7-8 JUNE 06</b>	<b>LDC Ministerial Meeting in Cotonou, BENIN</b>		

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22 JUNE 06	<p><b>One-day informal interactive hearings of NGOs, civil society and the private sector in New York chaired by the UNGA President (60/228)</b></p>		<p>Synthesis reports of the national reports of respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs  <b>Regional Commissions reports for respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs</b>  <b>Outcome documents of both Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings</b>  <b>Ministerial Declaration/Communiqué on LDCs' platform for the MTR</b>  <b>UNGA resolution A/RES/60/228</b>  <b>BPOA booklet</b>  <b>National reports by LDCs</b></p>
<b>JULY 06</b>			
4 JULY 06	<p><b>ECOSOC in Geneva: Ministerial Breakfast Roundtable on the theme "Migrant workers' remittances in Africa and LDCs" organized by UN-OHRLLS and OSAA</b></p>		
5 JULY 06	<p><b>ECOSOC in Geneva: Roundtable on the theme "Meeting the challenge of employment creation in Africa and the Least developed Countries" organized by UN-OHRLLS, OSAA, UNECA and UNESCAP</b></p>		
17 JULY 06	<p>5<sup>th</sup> Inter-Agency Consultations, in Geneva</p>		
17 JULY 06	<p>Launch of UNCTAD LDCs Report in Geneva by Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi</p>		<p>UNCTAD LDC Report</p>
18 JULY 06	<p>Civil Society Forum organized in Geneva organized by UN-OHRLLS and NGLS</p>		
18-19 JULY 06	<p>Workshop for LDC National Focal Points with special focus on the mid-term review, organized by UN-OHRLLS in Geneva</p>		
20 JULY 06	<p><b>2006 ECOSOC General Segment: fourth annual review of BPOA in Geneva, Agenda Item 6(b)</b></p>		<p>SG's Fourth Progress Report on BPOA  HR to introduce Report  ECOSOC Resolution</p>

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20 JULY 06	<b>ECOSOC General Segment: Panel discussion to follow-up the 2004 Ministerial Declaration on "Resources mobilization and enabling environment for poverty eradication in the context of the implementation of the BPoA for the LDCs for the Decade 2001-2010"</b>		
20 JULY 06	Launch of the 2006 LDC Report, by UNCTAD, in New York, Paris and other cities		Publication: UNCTAD LDC Report 2006
21 JULY 06	Event on "South-South cooperation in support of the most vulnerable countries", organized by South Unit (UNDP) and UN-OHRLLS, in Geneva		
26 JULY 06	Symposium on "Agricultural productivity and rural development: how Japan can support efforts by the LDCs?", organized by UN-OHRLLS and Japan		
<b>SEPT.-DEC. 06</b>			
	<b>61<sup>st</sup> GA General Debate</b>	Advocacy to get MTR/BPoA issues incorporated in statements by HoS/G	
5-7 SEPT. 06	<b>Preparatory Experts meeting on the MTR (60/228)</b>		<b>SG's comprehensive report on MTR</b> <b>Synthesis reports of the national reports of respectively Africa and Asia/Pacific LDCs</b> <b>Outcomes of the Regional Meetings for Africa and Asia-Pacific LDCs including reports on Haiti and Yemen</b> <b>Outcome document of the LDC Ministerial Meeting</b> <b>Outcome documents of both Africa and Asia/Pacific regional meetings</b> <b>UNGA resolution A/RES/60/228</b> <b>BPOA booklet</b>
6 SEPT. 06	Education in LDCs, event organized by UNESCO, in New York		
8 SEPT. 06	Panel Discussion on "Feminized Poverty: Implications for development in Least Developed Countries" organized by UNIFEM and UN-OHRLLS in collaboration with UNFPA and UNV, in New York		

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11 SEPT. 06	"Intellectual Property and Development of LDCs" organized by WIPO and UN-OHRLLS, in New York		
12 SEPT. 06	(a) Doing business in 2007 report: Enhancing the capacities of LDCs  (b) IDA resources for LDCs  Organized by the World Bank		
13 SEPT. 06	Weather, climate and water for development and disaster mitigation in LDCs, organized by WMO/ISDR Secretariat in New York		
13 SEPT. 06	"Integrating Least Developed Countries into the World Economy through Telecommunications/ICT", event organized by ITU in New York		
14 SEPT. 06	Panel Discussion on "Natural Resources and Development – The case of the LDCs" organized by OSAA/ UN-OHRLLS, in New York		
15 SEPT. 06	"Role of Parliaments in building good governance in the LDCs" organized by the IPU and UN-OHRLLS in New York		
18 SEPT. 06	High-Level Roundtable on LDCs organized by UN-OHRLLS, UNECA and UNESCAP in New York		
18 SEPT. 06	Investment Advisory Council/Investment Forum organized by UNCTAD/ICC/UN-OHRLLS in New York		

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19 SEPT. 06 PARALLEL EVENT	Roundtable on the LDCs Annual Report by UNCTAD		LDCs 2006 Report, UNCTAD
18-19 SEPT. 06 PARALLEL EVENT	LDC Exhibition organized by UN-OHRLLS/UNDP		
	61 <sup>st</sup> GA Second Committee		