

## **SUBSTANTIVE REPORT FOR 2009**

- TITLE OF FUND:** Trust Fund to Support Activities to the Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development (HIA)
- IMPLEMENTED BY:** Financing for Development Office (FFDO)/Department for Economic and Social Affairs
- OBJECTIVES:** To support the follow-up process to the International Conference on Financing for Development (Monterrey, Mexico, 18-22 March 2002)
- ACTIVITIES FUNDED:**

- (a) General Temporary Assistance  
Salary of the Associate Expert (P-4) tasked with implementing the project entitled “2008 Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development: New challenges and emerging issues for the Doha conference” funded by the contribution from the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany.
- (b) Consultants and experts:  
Travel of experts to attend: i) Training workshop on Tax Treaty Negotiations (9-12 February, Amsterdam); and ii) Panel discussion on policy options for dealing with the impact of the financial crisis on the external debt of developing countries (13 November, Geneva).
- (c) Travel of staff to attend intergovernmental meetings, multi-stakeholder consultations and conferences of institutional and non-institutional stakeholders, including civil society and private sector organizations, which are of relevance to the Financing for Development process (see TOR, paras. 4 (d) and 4 (h)).
- (c) Travel of representatives to attend official events of the FfD follow up process, including: i) meeting of ECOSOC Bureau with Executive Boards of the World Bank and IMF (8 April, Washington DC); ii) Asia Regional Forum on Policy and Regulation of Financial Inclusion (6-7 May, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia); and iii) Panel discussion on policy options for dealing with the impact of the financial crisis on the external debt of developing countries (13 November, Geneva).

OUTPUTS:

The above-mentioned extra budgetary activitie