







Side event: The Ocean Business Community: Partnering for the implementation of SDG 14



Wednesday, 7 June 2017 09.00AM to 10.30AM Conference Room A, UNHQ This session will address the role of private sector leadership and collaboration in the implementation of SDG 14. Participants will discuss the innovation, action and partnerships needed to meet the ocean goal. Through an interactive discussion, participants will identify the challenges, opportunities and next steps needed to achieve SDG 14.

Moderator: Louise Kantrow, Permanent Representative to the UN, International Chamber of Commerce

9 09:00-09:10 The Power of Partnerships to Achieve the SDGs

- Louise Kantrow, Permanent Representative to the UN, International Chamber of Commerce
- Paul Holthus, President and CEO, World Oceans Council
- Lise Kingo, CEO and Executive Director, United Nations Global Compact

4 09:10-:10:25 Spotlight on Business Innovation and Collaboration for SDG 14

Private sector perspective

- Jean-Louis Chaussade, CEO, Suez
- Jon Erik Reinhardsen, President and CEO, PGS
- Joao Metelo, CEO, Principle Power
- Rich Stavis, CEO, Stavis Seafood
- Donnie Brown, VP, Maritime Policy, Cruise Line International Association
- Simon Bennet, Director Policy & External Relations, International Chamber of Shipping

Interactive Dialogue

Participants are invited to make brief remarks and ask questions related to the panel discussion.

Lead discussants:

- Cyrie Sendashonga, IUCN Global Director
- John Tanzer, Head of Global Marine, WWF International



• Elliott Harris, UN Assistant Secretary-General and Director of UN Environment New York Office

10:25-10:30 Key Takeaways and Next Steps

Moderator provides an overview of main conclusions and next steps needed to meet SDG 14.