

2020 First Regular Session:

Joint briefing UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF and UN-Women on options to improve the structured funding dialogue

23 January 2020, from 10 am – 1 pm. Venue: CR-11-GA

Chaired by

H.E. Rabab Fatima, Permanent Representative of Bangladesh to the United Nations

FORMAT

Welcome and introduction

By Ambassador Fatima, Chair

Options to improve dialogues across the Boards

Joint presentation by Mr Arthur Erken, Director, Division for Communications and Strategic Partnerships, UNFPA – 15 minutes

Common Funding Considerations

Presentation on flexible and predictable funding: A spectrum of funding sources and instruments by Mr Daniel Seymour, Director, Strategic Partnerships, UN Women – 5 minutes

Presentation on planning and budgeting cycle in a voluntarily funded environment by Ms Gulden Turkoz-Cosslett, Deputy Assistant Administrator and Deputy Director, External Relations and Advocacy, UNDP – 5 minutes

Presentation on gaps and other aspects to consider by Ms Carla Haddad Mardini, Director, Public Partnerships, UNICEF – 5 minutes

Discussion – 60 minutes

Closing of the informal briefing

By Ambassador Fatima, Chair