2nd Asian Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

7-8 November 2007

SESSION PLAN

Technical Group B: **Integrating Disaster Risk Reduction in Development**

Theme 2: **Addressing the Issues of Women and Children in Disaster Risk Reduction**

Date: 8 November 2007
Venue: Banquet Hall-II, 3rd Floor
Time: 0900-1300 hrs.

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1. Gender and Children's issues in DRR with a focus on risk education
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2. Mainstreaming Gender Issues in Disaster Risk reduction
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3. Institutionalizing Women's participation in Response, Recovery and Disaster Risk Reduction
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4. Self Help Group, Micro Credit and Other Tools for Reducing Risks of Disasters for Women
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5. Physical and Mental Health Care of Children in Disasters
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6. Integrating Disaster Risk Reduction Education into School
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7. Vulnerability of Children in Disasters
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8. Disaster Risk Reduction with a Human Face
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9. Child and Women Flood Safety issues: Good Practice and Lesson Learnt from the Mekong Delta in Vietnam
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