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## DRAFT AGENDA FIRST INTER-AMERICAN MEETING OF MINISTERS AND HIGH LEVEL AUTHORITIES ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia – October 5-6, 2006

"Sustaining Economic Development and Building Environmental Management, Through Public and Citizen Participation, Governance, Gender Equity and Protecting the Rights of Indigenous Peoples"

- 1. Approval of the agenda
- 2. Election of authorities
- 3. Approval of recommendations of the preparatory session
- 4. Integrated Water Resources Management
  - Achieving the millennium development goals related to water, as set out in the United Nations Millenium Declaration
  - Advancing good governance in the management of water resources
  - Advancing integrated water resource management within the context of hydroclimatic variability
  - Enhancing synergies to strengthen cooperative mechanisms in water management
- 5. Natural Disasters Risk Management
  - Supporting cooperative partnerships and best practices that make progress in both risk mitigation and risk transfer, in particular, governance-related building codes and standards, adaptation monitoring and enforcement
  - Strengthening economic analysis associated with the benefits and costs of risk mitigation and risk sharing, and mainstream risk mitigation and expenditures in development planning
  - Advancing risk sharing and risk transfer initiatives at the regional and subregional levels, including through insurance pooling
- 6. Supporting environmental management through sustainable agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Advancing successful practices and approaches to sustainable agriculture, forestry, and tourism
  - Identifying challenges and obstacles to sustainable management of agriculture, forestry, and tourism

- Advancing partnerships and innovative mechanisms for financing in support of job creation and sustainable development of agriculture, forestry, and tourism
- Promoting public participation, good governance, gender equity, and the inclusion of indigenous communities in environmental management
- 7. Adoption of draft Inter-American Program for Sustainable Development 2006-2009
- 8. Other matters