Commission on the Measurement of Economic Performance and Social Progress

Provisional program of the workshop, September 14th 2009

Paris, Grand Amphithéâtre de La Sorbonne

8:45 – 9:30 am Registration

10:15 – 11:00 am Opening address
Nicolas Sarkozy, President of the French Republic

11:00 – 11:45 am General introduction
Joseph E. Stiglitz, Chair of the Commission
Amartya Sen, Chair Adviser
Jean-Paul Fitoussi, Coordinator

11:45 – 12:30 am Quality of life
Amartya Sen, Angus Deaton, Bina Agarwal

12:30 am – 2:30 pm Break

2:30 – 3:15 pm Classical GDP-related issues
Enrico Giovannini, Jean-Philippe Cotis, Nancy Folbre

3:15 – 4:00 pm Sustainable development and the environment
Geoffrey Heal, Nicholas Stern, Claude Henry

4:00 – 4:45 pm Conclusion on the implementation of the report
Jean-Louis Borloo, Minister of State, Minister of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development and Sea, in charge of Green Technologies and of Climate Change Negotiations
Christine Lagarde, Minister for Economic Affairs, Industry and Employment
Juan Somavia*, Director General of the International Labor Organization
Angel Gurria, Secretary General of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development

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