

**Workshop 4: Engaging the Marginalized – Partnerships between Indigenous Peoples, Governments and Civil Society**

**Secretariat of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues/DSPD/UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs & Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission**

**PROGRAMME**

**Monday, 15 August 2005**

**Rydes Hotel, Boulevard Room 3 (RH-B3)**

<p><b>10:40 – 12:10 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>Session 1: Opening</b>  <b>Chair:</b> Mr. Michael Dodson, Member of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues  <b>Rapporteur:</b> Mr. Tom Calma</p>
<p>10:40 – 11:00 p.m</p>	<p><i><b>Opening Remarks</b></i>          Mr. Michael Dodson, Member of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues           Ms. Elsa Stamatopoulou, Chief Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues  <i>Topic:</i> International Frameworks and Policies for Engaging Indigenous Communities</p>
<p>11:00 – 12:10p.m.</p>	<p><b>Engaging Indigenous Peoples at the Regional and National Levels</b>          Ms. Chandra Roy, UNDP Regional Indigenous Peoples Program  <i>Topic:</i> UNDP’s Policy on Indigenous Peoples and its Regional Program on Indigenous Peoples in Asia           Mr. Tom Calma, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice Commissioner, Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission (Australia)  <i>Topic:</i> New arrangements for the administration of Indigenous affairs and the impact of these new arrangements on Indigenous communities in Australia           Ms. Henrietta Marrie, Program Officer for Northern Australia and Melanesia, The Christensen Fund  <i>Topic:</i> Examples of funding Aboriginal community engagement projects   <b>Session 2: Engaging Indigenous Peoples: Local and community level examples</b>           Mr. Mangal Kumar Chakma, Secretary for Information and Publicity, PCJSS, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Bangladesh</p>

	<p><i>Topic:</i> Challenges and Opportunities for engaging indigenous peoples in the Chittagong Hill Tracts</p> <p>Mr. Daryl Pearce, Chief Executive Officer, South-West Aboriginal Land and Sea Council</p> <p><i>Topic:</i> Negotiations between governments and indigenous peoples: how governments should engage indigenous communities</p>
<b>2:10 – 3:20pm</b>	<p><b>Session 3: Breakout group discussions</b></p> <p>Breakout groups – discussions addressing key questions posed by facilitators and others on challenges, opportunities, models and best practices for engaging indigenous peoples</p>
<b>4:30- 5:40pm</b>	<p><b>Session 4: Reconvene and report back to Chair and Rapporteur on group discussions: feedback for policy makers on positive mechanisms for engaging indigenous peoples</b></p>
5:30 – 5:40pm	<p><b>Closing Remarks:</b> Mr. Tom Calma</p>