



SAWTEE is organizing a dialogue on “[Integrating Trade Issues in Post-2015 International Development Framework: Ongoing Debates and Potential Opportunities](#)” on 5 December 2013, as a part of the upcoming [Bali Trade and Development Symposium](#), at the Ninth WTO Ministerial Conference which is going to be held on 3-6 December 2013, at Bali International Convention Centre (BICC), Bali, Indonesia.

The main objectives of this program are:

- To revisit the importance of trade issues in achieving the current MDG goals and highlight its importance in the ongoing 2015 international development discourse.
- To address the major trade-related concerns of vulnerable countries including the LDCs.
- To explore the extent of trade concerns being addressed in the post 2015 agenda.
- To understand the role of WTO in post 2015 development agenda and recognize the importance of structural challenges and emerging development issues facing LDCs in the concept of SDGs.

Apart from the above mentioned objectives, the session will also deal with addressing the significance of the trade related issues has been emerging in the post-2015 international development discussions.

Moreover, special focus will be on finance, investment, Aid for Trade (Aft) and technology related concerns and the main highlight of this session would be the extent of trade issues that have been identified under the post-2015 agenda.

Dr Posh Raj Pandey, Executive Chairman, SAWTEE will be one of the speakers of the session.

SAWTEE is partnering with Centre for Policy Dialogue (CPD), Commonwealth Secretariat, United Nations Office of the High Representative for the LDCs, LLDCs and SIDS (UN-OHRLLS) to organize the event.

Details of the session and the speakers can be found on:

<http://www.ictsdsymposium.org/filter-sessions/issues-in-post-2015-international-development-framework/>