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The **United Nations Information Service (UNIS) Vienna**

invites you to a press briefing on the occasion of the launch of the

Millennium Development Goals Report 2010

**Conference Room M3
Vienna International Centre (VIC)**

Wednesday, 23 June 2010, 11:00 hours

The press briefing will present the findings of the *Millennium Development Goals Report 2010*, helping to set the stage for a September summit on the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) at the UN. The report is an annual assessment of progress on the eight MDGs and comes out only days before accountability for aid commitments is discussed by the Group of 8 at their meeting hosted by Canada. Information on the United Nations Development Programme's *International Assessment Report*, launched on 17 June, will also be presented at the press briefing.

The main launch of the *Millennium Development Goals Report 2010* will be held later the same day by United Nations Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon at UN headquarters in New York. **The information contained in the report and related press materials is under embargo until 23 June 2010, 11:00am New York time (17:00 hours CET).**

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