

ANNEX 1
Public Debt Working Group
Future Investigation Themes
July 25, 2008

Theme	Leader	Working Team	Timeframe
(1) Public Debt Indicators	Mexico	Bulgaria, Fiji Islands, Lithuania, Zambia	XX INCOSAI
(2) Public Debt Management Office	United Kingdom	Bulgaria, Canada (<i>subject to approval</i>), Fiji Islands	Mid term
(3) Contingent Debt	Ukraine	Korea	Mid term
(4) Impact of financial crises on public debt	United States of America	Mexico	XX INCOSAI
(5) Public bidding and adjudication for the recruitment of agents, bond and stock brokers			Long term
(6) Assessment of human resources employed in debt contracting	Fiji Islands, (<i>subject to further evaluation</i>)		Mid term
(7) Risk assessment and reduction of probable effects on debt structure [and internal control system on public debt management] Yemen	Yemen	Russian Federation (<i>focus on debt structure</i>)	Mid term
(8) Evaluation of information systems related to public debt management			Long term
(9) Extraordinary income analysis and its use to ameliorate external public debt			Long term
(10) Adequacy of regulatory framework: of the financial services sector: impact on contingent liabilities and public debt	Canada (<i>to be completed by 2011</i>)		Long term (2011)

Argentina and Brazil have not yet decided. The present matrix will be sent to the PDWG members not attending this meeting. The final version of this matrix will be sent to all PDWG members no later than September 30, 2008.