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## Plenary Debate on Climate Change

- Is there sufficient political determination for a replacement for the Kyoto agreement which expires in 2012?
- Dare we take the risk of having nothing in place in time?

## Committee 1: Millennium Development Goals:

- What are the priority issues?
- Why are some states (especially in sub-Saharan Africa lagging behind the schedule to get the Goals implemented by the end of 2015? Is it their fault or are there external factors?

## Committee 2: What are the priorities for nuclear technology?

- Can nuclear energy ever be seen as “safe” in terms of terrorists obtaining spent materials?
- Are there better ways of producing energy which are not harmful to the environment?
- Does the ability by any country to produce nuclear energy increase the risk that they will also develop nuclear weapons and thereby weaken further the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty?

## Committee 3: Responsibility to Protect

- Is this responsibility a 21<sup>st</sup> century attempt by powerful nations to interfere in other states by claiming that victims of internal or external violence must be protected if their Government cannot effect their protection?
- Or, is it a genuine attempt to secure the basic right to security of civilians in conflict areas?

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