

As on 29 May 2025

**Enhancing public awareness on Empowering Persons with
Disabilities and Fostering Sustainable Development**

**10 June 2025 – 3.00 pm to 4.30 pm – Trusteeship Council
Chambers, UNHQ, New York**

Tentative Programme

Time	Programme
3:00pm – 3:03pm	Introduction by MC – PMI representative
3:03pm – 3:05pm	Short video on empowering the persons with disabilities through assistive technologies (by BMVSS)
3:05pm – 3:15pm	Welcome remarks by Ambassador Parvathaneni Harish, Permanent Representative of India to the UN
3:15pm – 3:25pm	Statement by Dr. D.R. Mehta, Founder and Chief Patron, Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS)
3:25pm – 3:35pm	Statement by Amb Satish Mehta, Director International Operations, Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS)
3:35pm – 3:45pm	Remarks by H.E. Mr. Tesfaye Yilma Sabo, Ambassador/Permanent Representative of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
3:45pm – 3:55pm	Remarks by H.E. Mr. José Alberto Bríz Gutiérrez, Ambassador/Permanent Representative of Guatemala(TBC)
3:55pm – 4:05pm	Remarks by Mr. Abbas Kadhom Obaid Al-Fatlawi, Charge d' Affaires a.i. of the Republic of Iraq
4:05pm – 4:15pm	Remarks by Mr. Hadi Hachem, Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Republic of Lebanon(TBC)
4:15pm – 4:25pm	Interventions from the floor
4:25pm – 4:30pm	Closing Remarks – PMI representative