Programme for Multi-Party Dialogue Friday 29 May 2015

0830	Meet and greet, refreshments
0845/50	Introduction to the day
0900	Simulated negotiations: introduction to and explanation of the process, allocation to groups
	Table introductions, who are we? why are we here? As a group, objectives and realities; what really concerns us? ponder the briefing paper
0920	Who are we? What is it really all about? Some Challenges for the day - John Ashton
0940	Table discussions: what do we really think? Pick up on questions posed by John
0955	Feedback to plenary
1005	How do we deal with this as humans? Kenneth Hogg on emotional responses; Eolene Boyd Macmillan on neuro-psychological, social and physiological aspects: How our brains respond to the deepest challenges
1025	Table discussions: now, what do we think? And refreshments
1045	Feedback to Plenary
1055	Getting the Message Across: what should we say? James Curran
	Some implications: Chris West on species loss, oceans and ….
1115	Table discussions: What are we really facing? And what should the message be?
1130	The fossil fuel conundrum: John Ashton on fracking and extraction, Andy Kerr on carbon reduction and disinvestment, Mark Wagner on energy conservation
1200	Table discussions
1215	Feedback to plenary
1220	How should governments respond? Philip Wright on the Scottish response in the first decade of the 2000s, Graeme Dickson on where are we now – really? John Ashton on power and politics
1240	Table discussions: What is/should be the role of government?
1300	Lunch

1330	Reflections: what do we think?
1345	What this all means for the human spirit: Adrian Shaw on eco-congregations and communities
	Engaging voices at all levels: Ragne Low research and action; Chris McGinnis on the perspective of the next generation
1400	John Ashton and Alastair McIntosh on the engaging the human and the spiritual: why does this matter?
1420	Simulated negotiations: Preparation in groups for negotiating:
	What are our real objectives? What really concerns us now? What don't we understand? Where is the common ground with others? What really worries them? What do they need to hear from us? What happens if we don't address the issues? What do we now need to do/say to others? How should we present ourselves to others? How do we go about this?
1435	Feedback to Plenary: What are the issues: contrast process and substance?
1455	Mini mediation on process: representatives of each group meet with a mediator to discuss how to go forward
1530	Group discussions: Planning for the next stage, and refreshments
1545	Mini mediation on substance: two minute opening by representatives of groups on the issues of concern, common ground, requests for information
1625	Final Reflections and Close