

The Washington Office of the Friedrich Ebert Foundation

cordially invites you to a discussion on

Abrupt Climate Change: Security Implications from a European Perspective

with

Hans Günter Brauch

Chairman

Working Group on Peace Research and European Security Studies (AFES-PRESS)

Monday, March 29, 2004

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

The Carnegie Endowment for International Peace The Choate Room 1779 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington, DC (Dupont Circle Metro)

With this program we will bring together a small group of environmental and security policy experts to engage in a transatlantic dialogue on this increasingly important topic from a security policy perspective. Hans Günter Brauch, Chairman of the Working Group on Peace Research and European Security Studies and an independent German scholar and writer who is editor of a book on climate change (Klimapolitik: Naturwissenschaftliche Grundlagen, internationale Regimebildung und Konflikte, ökonomische Analysen sowie nationale Problemerkennung und Politikumsetzung, Springer Verlag, 1996), will introduce the subject and also comment on the recent study by Peter Schwartz and Doug Randall on An Abrupt Climate Change Scenario and Its Implications for United States National Security and the National Academy of Sciences report on Abrupt Climate Change: Inevitable Surprises from a European perspective. Following his remarks we will have an open discussion with the participants.

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