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Axworthy and Albright Meet With New Secretary General of the United Nations To Urge Action on Darfur

WINNIPEG—University of Winnipeg President Lloyd Axworthy and former US Secretary of State Madeleine Albright are meeting with Ban Ki-Moon, the new United Nations Secretary General, today in New York to present a statement asking for more concerted international action on Darfur. The statement is the result of a recent working session in Washington of 15 former Foreign Affairs Ministers (the Aspen Group) led by Secretary of State Albright. Today's delegation also includes the former Foreign Minister for Spain, Ana Policio.

University of Winnipeg President Lloyd Axworthy will be available for media interviews regarding his meeting with UN Sec.-Gen. Ban Ki-Moon, today from New York by telephone and over the weekend in Winnipeg.

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