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## *Premium Member and Trustee Event*

**Ian McCartney MP**

*UK Minister of State for Trade*

### *UK-OC: Responding to Globalization*

Responsibility for: Trade and Trade Policy, Trade and Investment (UKTI), Economic Policy including Science and Technology, Global Issues (including sustainable development, energy, climate change), Human Rights, North America, South East Asia, East Asia and Oceania.

Mr. Ian McCartney, Member of Parliament for Makerfield since 1987, was appointed Minister of State for Trade, Investment and Foreign Affairs in May 2006. Mr. McCartney was previously Minister without Portfolio and Party Chair (2003 – 2006); Minister of State for Pensions at the Department for Work and Pensions (2001-2003); Minister of State for the Cabinet Office (1999-2001) and Minister of State at the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) (1997-1999). Prior to that, Mr. McCartney held a number of positions in Opposition - spokesperson on Health, Employment, Education and Social Services.



In his previous role at the Cabinet Office, Mr. McCartney was responsible for modernizing Government and E-Government. He was also responsible for the co-ordination of the 2002 Commonwealth Games, drugs policy and the Better Government for Older People initiative. This was launched in June 1998 to improve public services for older people by listening to their needs on wide ranging issues including, access to benefits, health, housing and transport.

Date: **Monday, October 23, 2006**

Location: Hilton Costa Mesa  
3050 Bristol Street  
Costa Mesa, Ca. 92626

Reservations are required in advance

6:00 pm Reception \* 7:00 pm Dinner \* 7:45 pm Program  
Members @ \$50 Non-Members @ \$60