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Globalisation has made us more vulnerable. It creates a world without borders, and makes us painfully aware of the limitations of our present instruments, and of politics, to meet its challenges.

~Anna Lindh

Firstly, economic globalisation has brought prosperity and development to many countries, but also financial crises to Asia, Latin America and Russia, and increasing poverty and marginalisation.

~Anna Lindh

We urge President Bush to abstain from the National Missile Defense, just as we urge China, India and Pakistan to discontinue their nuclear arsenals.

~Anna Lindh

Globalisation makes it clear that social responsibility is required not only of governments, but of companies and individuals. All sources must interact in order to reach the MDGs.

~Anna Lindh

Global markets must be balanced by global values such as respect for human rights and international law, democracy, security and sustainable economic and environmental development.

~Anna Lindh

The United Nations remains our most important global actor. These days we are continuously reminded of the enormous responsibility of the Security Council to uphold international peace and stability.

~Anna Lindh

In a case like Iraq the UN has again shown what important role it plays as the guarantor for protecting international peace and stability in the global political structure.

~Anna Lindh

Terrorism can never be accepted. We must fight it together, with methods that do not compromise our respect for the rule of law and human rights, or are used as an excuse for others to do so.

~Anna Lindh

Regional exchange can be a source of growth and development, and of enhancing good governance.

~Anna Lindh

The WTO has one of the most impressive records in global economic governance, by promoting trade liberalisation and economic development.

~Anna Lindh

Poverty does not make people terrorists, but terrorists can exploit the frustration it creates and use it as a breeding-ground for violent ideas.

~Anna Lindh

The developing countries must be able to take a more active part in trade negotiations, through technical assistance and support from the developed countries.

~Anna Lindh

Developed countries and advanced developing countries must open their markets for products from the developing world, and support in developing their export and import capacity.

~Anna Lindh

We need a reform of the Security Council. It must be perceived as truly representative by all the 191 member states, to uphold the credibility and legitimacy of the UN as the main political arena.

~Anna Lindh

Still, corruption and oppression are far too common threats to the

democratic society.

~Anna Lindh

The world is richer than ever, and the gaps between rich and poor are wider.

~Anna Lindh

We need new partnerships in fighting terrorism and building peace.

~Anna Lindh

The most important issue we have to deal with is freedom of movement.

~Anna Lindh

Poverty must be reduced not only for reasons of moral and justice, but also of security.

~Anna Lindh

Human rights are praised more than ever - and violated as much as ever.

~Anna Lindh

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