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General Assembly President meets with top officials during visit to Panama



General Assembly President Joseph Deiss

18 April 2011 – Global governance has topped the agenda in talks between General Assembly President Joseph Deiss and senior officials from Panama during the President's visit to the Latin American country.

Mr. Deiss [arrived](#) in Panama on Friday and met with President Ricardo Martinelli and Foreign Minister Juan Carlos Varela, according to a statement issued by a spokesperson for the Assembly President.

The officials discussed the presence of the United Nations in Panama, which is home to a regional hub of the Organization.

Mr. Deiss also delivered an address to the Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union and met with the UN Resident Coordinator and other senior UN staff members based in Panama.

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