## ECOSOC Decision 2002/237

## Report of the Commission for Social Development on its fortieth session and provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-first session of the Commission

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2002, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission for Social Development on its fortieth session<sup>1</sup> and endorsed the resolutions and decisions adopted by the Commission;

(b) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-first session of the Commission set out below.

## Provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-first session of the Commission for Social Development

- 1. Election of officers.
- 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
- 3. Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly:
  - (a) Priority theme: "National and international cooperation for social development". Under this theme, the following specific topics will be considered:

(i) Sharing of experiences and practices in social development;

- (ii) Forging partnerships for social development;
- (iii) Social responsibility of the private sector;

(iv) Impact of employment strategies on social development;

(v) Policies and role of international financial institutions and their effect on national social development strategies;

- (b) Review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups:
  - (i) Review of the global situation of youth;
  - (ii) Preparations for and observance of the tenth anniversary of the International Year of the Family;

(iii) World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons.

Documentation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2002, Supplement No. 6 (E/2002/26).

Report of the Secretary-General on national and international cooperation for social development

Report of the Secretary-General: World Youth Report 2003

Report of the Secretary-General on preparations for and observance of the tenth anniversary of the International Year of the Family

Report of the Secretary-General on the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons

- 4. Programme questions and other matters:
  - (a) Programme performance and implementation;
  - (b) Proposed programme of work for the biennium 2002-2003;
  - (c) United Nations Research Institute for Social Development.

## **Documentation**

Note by the Secretary-General on the draft programme of work of the Division for Social Policy and Development for the biennium 2004-2005

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development

Note by the Secretary-General on the nomination of members of the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development

5. Provisional agenda for the forty-second session of the Commission.

6. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its forty-first session.