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SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS – FRIDAY 22 APRIL

PLENARY

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| 10 a.m. | Ninth meeting | Hall 2 |
| | Informal consultations (Open to States only) | |
| 3 p.m. | Tenth meeting | Hall 2 |
| | Informal consultations (Open to States only) | |

The Journal of the Eleventh United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice appears every morning. It contains the agenda for the day and various announcements. Delegations wishing to include an announcement should contact the Secretary of the Congress: Mr. Andres Finguerut, c/o Ms. Mai Tonheim. Office location: Zone C2; Mobile 052162338, Extension : 3525

COMMITTEE I

10 a.m. Eighth meeting **Hall 1**

Workshop 2. Enhancing Criminal Justice Reform, including Restorative Justice

Documents: A/CONF.203/10; A/CONF/203/PM.1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.1/1; A/CONF/203/RPM.2/1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.3/1; and Corr. 1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

3 p.m. Ninth meeting **Hall 1**

Continuation of Workshop 2. Enhancing Criminal Justice Reform, including Restorative Justice

Documents: A/CONF.203/10; A/CONF/203/PM.1;
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A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

COMMITTEE II

10 a.m. Eighth meeting **Hall 3**

Continuation of Workshop 4. Measures to Combat Terrorism, with Reference to the Relevant International Conventions and Protocols

Documents: A/CONF.203/12; A/CONF/203/PM.1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.1/1; A/CONF/203/RPM.2/1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.3/1; and Corr. 1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

3 p.m. Ninth meeting **Hall 3**

Workshop 6. Measures to Combat Computer-related Crime

Documents: A/CONF.203/14; A/CONF/203/PM.1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.1/1; A/CONF/203/RPM.2/1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.3/1; and Corr. 1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

OTHER MEETINGS

8.30 a.m. - 9 a.m.	Informal briefing for representatives of NGOs	Meeting Room 1
9 a.m.	EU Coordination	Meeting Room 3
9 a.m.	African Group	Boardroom 1
9.30 a.m.-5 p.m.	7 th Meeting of the International Group of Anti-Corruption Coordination-IGAC (closed meeting)	Boardroom 2
1.15 p.m. - 3 p.m.	Informal event : “Presentation of Festschrift: Victims of Crime and Abuse of Power” to Ms. Irene Melup and “Certificate of Merit” to Mr. Minoru. Shikita	Meeting Room 4
2 p.m.-3.15 p.m.	Arab Group	Boardroom 1

ANCILLARY MEETINGS

10 a.m.-12 noon	Breaking the Generational Cycles of Youth Violence in the Large Cities of the Developing World-VPPPS	Ballroom
10 a.m.-12 noon	Upholding the rule of law while fighting terrorism – IAPL and ICCPPC	Meeting Room 1
1 p.m.-3 p.m.	Too Many Women in Prison – Howard League for Penal Reform, FWCC (Quakers) and PRI	Ballroom
1 p.m.-3 p.m.	Codes of Ethical Behaviour for Corrections Staff - ICPA	Meeting Room 1
1 p.m.-3 p.m.	Economic and financial crimes: challenges to sustainable development – ASC	NGO Meeting Room
4 p.m.-6 p.m.	Prison Privatization – PRI	Ballroom
4 p.m.-6 p.m.	Victims of Terrorism - International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies – ISTSS	Meeting Room 1
4 p.m.-6 p.m.	Transnational Crime and Justice Issues in Asia – ASC	NGO Meeting Room

PRESS BRIEFING

12.45 p.m. Press Briefing, providing an overview of the Congress and on Standards and Norms: Fifty Years after the Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners. Press Briefing Room, Boardroom 4

Speakers: Mr. Eduardo Vetere, Executive Secretary of the Congress, UNODC; Ms. Loide Lungameni, Legal Officer, UNODC; Ms. Anna Giudice, Drug Control and Crime Prevention Officer UNODC. A documentary film on the same topic, produced by an NGO, "Two Hands Free", will be shown at the end of the briefing. The producer will be available to answer questions.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS - SATURDAY 23 APRIL 2005

PLENARY

HIGH-LEVEL SEGMENT

10 a.m. First meeting **Hall 2**

3 p.m. Second meeting **Hall 2**

COMMITTEE I

10 a.m. Tenth meeting **Hall 1**

Workshop 3. Strategies and Best Practices for Crime Prevention, in particular in relation to Urban Crime and Youth at Risk

Documents: A/CONF.203/11; A/CONF.203/PM.1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.1/1; A/CONF/203/RPM.2/1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.3/1; and Corr. 1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

3 p.m. Eleventh meeting **Hall 1**

Continuation of Workshop 3. Strategies and Best Practices for Crime Prevention, in particular in relation to Urban Crime and Youth at Risk

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COMMITTEE II

10 a.m. Tenth meeting **Hall 3**

Continuation of Workshop 6. Measures to Combat Computer-related crime

Documents: A/CONF.203/14; A/CONF/203/PM.1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.1/1; A/CONF/203/RPM.2/1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.3/1; and Corr. 1;
A/CONF/203/RPM.4/1

3 p.m. Eleventh meeting **Hall 3**
Informal Consultations

Special Treaty Event 23-25 April 2005

A special treaty event will be held from 23-25 April to allow Heads of Delegation to deposit instruments of ratification to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and its Protocols, the United Nations Convention against Corruption and the four United Nations instruments against terrorism.

OTHER MEETINGS

8.30 a.m.- 9.00 a.m.	Informal briefing for representatives of NGOs	Meeting Room 1
2 p.m.	Credentials Committee of the Congress (The members of the Committee are: Argentina, Benin, Chile, China, Ghana, Indonesia, Liechtenstein, Russian Federation and United States of America).	Meeting Room 2

ANCILLARY MEETINGS

10 a.m. – 12 noon	AIDS and Prisons: Framework for Action – ICCLR&CJP and PRI and UNODC	Meeting Room 1
10 a.m.- 12 noon	The Reality of Implementing Justice Sector Reform Programs: Implementing U.N. Standards and Norms in Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice – ILHR and ASC	NGO Meeting Room 1
1p.m. – 3 p.m.	Restorative Justice in Criminal Courts: Success with Adults - NY Alliance on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	NGO Meeting Room
1 p.m.-3 p.m.	Guidelines on Justice for Child Victims and Witnesses of Crime – IBCR	NGO Meeting Room

4 pm.-6 p.m.	Comparative advantages of alternative sentences – Prof. Damasio	Meeting Room 1
4 pm.-6 p.m.	Crime Prevention Through Technology, Innovative Law Enforcement and Urban Planning – Coalition of independent experts	NGO Meeting Room

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS 21 APRIL 2005

PLENARY

7th meeting

Continuation of item 4. International cooperation against terrorism and links between terrorism and other criminal activities in the context of the work of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

The Plenary continued its consideration of the item. Statements were made by the representatives of Syria, Croatia, Iran, Turkey, Romania, Spain, Paraguay, Burkina Faso, Morocco, Kuwait, Serbia and Montenegro, United Kingdom, Japan, Nigeria, Chile, Algeria and Cyprus. Statements were also made by representatives of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and the United Nations High Commission for Refugees. The observer of the Council of Europe also made a statement.

8th meeting

Continuation of item 4. International cooperation against terrorism and links between terrorism and other criminal activities in the context of the work of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

The Plenary concluded its consideration of the item. Statements were made by the representatives of Venezuela and Azerbaijan.

Statements were made by observers from INTERPOL, Agence Intergouvernementale de la Francophonie, the World Society of Victimology, International Centre for Criminal Law Reform and Criminal Justice and the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies. Two individual experts also made statements. The representative of Pakistan commented on the statement made by one of the individual experts.

COMMITTEE I

6th meeting

Workshop 1: Enhancing International Law Enforcement Cooperation, including Extradition Measures.

A workshop on the enhancement of international law enforcement cooperation, including extradition measures was organized with the assistance of the European Institute for Crime Prevention and Control, affiliated with the United Nations (HEUNI).

Statements were made by representatives from Ukraine, United States of America, Ghana, Sweden, China, France, Oman, Finland, Chile, Algeria, Turkey, Morocco and Thailand. Statements were made by observers from the Asia Crime Prevention Foundation, African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders, Australian Institute of Criminology, University of Amazonia (Brazil), INTERPOL and EUROPOL.

7th meeting

Continuation of Workshop 1: Enhancing International Law Enforcement Cooperation, including Extradition Measures.

Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, Samoa, Cameroon, Egypt, Thailand, China and Luxembourg on behalf of the European Union. Statements were also made by representatives of the Philippines, Luxembourg, Slovenia, Indonesia and Portugal. Statements were made by observers of the United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders, the Australian Institute of Criminology, the Institute for Security Studies, the Asia Crime Prevention Foundation and the National Institute for Justice, the International Centre at the US National Institute of Justice.

COMMITTEE II

6th meeting

Continuation of Workshop 5: Measures to Combat Economic Crime, including Money-Laundering

A workshop on measures to combat economic crime, including money-laundering was organized with the assistance of the UNAFEI and the Swedish National Economic Crimes Bureau. The second session on money-laundering consisted of two panels during which presentations were made on measures against money-laundering followed by case-based discussion. Statements were made by representatives of Australia, Libya, Italy, Benin, Brazil, Syrian Arab Republic, Morocco, Egypt and Spain.

7th meeting

Workshop 4: Measures to Combat Terrorism, with Reference to the Relevant International Conventions and Protocols

A workshop on measures to combat terrorism, with reference to the relevant international conventions and protocols was organized with the assistance from the International Institute of Higher Studies in Criminal Sciences. The first session consisted of a panel during which presentations were made on the topic: International Legal Regime against Terrorism: Strengths and Weaknesses followed by case-based discussion. Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria, Brazil, Syria, Argentina, Spain and Nigeria. Statements were made by observers from the Council of Europe, the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies and the International Association of Penal Law.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration

Registration of participants will take place in the Congress registration area of the Queen Sirikit National Convention Centre, located in Zone A, upper level entrance hall. The registration desk will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

In preparation for the high-level segment, the registration desk will be open on 22 and 23 April from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

List of speakers

States wishing to inscribe in the list of speakers for the High Level Segment should contact: Ms. Simone Rupprich, office location in Zone C2.

Delegations wishing to take the floor in the Plenary and Committee I and II should approach the conference room officer in the concerned meeting room.

Texts of written statements

In order to facilitate interpretation and the work of the Secretariat delegations are invited to provide copies of statements to be delivered at the Congress well in advance. The copies should be provided directly to the Conference room officers in the room where the statement will be made.

Statements by non-governmental organizations

Non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council, and other organizations, that wish to take the floor on an agenda item pursuant to rule 58 of the rules of procedure should inform the Secretariat in advance.

List of participants

Delegations that have not already submitted the names of their representatives participating at the Congress are requested to do so as soon as possible in the registration area. The provisional list of participants was issued on 19 April 2005. Any amendments should be communicated to Ms. Gemma Norman or Ms. Michaela Bichler at the registration counter in Zone A, by Friday 22 April 2005.

Credentials of representatives

Delegations are requested to submit their credentials to the Secretary of the Credentials Committee, Mr. Jean Paul Laborde, c/o Ms. Wafa Ayoub in the office located in Zone C2.

Document Distribution

The main documents distribution counter is located at the Atrium Corner of the Convention Centre. Delegations will be assigned an individual pigeonhole at the documents distribution counter.

Ancillary meetings

Ancillary meetings are being held from 18 April to 24 April 2005.

Vehicle Passes

Parking permits will be issued at the far end of the registration counter. Delegations are advised to obtain their vehicle parking permits before the opening day of the Congress to allow for easier access into the venue premises.

PC facilities

A Cyber Café, providing independent Internet access and 30 personal computers, is located in the Atrium.

Coffee lounges

A commercial coffee and snack bar with lounge furniture, telephones and photocopying facilities is located in the Plaza and the Atrium for the use of delegates.

Security

Participants are reminded that all personal belongings should be taken with them at the end of the morning and afternoon meetings. Lost and Found items will be stored in the UN Security offices located adjacent to the Registration area.

For security reasons, belongings such as briefcases should not be left unattended at any time. Suspicious objects should be reported to security immediately.

All participants in the Congress are reminded that it is essential for them to wear their Congress passes at all times on the premises of the Congress. Passes should be worn visibly at all times in order to facilitate the work of security and safety personnel.

For security issues participants may contact Security Coordinator Mr. Arcos, location Zone A, extension 3627 or Registration Supervisors at the Registration desk or ext. 3628.

Travel claims

Representatives of least developed countries, entitled to refund of travel by the United Nations, should complete their claim forms and submit them as soon as possible to Ms. Corrinne Jurenka together with a photo copy of the ticket, the receipt of payment and a photocopy of their passports. Claims forms are available from the same office, location C2, telephone extension 3530. The deadline for refund of tickets while in Bangkok is 10.00 a.m. Monday 25 April 2005.

Distribution of documents for information purposes

Delegations wishing to distribute documents are invited to consult the Information for Participants (document A/CONF.203/INF.1, paras. 41-47).

Headsets for interpretation

Each seat in the conference rooms will be provided with a portable receiving set and a headphone. Participants are requested not to remove these from the conference rooms so that the equipment may be checked and recharged after every meeting.

Medical Service

For medical emergencies please call 1111. First Aid is available in the Atrium and in the Plaza.

Photocopying

Commercial photocopying facilities at participants' expense are located in the Atrium for the use of delegates.

Press briefings and information for the media

The Media centre is located on the Ground Floor in Zone C. It will open on Sunday 17 April at 10 a.m. and remain open throughout the Congress. The Spokesperson of the UNODC will hold regular press briefings in the Press Briefing Room, located in Boardroom 4. Interpretation to/from Thai and English will be available. A list of press conferences will be announced daily. Thai officials will brief the press daily at 4.30 p.m.

Delegations wishing to hold press briefings may book the press briefing room at the Thai Government Public Relations Department Office, located on the ground floor, Zone C, next to the Media Centre.

Daily press releases will be issued in English and French and made available at the Press Documents Distribution Counter located next to the Media Centre. Media liaison officer: Ms. Sasa Gorisek, ext. 3003.

Live Internet Coverage of the Congress

The United Nations Department of Public Information is providing live Internet coverage of the proceedings of the Congress through the World Wide Web. Internet users around the world are able to follow the proceedings of the Congress by viewing the live web cast and access information such as statements, press releases, daily highlights, official documents, daily Journal, and other information material at)

The United Nations Department of Public Information is publishing "Daily Highlights" on its website (www.un.org/events/11thcongress). NGOs, governments and other participating bodies who wish to include their events in this round-up are requested to contact Jaya Mohan, Information Officer at extension 3024 or email jaya.mohan@unviena.org.

Delegations may send their statements for posting on the official Congress web site to the following e-mail address: webcast@un.org .

Television

A daily video of the day's highlights is prepared by UN Television and is available to accredited broadcasters free of charge. B-roll material is also available. Please contact Ms. Margaret Riddle, location UN TV Producer's office, C-1, ext.3013 or Mobile 052162327.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scheduling of Social Events

Delegations wishing to arrange social events are requested to contact the Protocol Officer at the Congress: Ms. Phillipa Lawrence, Protocol Officer, Office of the Director-General/Executive Director, Lotus Area, Bangkok mobile 052162308.

Bilateral meetings

Bilateral meeting rooms are available for reservation for meetings to Member States, on an hourly basis, from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. from 18-25 April 2005. This is to facilitate the high demand for meeting rooms by member states. For reservation please contact one of the following persons:

Ms. Phillipa Lawrence, Protocol Officer, Office of the Director-General/Executive Director, Lotus Area, Mobile 052162308, Ext.: 3440/3444/3581

Ms. Natarin Vititviriyakul, Mobile: 098144088, Ext.: 3440/3444

Ms. Natthawinee Thanni, Mobile: 068914565, Ext.: 3440/3444

Technical visits

Delegations and accompanying persons interested in experiencing criminal justice operations in Thailand first-hand are invited to participate in the technical visits to be organized during the Congress. The site options that participants may choose from include juvenile agencies, prisons, the Anti-Money Laundering Office and hospitals treating drug addiction.

Registration: Observation Visit registration desk at the Plaza.