

DRAFT PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE



GENERAL ASSEMBLY

AS OF 02 NOVEMBER 2005

Note: 23 September, Friday, AM – Organization of work

WEEK OF	3-7 OCT*	10-14 OCT	17-21 OCT	24-28 OCT	31 OCT-4 NOV	7-11 NOV	14-18 NOV	21-25 NOV	28 NOV-2 DEC	
MON	10AM	General debate	<u>Item 50, 50(b) and (c) - Macroeconomic policy questions</u>	No formal meeting**	No formal meeting*	<u>Item 50(a) - Trade and development</u>	SIDE EVENT – MICRO CREDIT & POVERTY ERADICATION (DSPD/DESA, UNCDF)	<u>Item 56, 56(a) thru (c) – Eradication of poverty</u>	No formal meeting*	Informal consultations
	3PM	(continued)	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*	SIDE EVENT – WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM (FFDO/DESA)	(continued)	SIDE EVENT (continued) Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 52, 52(a) thru (i)	SIDE EVENT – REMITTANCES (FFDO/DESA)	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*
TUE	10AM	(continued)	<u>Item 50, 50(b) and (c) – Macroeconomic policy questions (continued)</u> <u>Item 73(b) - Special economic assistance</u>	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*	<u>Item 53 – UN Habitat</u>	SIDE EVENT – MICRO CREDIT & POVERTY ERADICATION (DSPD/DESA) (continued)	<u>Item 56, 56(a) thru (c) – Eradication of poverty (continued)</u>	Action on items 52, 52(a) thru (i) and 53	No formal meeting*
	3PM	(continued)	No formal meeting* Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 50, 50(b) and (c)	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*	Informal consultations Action on items 73(b), 49, 50, 50(b) and (c) Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 54, 54(a) thru (d)	SIDE EVENT (continued)	<u>Item 58, 58(a) and (b) – Training and research</u> Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 56, 56(a) thru (c)	Informal consultations	No formal meeting*
WED	11:30AM	(continued)	SIDE EVENT - EXTERNAL DEBT RELIEF (FFDO/DESA)	No formal meeting*	DIALOGUE WITH THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONS ON GLOBALIZATION	<u>Item 52, 52(a) thru (i) - Sustainable development</u>	<u>Item 57, 57(a) and (b) – Operational activities for development</u>	<u>Item 59 – Towards global partnership</u>	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*
	3PM	(continued)	<u>Item 51 - FFD</u> Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 73(b)	<u>Item 125 – Programme planning</u> <u>Item 49 - ICT for development</u>	No formal meeting*	(continued) Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 50(a) and 53	(continued) LUNCHEON BRIEFING – UNAIDS GLOBAL TASK TEAM (SWEDEN/UNAIDS)	No formal meeting Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 58, 58(a) and (b) and 59	No formal meeting*	Informal consultations
THU	10AM	No formal meeting*	<u>Item 51 – FFD (continued)</u> SIDE EVENT - NEW RULES FOR GLOBAL FINANCE COALITION (FFDO/DESA)	No formal meeting*	<u>Item 38 – Palestine</u>	<u>Item 52, 52(a) thru (i) - Sustainable development (continued)</u>	<u>Item 55, 55(a) and (b) – Countries in special situations</u>	SIDE EVENT – GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP (GLOBAL COMPACT/OESC/DESA)		No formal meeting*
	3PM	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting* Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 49	<u>Item 54, 54(a) thru (d) – Globalization</u> Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 38	SIDE EVENT – INEQUALITY PREDICAMENT (DSPD/DESA)	(continued) Deadline for submission of draft proposals under 57, 57(a) and (b)	No formal meeting*	Thanksgiving Day UN Holiday	Informal consultations
FRI	10AM	SIDE EVENT – NATIONAL GROWTH STRATEGIES (DSD/DESA)	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting*	<u>Item 54, 54(a) thru (d) – Globalization (continued)</u>		UN Pledging Conference	No formal meeting*	Informal consultations	Informal consultations
	3PM	No formal meeting*	No formal meeting* Deadline for submission of draft proposals under Item 51	SIDE EVENT – EQUITY AND DEVELOPMENT (OESC/DESA)	Continued SIDE EVENT – NATURAL DISASTERS – ISDR (ISDR, OCHA, UNDP, DESA)	Eid al Fitr UN Holiday	Informal consultations Action on items 51, 54, 54(a) thru (d) SIDE EVENT – ENERGY ISSUES (DSD/DESA) Deadline for submission of draft proposals under item 55, 55(a) and (b)	No formal meeting*	Informal consultations	Action on all outstanding proposals Informal consultations Action on all outstanding proposals

*No formal meeting: Time slots available for meetings of interest groups, drafting of resolutions and informal informal consultations

** Observance of World Food Day (official observance on Sunday, 16 October)

***United Nations International Forum on Building Inclusive Financial Sectors

Monday, 5 Dec, AM & PM – Action on outstanding proposals

Tuesday, 6 Dec, PM only - Conclusion of the work

of the Second Committee

- Item 38 Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources.
- Item 49 Information and communication technologies for development.
- Item 50 Macroeconomic policy questions:
- (a) International trade and development;
 - (b) International financial system and development;
 - (c) External debt crisis and development.
- Item 51 Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development.
- Item 52 Sustainable development:
- (a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development;
 - (b) Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States;
 - (c) International Strategy for Disaster Reduction;
 - (d) Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind;
 - (e) Sustainable Development in mountain regions
 - (f) Promotion of new and renewable sources of energy, including the implementation of the World Solar Programme 1996-2005
 - (g) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa;
 - (h) Convention on Biological Diversity;
 - (i) Rendering assistance to poor mountain countries to overcome obstacles in socio-economic and ecological areas.
- Item 53 Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and Strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat).
- Item 54 Globalization and interdependence:
- (a) Globalization and interdependence;
 - (b) Science and technology for development;
 - (c) International migration and development;
 - (d) Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin.
- Item 55 Groups of countries in special situations:
- (a) Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries;
 - (b) Specific actions relating to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries: outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation.
- Item 56 Eradication of poverty and other development issues:
- (a) Implementation of the first United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006);
 - (b) Women in development;
 - (c) Human resources development.
- Item 57 Operational activities for development:
- (a) Operational activities for development of the United Nations system;
 - (b) South-South cooperation: economic and technical cooperation among developing countries.
- Item 58 Training and research:
- (a) United Nations Institute for Training and Research;
 - (b) United Nations Staff College in Turin
- Item 59 Towards global partnerships
- Item 73 Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance:
- (b) Special economic assistance to individual countries or regions.