25 March 2022

Excellencies,

As Chair of the fifty-fifth session of the Commission on Population and Development, I have the honour to refer to the organization of the upcoming session of the Commission, scheduled to take place from 25 to 29 April 2022.

I am pleased to invite you, on behalf of the Bureau, to a briefing for Member States on organizational matters and logistics, to be held virtually on Wednesday, 30 March 2022, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. EDT. The weblink to access the virtual platform for the briefing is [https://undesa.webex.com/undesa/j.php?MTID=madfaeacdd33ec32b85e2ff483e9a5d85](https://undesa.webex.com/undesa/j.php?MTID=madfaeacdd33ec32b85e2ff483e9a5d85).

The Bureau is proposing to hold in-person formal meetings in the mornings of Monday 25 April and Friday 29 April as well as in the afternoons of Monday, 25 April, Tuesday, 26 April, Wednesday 27 April and Thursday 28 April, and to hold virtual informal meetings in the mornings of Tuesday, 26 April, Wednesday, 27 April and Thursday 28 April to accommodate interactive panels. The annotated provisional agenda (E/CN.9/2022/1), the draft organization of work (E/CN.9/2022/L.1/Rev.1) and all other relevant documentation for the fifty-fifth session can be found on the following website: [https://www.un.org/development/desa/pd/events/CPD55](https://www.un.org/development/desa/pd/events/CPD55). A Note on technical arrangements has been posted under Related links on this website. The organization of work (E/CN.9/2022/L.1/Rev.1) and the technical note are also attached to this letter.

Do not hesitate to contact Mr. Bela Hovy (hovy@un.org) or Ms. Cheryl Sawyer (sawyc@un.org) from the Population Division of UN DESA should you have any questions on this matter.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Signed

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