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ORGANIZATIONAL SESSION FOR 1996 New York, 25 January and 6-9 February 1996

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1996/229. Report of the Committee for Development Planning on its thirtieth session

At its 31st plenary meeting, on 11 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Committee for Development Planning on the thirtieth session.¹⁵⁴

1996/230. Matters relating to the third and fourth sessions of the Open-ended Ad Hoc Intergovernmental Panel on Forests of the Commission on Sustainable Development

At its 31st plenary meeting, on 11 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council approved:

- (a) The request of the Open-ended Ad Hoc Intergovernmental Panel on Forests to hold its third session at Geneva from 9 to 20 September 1996 and its fourth session in New York for a period of two weeks in 1997;
- (b) The request of the Panel for provision to be made so that the two sessional working groups it intended to establish during its third and fourth sessions, as originally envisaged at its first session, could meet simultaneously.

1996/231. Report of the Commission on Sustainable Development on its fourth session and provisional agenda for the fifth session of the Commission

At its 31st plenary meeting, on 11 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Commission on Sustainable Development on its fourth session 155 and approved the provisional agenda for the fifth session of the Commission set out below.

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE FIFTH SESSION OF THE COMMISSION ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

- 1. Election of officers.
- Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
- Report of the Open-ended Ad Hoc Intergovernmental Panel on Forests.
- Preparations for the special session of the General Assembly for the purpose of an overall review and appraisal of the implementation of Agenda 21.
- 5. Other matters.
- Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1996, Supplement No. 15 (E/1996/76).
- ¹⁵⁵ Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1996, Supplement No. 8 (E/1996/28).

- Provisional agenda for the sixth session of the Commission.
- Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifth session.

1996/232. Review and analysis of agrarian reform and rural development

At its 33rd plenary meeting, on 12 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council took note of the note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report on review and analysis of agrarian reform and rural development prepared by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations in collaboration with other concerned bodies and organizations of the United Nations system.¹⁵⁶

1996/233. Report of the Secretary-General on the seventh meeting of the Ad Hoc Group of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

At its 34th plenary meeting, on 15 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the seventh meeting of the Ad Hoc Group of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters.¹⁵⁷

1996/234. Report of the Commission on Population and Development on its twenty-ninth session and provisional agenda for the thirtieth session of the Commission

At its 37th plenary meeting, on 17 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Population and Development on its twenty-ninth session;¹⁵⁸
- (b) Approved the provisional agenda for the thirtieth session of the Commission set out below.

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE THIRTIETH SESSION OF THECOMMISSION ON POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

- 1. Election of officers.
- Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

¹⁵⁶ E/1996/70.

¹⁵⁷ E/1996/62.

¹⁵⁸ Official Reocrds of the Economic and Social Council, 1996, Supplement No. 5(E/1996/25).