

Development and transfer its work to the Commission on Sustainable Development.

2002/304. Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Guinea-Bissau

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 25 October 2002, the Economic and Social Council, recalling Council resolution 2002/1 of 15 July 2002 on the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on African Countries Emerging from Conflicts and Council decision 2002/302 of 4 October 2002 entitled "Modalities for establishing an Ad Hoc Advisory Group on African Countries Emerging from Conflict: Guinea-Bissau", decided:

(a) To establish an Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Guinea-Bissau to examine its humanitarian and economic needs, and review relevant programmes of support and prepare recommendations for a long-term programme of support, based on its development priorities through the integration of relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and development into a comprehensive approach to peace and stability, as well as provide advice on how to ensure that the assistance of the international community was adequate, coherent, well coordinated and effective and promoted synergy;

(b) To appoint the Permanent Representatives of South Africa, Guinea-Bissau, Brazil, the Netherlands and Portugal to the United Nations to the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Guinea-Bissau and to appoint the Permanent Representative of South Africa to the United Nations as Chairperson of the Group;

(c) That the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Guinea-Bissau would invite the participation in the work of the Group of the Permanent Representative of Croatia to the United Nations in his capacity as President of the Economic and Social Council, the Permanent Representative of the Gambia to the United Nations, in his capacity as Chairperson of the Group of Friends of Guinea-Bissau, and the Permanent Representative of Mauritius to the United Nations, in his capacity as Chairperson of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Security Council on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa;

(d) To request the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Guinea-Bissau to submit a report on its recommendations to the Economic and Social Council by mid-January 2003.

2002/305. Report of the Secretary-General on the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcome of the major United Nations conferences and summits, including the Millennium Summit

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 25 October 2002, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcome of the major

United Nations conferences and summits, including the Millennium Summit.⁸⁷

2002/306. Follow-up efforts to the International Conference on Financing for Development

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 25 October 2002, the Economic and Social Council decided to defer its consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on follow-up efforts to the International Conference on Financing for Development⁸⁸ until its substantive session of 2003.

2002/307. Amendment of the rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 25 October 2002, the Economic and Social Council decided, in accordance with rule 42 of the rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names,⁸⁹ to amend rule 5 of the rules of procedure to read:

"The Group shall elect the following officers from among the experts representing divisions: a Chairperson, two Vice-Chairpersons and two Rapporteurs."

2002/308. Report of the Secretary-General on the role of public administration in the implementation of the United Nations Millennium Declaration

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 25 October 2002, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the role of public administration in the implementation of the United Nations Millennium Declaration.⁹⁰

2002/309. Themes for the high-level and coordination segments of the substantive session of 2003 of the Economic and Social Council

At its 45th plenary meeting, on 19 December 2002, the Economic and Social Council decided to adopt the themes for the high-level and coordination segments of its substantive session of 2003 set out below.

High-level segment

Promoting an integrated approach to rural development in developing countries for poverty eradication and sustainable development

⁸⁷ A/57/75-E/2002/57.

⁸⁸ A/57/319-E/2002/85.

⁸⁹ See E/CONF.94/CRP.2, annex.

⁹⁰ A/57/262-E/2002/82.