



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

11 April 2007

Excellency,

I have the honour to inform you of the tentative programme of work of the General Assembly for the month of May 2007, as follows:

- On Thursday and Friday, 10 and 11 May, there will be the third informal thematic debate of the General Assembly on Civilizations and the Challenges for Peace: obstacles and opportunities.
- On Thursday, 17 May, the General Assembly will take up sub-item (e) of agenda item 105 for the election of 14 members to the Human Rights Council.
- On Monday, 21 May, the General Assembly will consider agenda item 46 entitled "Follow-up to the outcome of the twenty-sixth special session: implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS".
- On Tuesday, 22 May, the General Assembly will take up sub-item (b) of agenda item 105 for the election of two members of the General Assembly to the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission.
- On Thursday, 24 May, the General Assembly will first hold a plenary meeting to elect the President of the sixty-second session of the Assembly, followed by consecutive meetings of the Main Committees to elect their respective Chairmen and Bureau members, to be followed by another plenary meeting to elect the Vice-Presidents, of the sixty-second session of the Assembly.

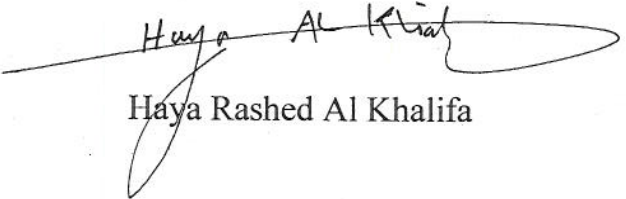
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Some of the elections cited above still do not have enough candidates for the number of vacant seats. I would therefore urge Member States who are interested to submit their candidature to the Secretariat or through their respective regional groups, as appropriate.

The time and venues of these meetings will be announced in the daily Journal in due course. The active participation by your Excellency or your representative in these meetings will be much appreciated.

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



Haya Rashed Al Khalifa