

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE
76th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Based on A/C2/76/L.1 as orally updated and approved at the
Organizational meeting on 1 October 2021, 10 AM (in-person meeting)
[as of 23 November 2021]

WEEK	MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
4-8 OCT	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8
			Keynote address and General debate (1) (In-person; 10am-1pm; GA Hall)	17. ICTs for sustainable development and 22. Globalization and inter- dependence and sub-items (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm)	General debate (2) [continued] (In-person; 10am-1pm; GA Hall)	24. Eradication of poverty and sub-items and 26. Agriculture dev., food security and nutrition and sub-items (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm)	24. Eradication of poverty and sub-items and 26. Agriculture dev., food security and nutrition and sub-items [concluded] (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-12pm)	23. Groups of countries and sub-items and 27. Towards global partnerships (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm)	General debate (3) [continued] (In-person; 10am-1pm; GA Hall)	General debate (4) [concluded] (In-person; 3-6pm; GA Hall) Deadline to submit draft proposals: ICTs for sustainable development and Globalization and inter- dependence and sub-items
11-15 OCT	11	11	12	12	13	13	14	14	15	15
	20. Sustainable development and sub-items (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-1pm)	20. Sustainable development and sub-items [continued] (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm) Deadline to submit draft proposals: Eradication of poverty and sub-items and Agriculture dev., food security and nutrition and sub-items	20. Sustainable development and sub-items [concluded] (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-12pm)	Deadline to submit draft proposals: Groups of countries and sub-items and Towards global partnerships	18. Macroeconomic policy and sub-items and 19. FfD (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-1pm)	18. Macroeconomic policy and sub-items and 19. FfD [concluded] (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm)	25. Operational activities and sub-items (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-12pm)	CANCELLED 25. Operational activities and sub-items [concluded] (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm) Deadline to submit draft proposals: Sustainable development, chapeau and sub-items (a) to (d))		Deadline to submit draft proposals: Macroeconomic policy and sub-items and FFD

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	18	18	19	19	20	20	21	21	22	22
18-22 OCT	Dialogue with Regional Commissions (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-1pm)	64. Palestine (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm) Deadline to submit draft proposals: Sustainable development, (part 2) – sub-items (e) to (h)) and Operational activities and sub-items	[Side event – TBC] (Virtual informal meeting; 10am-12pm)		Joint meeting with ECOSOC (In-person; 10am-1pm; GA Hall) Beginning of intensive phase of informal consultations	Deadline to submit draft proposals: Sustainable development (part 3) – sub-items (j) to (l)) and Palestine				
	25	25	26	26	27	27	28	28	29	29
25-29 OCT										
	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5
1-5 NOV							Diwali UN floating holiday [A/RES/75/244]			
	8	8	9	9	10	10	11	11	12	12
8-12 NOV						139. Programme planning (Virtual informal meeting; 3-5pm)				

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15-19 NOV	15	15	16	16	17	17	18	18	19	19
			CANCELLED Action** (In-person)	Deadline for submission of final draft proposals			(Moved to PM)	Action** (In-person)	Gurpurab UN floating holiday \[A/RES/75/244]	
22-26 NOV	22	22	23	23	24	24	25	25	26	26
	ADDED Action** (In-person)		Action** (In-person)	Action** (In-person)	(Moved to 23 Nov PM) Action and 122. Revitalization of work and Conclusion of work** (In-person)		Thanksgiving Day UN Holiday [observed]			

* Per GA decision 75/537B, a maximum of three side events is allowed.

** Meetings of the Committee to hear introduction of and/or take action on draft proposals are scheduled on a preliminary basis and will be convened and/or rescheduled depending on availability of documentation.

Meetings highlighted in blue will be organized as in-person plenary meetings

Meetings highlighted in green will be organized as informal meetings on a virtual platform.

List of agenda items

17. Information and communications technologies for sustainable development.
18. Macroeconomic policy questions:
 - (a) International trade and development;
 - (b) International financial system and development;
 - (c) External debt sustainability and development;
 - (d) Commodities
 - (e) Financial inclusion for sustainable development
 - (f) Promotion of international cooperation to combat illicit financial flows and strengthen good practices on assets return to foster sustainable development
 - (g) Promoting investments for sustainable development.
19. Follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of the International Conferences on Financing for Development.
20. Sustainable development:
 - (a) Towards the achievement of sustainable development: implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, including through sustainable consumption and production, building on Agenda 21;
 - (b) Follow-up to and implementation of the SIDS Accelerated Modalities of Action (SAMOA) Pathway and the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States;
 - (c) Disaster risk reduction;
 - (d) Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind;
 - (e) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa;
 - (f) Convention on Biological Diversity;
 - (g) Report of the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme;
 - (h) Education for sustainable development;
 - (j) Ensuring access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all;
 - (k) Combating sand and dust storms;
 - (l) Strengthening cooperation for integrated coastal zone management for achieving sustainable development.

- 22. Globalization and interdependence:
 - (a) Science, technology and innovation for sustainable development;
 - (b) Culture and sustainable development;
 - (c) Development cooperation with middle-income countries.
 - 23. Groups of countries in special situations:
 - (a) Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries;
 - (b) Follow-up to the second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries.
 - 24. Eradication of poverty and other development issues:
 - (a) Implementation of the Third United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2018–2027);
 - (b) Eradicating rural poverty to implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.
 - 25. Operational activities for development:
 - (a) Operational activities for development of the United Nations system;
 - (b) South-South cooperation for development.
 - 26. Agriculture development, food security and nutrition:
 - (a) Agriculture development, food security and nutrition;
 - (b) Natural plant fibres and sustainable development.
 - 27. Towards global partnerships.
 - 64. 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.
 - 122. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly.
 - 139. Programme planning.
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