

**Commission for Social Development, 56th Session, 29 January – 7 February 2018
(Proposed organization of work)***

| Sunday, 28 Jan | Monday, 29 Jan. | Tuesday, 30 Jan. | Wednesday, 31 Jan. | Thursday, 1 Feb. | Friday, 2 Feb. |
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| <p data-bbox="109 183 239 302"><i>[Civil Society Forum – 3-6 PM]</i></p> <p data-bbox="109 321 222 375">10:00am - 1:00pm</p> | <p data-bbox="264 337 510 363">Opening of the session</p> <p data-bbox="264 399 642 425">Agenda item 1: Election of officers</p> <p data-bbox="264 461 911 514">Agenda item 2: Adoption of agenda and other organizational matters</p> <p data-bbox="264 550 905 638">Introduction of agenda item 3: Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the 24th special session of the General Assembly (sub-items a, b, c)</p> <p data-bbox="264 673 779 857"><i>Introductory Statements:</i> President of the Economic and Social Council Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations Under-Secretary-General for DESA Civil Society Representative Youth Representative</p> <p data-bbox="264 893 688 919">Item 3 (a, b): General discussion begins</p> | <p data-bbox="945 183 1180 302"><i>[ECOSOC Youth Forum 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 3 – 6 p.m. in parallel]</i></p> <p data-bbox="945 337 1180 391">Item 3 (a, b): General discussion continued</p> | <p data-bbox="1207 183 1442 302"><i>[ECOSOC Youth Forum 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 3 – 6 p.m. in parallel]</i></p> <p data-bbox="1207 337 1442 500">Item 3 (b): High- level panel discussion on “The third Review and Appraisal of the Madrid Plan of Action on Ageing”</p> | <p data-bbox="1480 259 1732 313">Statement by the youth representative</p> <p data-bbox="1480 357 1715 410">Item 3 (a, b): General discussion continued</p> | <p data-bbox="1789 183 2024 302"><i>[Civil Society Forum 10 a.m .to 1 p.m and 3 p.m to 6 p.m .in parallel]</i></p> <p data-bbox="1789 357 1934 410">Informal consultations</p> <p data-bbox="1789 480 2016 506">(No formal meeting)</p> |
| <p data-bbox="109 974 210 1027">3:00pm - 6:00pm</p> | <p data-bbox="264 974 884 1062">High- level panel discussion on the priority theme: “Strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all”</p> | <p data-bbox="945 974 1180 1276">Item 3 (c): <i>Emerging issues</i> High-level panel discussion: “Towards sustainable and resilient societies: Innovation and inter-connectivity for social development”</p> | <p data-bbox="1207 963 1442 1385">Item 3 (b): Panel discussion: “Towards inclusive, resilient and sustainable development: an evidence-based approach to the mainstreaming of disability in the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the Agenda 2030”</p> | <p data-bbox="1480 974 1715 1062">Item 4: Programme questions and other matters</p> <p data-bbox="1480 1105 1715 1159">Item 3 (a, b): General discussion continued</p> | <p data-bbox="1789 963 1934 1016">Informal consultations</p> <p data-bbox="1789 1052 2016 1078">(No formal meeting)</p> <p data-bbox="1789 1114 2003 1232">3:00 p.m. Deadline for submission of draft proposals</p> |

| | Monday, 5 Feb. | Tuesday, 6 Feb. | Wednesday, 7 Feb. | Thursday, 8 Feb. | Friday, 9 Feb. |
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| 10:00am - 1:00pm | Item 3 (a, b): General discussion continued and concluded | Informal consultations (No formal meeting) | 1. Introduction of draft proposals 2. Action on draft proposals 3. Adoption of the provisional agenda for the 57 th session of the Commission 4. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its 56 th session 5. Closure of the 56th session 6. Opening of the 57th session (for the sole purpose of election of officers) | | |
| 3:00pm - 6:00pm | Informal consultations (No formal meeting) | Informal consultations (No formal meeting) | Action on any outstanding draft proposals or other matters (if necessary) | | |

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