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General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK)		

Investments Committee

9 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Economic and Social Council

Commission for Social Development

Forty-second session

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Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly: review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups: tenth anniversary of the International Year of the Family [3 (b) (i)]

Introduction of draft resolution E/CN.5/2004/L.3

Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly: emerging issues, trends and new approaches to issues affecting social development: international migration and migrants from a social perspective [3 (c)]

Introductory statement

Presentation of the outcome of the Third International Forum for Social Development

Panel discussion and dialogue



- 3–6 p.m. Informal consultations Conference Room 4
- Informal consultations on the draft outcome document on the priority theme (agenda item 3 (a)), under the chairmanship of Ms. Ivana Grollová (Czech Republic)
- [Informal consultations on the draft proposal on ageing (agenda item 3 (b) (iii)), organized by the Vice-Chairperson, Mr. Carlos Enrique García González (El Salvador), will be held *today*, 10 February 2004, at 4 p.m. in Conference Room D.
- Informal consultations on the draft proposal on disabilities (agenda item 3 (b) (ii)), organized by the delegation of Switzerland, will be held *today*, 10 February 2004, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room C.]

Economic and Social Council

Informal “informals”

The Economic and Social Council will hold informal “informals”, chaired by Mr. James Kariuki (United Kingdom), *today*, 10 February 2004, at 12 noon in Conference Room B, to discuss the decision on the report of the Statistical Commission.

The Economic and Social Council will hold informal “informals”, chaired by Ms. Ulrika Cronenberg-Mossberg (Sweden), *today*, 10 February 2004, at 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room B, to discuss the report of the Committee for Development Policy (Graduation of the Maldives and Cape Verde).

Other meetings

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JUSCANZ Group (Third Committee – Commission for Social Development)

9.15–9.45 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room B

Group of 77 (on Economic and Social Council matters: least developed countries; and “draft on items 8 and 13/14”)

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2

Group of 77 (Third Committee: draft agreed conclusions; and resolution on ageing)

12 noon–3 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 1

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on the New Partnership for Africa's Development (organized by the Group of 77)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A

Informal consultations on the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the International Year of the Family and beyond (organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 6

Latin American and Caribbean Group

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

Inter-Parliamentary Union briefing on the human rights of parliamentarians

There will be a briefing, organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union's Committee on the Human Rights of Parliamentarians, *today*, 10 February 2004, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 7. Presentations will be made by two members of parliament on the topic "Political and legal aspects of investigating the human rights violations suffered by elected representatives around the world". Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Alessandro Motter, IPU Permanent Observer Office (tel. 1 (212) 557-5880; e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org).

Side events on the occasion of the forty-second session of the Commission for Social Development

On the occasion of the forty-second session of the Commission for Social Development (4-13 February 2004), side events, sponsored by the Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, will be held *today*, 10 February 2004, as follows:

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4: Panel discussion on "Why Don't the Poor Get the Services They Need and What Should Be Done About It?" (organized by the Permanent Mission of United Kingdom, HelpAge International and the Chronic Poverty Research Centre)

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 8: Panel discussion and book launch on "Trauma Interventions in War and Peace: Prevention, Practice and Policy" (organized by the Division for Social Policy and Development, the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, the Office of the United Nations Security Coordinator and the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies)

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm.

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Room S-226

- 11.15 a.m. Ms. Nancy Rivard, President of Airline Ambassadors International; and Mr. Joaquin Antuna, President of Peace and Cooperation (to present the official poster of the 2004 International Youth Art Competition) (sponsored by the Permanent Mission of Spain)
- 12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesman

Forthcoming official meetings**General Assembly****Special Committee on the Situation with Regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples**

The first meeting of the 2004 session of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples will be convened on Wednesday, 11 February 2004, at 11 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The agenda for the meeting will be as follows:

1. Opening of the session by the Secretary-General
2. Election of officers
3. Organization of work ([A/AC.109/2004/L.1](#), [A/AC.109/2004/L.2](#) and [A/AC.109/2004/L.2/Corr.1](#))
4. Other matters

Disarmament Commission

Open-ended informal consultations

The Chairman of the Disarmament Commission will hold open-ended informal consultations on Friday, 13 February 2004, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

Economic and Social Council

Commission for Social Development

Informal consultations

Informal consultations of the Commission for Social Development on the draft outcome document on the priority theme (agenda item 3 (a)), organized by the Vice-Chairperson, Mrs. Ivana Grollová (Czech Republic), will be held on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

Commission on Sustainable Development

Briefing

There will be a briefing by the Bureau of the Commission on Sustainable Development on the organization of work for the twelfth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development. The briefing will be held on Wednesday, 25 February 2004, from 4 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

Commission on the Status of Women

Forty-eighth session

The forty-eighth session of the Commission on the Status of Women will be held from 1 to 12 March 2004 at Headquarters. The provisional annotated agenda and proposed organization of work for the session will be issued in document [E/CN.6/2004/1](#). Background information in English can be obtained on the following Web site: www.un.org/womenwatch/daw/48sess.htm.

Members of the Commission, as well as observers, who wish to attend are requested to inform the Secretary of the Commission, Ms. Vivian Pliner-Josephs, of the composition of their delegations (room S-2950A; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Pursuant to its decision 46/101, the Commission will hold a high-level round table at its forty-eighth session, which will focus on "Gaps and challenges in measuring progress in the context of the review and appraisal and implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action and the outcome of the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly at the Commission on the Status of Women at its forty-ninth session in 2005". The round table will be held on Monday, 1 March 2004, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. In order to facilitate the preparations for the high-level round table, the Secretary-General would be grateful if the Permanent Representative could indicate, in the letter containing the composition of the delegation, the name of the representative from the national machinery for the advancement of women, as applicable, who will be participating in the round table.

The list of speakers for the session will open on Monday, 23 February 2004. Delegations wishing to address the Commission are kindly requested to contact the Secretary of the Commission (tel. 1 (212) 963-5724; fax 1 (212) 963-5935; e-mail pliner-josephs@un.org).

Other forthcoming meetings

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JUSCANZ Group (*Third Committee – Commission for Social Development*)

There will be a meeting of the JUSCANZ Group (*Third Committee – Commission for Social Development*) on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 9.15 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room A.

Latin American and Caribbean Group (*on the twelfth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development*)

There will be a meeting of the Latin American and Caribbean Group (*on the twelfth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development*) on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

Panel discussion on “Human Rights in Countering-Terrorism: From the General Assembly to the Commission on Human Rights”

There will be a panel discussion on “Human Rights in Countering-Terrorism: From the General Assembly to the Commission on Human Rights”, co-sponsored by the New York Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and the NGO Committee on Human Rights, on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 1.45 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 5. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff and representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations are invited to attend.

United Nations Development Programme

The third briefing in the consultation process with UNDP Member States on the *Human Development Report 2004* will be held on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 6. Interested delegations are invited to attend.

UNITAR English-language workshop on the structure, drafting and adoption of United Nations resolutions

The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) is organizing an English-language workshop on the structure, drafting and adoption of United Nations resolutions for members of permanent missions in New York. The workshop will be held on Tuesday, 24 February 2004, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.; on Wednesday, 25 February, from 3 to 6 p.m.; and on Thursday, 26 February, from 3 to 6 p.m.

A letter on this subject, including an information note and a nomination form, was addressed to all the permanent missions. The registration deadline is Thursday, 19 February. Applications may also be submitted electronically (www.un.org/unitar). For further information, please contact Ms. Maud Graham (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

Side events on the occasion of the forty-second session of the Commission for Social Development

On the occasion of the forty-second session of the Commission for Social Development (4-13 February 2004), side events, sponsored by the Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, will be held as follows:

Wednesday, 11 February 2004

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4: Presentation on “Methods of Including the Older Poor in Poverty Processes” (organized by the Permanent Mission of the United Republic of Tanzania, the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, HelpAge International and the International Labour Organization)

Thursday, 12 February 2004

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4: Panel discussion on “Children in Migrant Families” (organized by the NGO Committee on the Family and the NGO Committee on Children’s Rights)

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room C: Panel discussion on “Improving Public Effectiveness in Care for the Ageing: The Value of Investing in Cross-National Research on Ageing Services” (organized by the International Association of Homes and Services for the Ageing (IAHSA) and the International Federation on Ageing)

Friday, 13 February 2004

From 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room C: Panel discussion on “International Migration and Migrants: Critical Issues in Social Development and Human Well-being” (organized by the International Immigrant Foundation)

Announcements**Security Council****Daily informal briefings**

As from Wednesday, 4 February 2004, and for the rest of the month, the Presidency of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations, which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations in the Press Briefing Room (S-226).

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

Summary of meetings

Monday, 9 February 2004

General Assembly

Fifty-eighth session

80th plenary meeting

Earthquake in Iran (Islamic Republic of)

The President of the General Assembly, on behalf of the General Assembly, extended his deepest sympathy to the Government and the people of the Islamic Republic of Iran for the tragic loss of life and serious injuries and extensive material damage that had resulted from the recent earthquake.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement.

Tribute to the memory of H.E. Mr. Jaime de Piniés, President of the fortieth session of the General Assembly

The General Assembly observed a minute of silence.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan (on behalf of the African States), Nepal (on behalf of the Asian States), Ecuador (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), Ireland (on behalf of the Western European and other States), the United States (as host country) and Spain.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/58/688 and A/58/688/Add.1) [124]

The General Assembly took note of the letter from the Secretary General (A/58/688) concerning 26 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the United Nations within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter.

The General Assembly also took note that Antigua and Barbuda has made the necessary payments to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter (A/58/688/Add.1).

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: reopening of the consideration of agenda item 19 (A/58/692) [8]

The General Assembly decided to reopen the consideration of agenda item 19 and agreed to proceed immediately to its consideration in order to take action on a request contained in the note verbale by Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (A/58/692).

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples; note verbale from Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (A/58/692) [19]

The General Assembly took note of the nomination, by its President of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines as a member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 19.

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: reopening of the consideration of agenda item 20 (A/58/L.57) [8]

The General Assembly decided to reopen the consideration of agenda item 20 and agreed to proceed immediately to its consideration.

Support by the United Nations system of efforts of Governments to promote and consolidate new or restored democracies; draft resolution (A/58/L.57) [20]

The representative of Qatar made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/58/L.57.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/58/L.57 (resolution 58/281).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 20.

Follow-up to the outcome of the special session on children: draft resolution (A/58/L.58) [41]

The President of the General Assembly made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/58/L.58 (resolution 58/282).

The representative of the United States made a statement in explanation of vote.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 41.

Economic and Social Council

Commission for Social Development

Forty-second session

8th meeting

Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly: review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups [3 (b)]

The Commission continued its general discussion of the item and heard statements by the representatives of the Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Viet Nam, Belarus, Ghana, Argentina and Pakistan, as well as by the observers for Morocco, Tunisia, Cameroon and Thailand.

Statements were also made by the observers of the following non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council: HelpAge International; New Humanity; World Family Organization; and International Federation on Ageing.

The Commission thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 3 (b).

Organization of work

The Commission was informed that the deadline for submission of topics to be included under the item on emerging issues was Tuesday, 10 February 2004, at 1 p.m.

9th meeting

Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly: review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups: modalities for the review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002 [3 (b) (iii)]

The Commission held a panel discussion under the sub-item and heard presentations by Ms. Heather Ricketts, Lecturer, Department of Sociology and Social Works, University of the West Indies, Jamaica; Ms. Amanda Heslop Research Manager, HelpAge International, London, United Kingdom; and Mr. Dia Aboubacar, Inspector General, Ministry of Planning, Conakry, Guinea.

The Commission then engaged in an interactive dialogue with the panellists.
The Chairperson made concluding remarks.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings. New York, 15 December 1997

Ratification: Luxembourg (6 February 2004)¹

Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties. Vienna, 23 May 1969

Accession: Portugal (6 February 2004)¹

Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution to Abate Acidification, Eutrophication and Ground-level Ozone. Gothenburg (Sweden), 30 November 1999

Acceptance: Netherlands (5 February 2004)¹

Amendment to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects (with Protocols I, II and III). Geneva, 21 December 2001

Ratification: Spain (9 February 2004)¹

Intergovernmental Agreement on the Asian Highway Network. Bangkok, 18 November 2003

Opening for signature

In accordance with its article 5 (1), the above Agreement shall be open for signature by States which are members of the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) at Shanghai, China, from 26 to 28 April 2004, and thereafter at United Nations Headquarters in New York, from 1 May 2004 to 31 December 2005. The signature ceremony in Shanghai will be held during the sixtieth session of ESCAP on Monday, 26 April 2004, at the Shanghai International Convention Center.

Certified true copies of the Agreement, of which the Chinese, English and Russian texts are equally authentic, will be prepared and will be transmitted to all States as soon as possible.

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specified treaty by a named representative issued by one of these authorities. *Full powers* are distinct from *credentials*. Credentials alone are not adequate for the purpose of signing a treaty.

The Secretary-General additionally notes that States may become party to the Agreement by definitively signing the Agreement, by signing the Agreement subject to ratification, acceptance or approval followed by ratification, acceptance or approval, or by accession. *Since the Agreement provides for two legally distinct types of signature, States wishing to sign the Agreement must confirm that they are signing the Agreement definitively or subject to ratification, acceptance or approval in the instrument of full powers.* If full powers are not required, then such confirmation should be communicated by means of a formal note.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Agreement could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, at United Nations Headquarters in New York (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org).

Additional Protocol to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be excessively injurious or to have indiscriminate effects (Protocol V, entitled Protocol on explosive remnants of war). Geneva, 28 November 2003

Opening for consent to be bound

The Protocol is open for consent to be bound by all States in accordance with article 4 of the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects, 1980.

Consistent with the current practice, States wishing to deposit instruments of consent to be bound to the Protocol are advised to contact the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, United Nations Secretariat, Room S-3200C, New York, N.Y. 10017 (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org).

Other announcements

Conference on “Caring Communities for the 21st Century: Imagining the Possible”

In follow-up to the World Summit for the Information Society (WSIS) and the forty-second session of the Commission on Social Development, a conference on “Caring Communities for the 21st Century: Imagining the Possible”, organized by the International Council for Caring Communities (ICCC) and co-sponsored by the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-HABITAT), the United Nations

Programme on Ageing, the Division for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, and the United Nations Information and Communication Technologies (UN-ICT) Task Force, will take place on Wednesday, 11 February 2004, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

DPI/NGO briefing

This week, the topic of the DPI/NGO briefing will be “Towards Tunis: The World Summit on the Information Society.” The briefing will be held on Thursday, 12 February 2004, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff and the media are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Tala Dowlatshahi, NGO Section, Department of Public Information (tel. 1 (212) 963-1859).

Web sites

President of the General Assembly:
www.un.org/ga/president

General Assembly:
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/
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Presidency of the Security Council:
www.un.org/Docs/sc/presidency
www.un.org/french/docs/sc/presidency/

Security Council:
www.un.org/sc

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism:

www.un.org/arabic/documents/SCCommittees/1373
www.un.org/chinese/aboutun/prinorgs/sc/committees/1373/1373.htm
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www.un.org/spanish/docs/comites/1373/index.html

Economic and Social Council:
www.un.org/esa/coordination/ecosoc

Irish presidency of the European Union:
www.eu2004.ie
<http://europa-eu-un.org>

Department of Economic and Social Affairs:
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Daily list of documents issued at Headquarters

With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations in the electronic version of the present Journal. The list contains documents issued by 2 p.m. on 9 February 2004.

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A/58/657	Item 147 — Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara — Budget for the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/58/661	Item 146 — Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone — Budget for the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/RES/58/18	Item 38 — Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People [A C E F R S]
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A/RES/58/26	Item 40 b) — Emergency humanitarian assistance to Malawi [A C E F R S]
Security Council	Documents
S/2003/40/Add.47	Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration [A C E F R S]
S/2003/40/Add.49	Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration [A C E F R S]
S/2004/97	Letter dated 4 February 2004 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
S/2004/98	Letter dated 5 February 2004 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
S/2004/100	Letter dated 8 January 2004 from the President of the General Assembly to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
S/Agenda/4910	Provisional agenda [A C E F R S]

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Item 4 of the provisional agenda — Programme questions and other matters — Proposed strategic framework for the biennium 2006-2007 — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

Commission on the Status of Women**Forty-eighth session**[E/CN.6/2004/NGO/24](#)

Item 3 of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and to the special session of the General Assembly entitled “Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century” — Statement submitted by Equality Now, a non-governmental organization in special consultative status with the Economic and Social Council [A C E F R S]

[E/CN.6/2004/NGO/28](#)

Item 3 (c) (ii) of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and to the special session of the General Assembly entitled “Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century”: implementation of strategic objectives and action in the critical areas of concern and further actions and initiatives: women’s equal participation in conflict prevention, management and conflict resolution and in post-conflict peace-building — Statement submitted by the Women’s National Commission, a non-governmental organization in special consultative status with the Economic and Social Council [A C E F R S]

Commission on Population and Development**Thirty-seventh session**[E/CN.9/2004/4](#)

Item 3 of the provisional agenda — Flow of financial resources for assisting in the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development: a 10-year review — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

Communications to the Editor

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