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Fourth session

New York, 16-27 May 2005 Agenda item 2 of the provisional agenda* **Adoption of the agenda and organization of work**

Proposed organization of work

Note by the Secretariat

The proposed organization of work of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues at its fourth session (see annex) has been prepared by the secretariat of the Forum following consultations with the Members of the Forum.

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Annex

Proposed organization of work

Date/time	Agenda item/programme	
First week		
Monday, 16 May		
Morning (11.30 a.m1 p.m.)		Opening of the session
	Item 1	Election of officers
	Item 2	Adoption of the agenda and organization of work
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 3	Special theme: "Millennium Development Goals and indigenous peoples":
	Item 3 (a)	Goal 1 of the Millennium Development Goals: "Eradicate extreme poverty and hunger", to be addressed under the following thematic approach of combating poverty: good practices and barriers to implementation
		Dialogue with the agencies
Tuesday, 17 May		
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 3 (a)	Goal 1 of the Millennium Development Goals: "Eradicate extreme poverty and hunger" (continued)
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 3 (a)	Goal 1 (continued)
Wednesday, 18 May		
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 3 (a)	Goal 1 (concluded)
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)		Closed meeting for consultations
Thursday, 19 May		
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 3 (b)	Goal 2 of the Millennium Development Goals: "Achieve universal primary education", to be addressed under the thematic approaches of language, cultural perspective and traditional knowledge
		Dialogue with the agencies
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 3 (b)	Goal 2 (continued)

Date/time	Agenda item/programme		
Friday, 20 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 3 (b)	Goal 2 (concluded)	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)		Closed meeting for consultations	
Second week			
Monday, 23 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 4 (a)	Ongoing priorities and themes	
		Human rights with special emphasis on an interactive dialogue with the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of the human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 4 (b)	Data collection and the disaggregation of data on indigenous peoples	
	Item 4 (c)	Follow-up to previous special themes: "Indigenous children and youth" (2003) and "Indigenous women" (2004)	
		Dialogue with the agencies	
Tuesday, 24 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)		Closed meeting for consultations	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 4 (a)-(c)	(concluded)	
Wednesday, 25 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 5	Future work of the Forum	
		(including discussion on the Second Decade of the World's Indigenous People)	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 5	(concluded)	
Thursday, 26 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)		Closed meeting for consultations	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 6	Draft agenda for the fifth session of the Forum	

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Date/time	Agenda item/pr	Agenda item/programme	
Friday, 27 May			
Morning (10 a.m1 p.m.)	Item 7	Adoption of the report of the Forum on its fourth session	
Afternoon (3-6 p.m.)	Item 7	(concluded)	
		Closing of the session	