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Item 2 of the provisional agenda*

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

Proposed organization of work

<i>Date/time</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Programme</i>
Monday, 4 March		
10 a.m.	Item 1	Election of officers
	Item 2	Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters
	Item 3	Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and to the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly, entitled "Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century"
1 p.m.		Opening statements
		Introduction of reports
		General discussion
3 p.m.		Deadline for inscription on the list of speakers for the general discussion
	Item 3 (a) (i)	High-level round table on experiences, lessons learned and good practices, including results with supporting data, where available, in relation to the implementation of previous commitments made in regard to the priority theme (in two parallel meetings)
		Implementation of strategic objectives and action in critical areas of concern and further actions and initiatives: priority theme: elimination and prevention of all forms of violence against women and girls

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<i>Date/time</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Programme</i>
Tuesday, 5 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	General discussion
3 p.m.	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Interactive expert panel on key policy initiatives and capacity-building for gender mainstreaming: elimination and prevention of all forms of violence against women and girls Focus: prevention of violence against women and girls
	Item 3 (c) Gender mainstreaming, situations and programmatic matters	
Wednesday, 6 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	General discussion
1.15-2.30 p.m.		Preparatory panel for 2014: challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls
3 p.m.	Item 3 (a) (i) and (c) (<i>continued</i>)	Interactive expert panel on key policy initiatives and capacity-building for gender mainstreaming: elimination and prevention of all forms of violence against women and girls Focus: multisectoral services and responses for women and girls subjected to violence
Thursday, 7 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	General discussion
10 a.m. (<i>in parallel</i>)	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
3 p.m.	Item 3 (b) Emerging issues, trends and new approaches to issues affecting the situation of women or equality between women and men	Interactive expert panel discussion on the emerging issue: key gender equality issues to be reflected in the post-2015 development framework
Friday, 8 March		
10 a.m. to noon		Celebration of International Women's Day

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Noon	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
3 p.m.	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
Monday, 11 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	General discussion
10 a.m. (<i>in parallel</i>)	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
3 p.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	General discussion (concludes)
3 p.m. (<i>in parallel</i>)	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
Tuesday, 12 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (a) (ii) Implementation of strategic objectives and action in critical areas of concern and further actions and initiatives: review theme: the equal sharing of responsibilities between women and men, including caregiving in the context of HIV/AIDS	Interactive dialogue to evaluate progress in the implementation of the agreed conclusions on the equal sharing of responsibilities between women and men, including caregiving in the context of HIV/AIDS Focus: gender norms and stereotypes, socialization and unequal power relations, and sharing and balancing life-work responsibilities
3 p.m.		Deadline for submission of draft proposals
3 p.m.	Item 3 (a) (ii) (<i>continued</i>)	Interactive dialogue to evaluate progress in the implementation of the agreed conclusions on the equal sharing of responsibilities between women and men, including caregiving in the context of HIV/AIDS Focus: caregiving in the context of HIV/AIDS, and recognizing and valuing unpaid care work
Wednesday, 13 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)

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3 p.m.	Item 4 Communications concerning the status of women	Closed meeting to consider the report of the Working Group on Communications on the Status of Women
	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
Thursday, 14 March		
10 a.m.	Item 5 Follow-up to Economic and Social Council resolutions and decisions	Introduction and discussion Introduction of draft proposals
	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
3 p.m.	Item 3 (a) (i) (<i>continued</i>)	Agreed conclusions (informal consultations)
Friday, 15 March		
10 a.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	Action on draft proposals
3 p.m.	Item 3 (<i>continued</i>)	Action on draft proposals
	Item 6 Provisional agenda of the fifty-eighth session of the Commission	Adoption of the provisional agenda of the fifty-eighth session of the Commission
	Item 7 Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-seventh session	Adoption of the report Closure of the fifty-seventh session ^a

^a In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2002/234, immediately following the closure of the fifty-seventh session, the Commission will hold the first meeting of its fifty-eighth session for the sole purpose of electing the Chair and other members of the Bureau, in accordance with rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the functional commissions of the Council.