



General Assembly

Distr.: General
17 November 2014

Original: English

Sixty-ninth session
Agenda item 118

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly

Report of the Sixth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Salvatore **Zappalà** (Italy)

I. Introduction

1. The item entitled “Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly” was included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly pursuant to Assembly resolution 58/316 of 1 July 2004.
2. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 19 September 2014, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to allocate the item to all the Main Committees for the sole purpose of considering and taking action on their respective tentative programmes of work for the seventieth session of the General Assembly.
3. The Sixth Committee considered the item at its 29th meeting, on 14 November 2014 (see [A/C.6/69/SR.29](#)).

II. Consideration of draft decision [A/C.6/69/L.16](#)

4. At the 29th meeting, on 14 November, the Chair introduced a draft decision containing the provisional programme of work of the Committee for the seventieth session of the General Assembly, as proposed by the Bureau ([A/C.6/69/L.16](#)), and orally revised it by adding 16 November as the date for the consideration of the item “Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country” and deleting 17 November as a reserved date.
5. Statements were made by the representatives of Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States), Nicaragua and Cuba (see [A/C.6/69/SR.29](#)).
6. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision [A/C.6/69/L.16](#), as orally revised (see para. 7).



III. Recommendation of the Sixth Committee

7. The Sixth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Provisional programme of work of the Sixth Committee for the seventieth session of the General Assembly

The General Assembly notes that the Sixth Committee has decided to adopt the following provisional programme of work for the seventieth session of the General Assembly, as proposed by the Bureau:

Provisional programme of work¹

12 October	Organization of work of the Sixth Committee
12 and 13 October	Measures to eliminate international terrorism
14 and 15 October	The rule of law at the national and international levels
16 October	Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission
19 October	Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its forty-eighth session
	Request(s) for observer status
20 October	The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction
22 October	Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization
23 and 26 October	United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law
26 October	Administration of justice at the United Nations
2 to 11 November	Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-seventh session
16 November	Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country
20 November	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly
	Programme planning
	Election of the officers of the Main Committees
21, 27, 28, 29 and 30 October and 12 and 13 November	Reserved

¹ Indicating provisional dates in 2015 for debates on the respective items.