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SECOND COMMITTEE****ORGANIZATION OF WORK OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE****Note by the Secretariat**

1. The agenda items allocated by the General Assembly to the Second Committee are listed in the letter dated 19 September 1987 from the President of the Assembly to the Chairman of the Second Committee (A/C.2/42/1). Background information on those items may be found in the annotations to the agenda (A/42/100 and Add.1). The list of documents submitted under the various agenda items allocated to the Second Committee will be issued in an addendum to the present document.

2. The draft programme of work annexed to the present document has been prepared bearing in mind paragraph (b) of rule 99 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the relevant resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly and the organizational arrangements agreed upon by the Assembly at the outset of its current session (A/42/250 and Corr. 1) as well as past experience in the utilization of conference services.

ANNEX
Suggested programme of work for the Second Committee

Date	Meeting	Item to be considered	Deadline for submission of draft proposals
Thurs. 1 Oct.	p.m.	Election of two Vice-Chairmen and a Rapporteur	
Organization of work			
<u>Week of 5-9 October</u>			
Mon. 5 Oct.	p.m.	General debate	
Tues. 6 Oct.		No meeting	
Wed. 7 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	General debate (continued)	
Thurs. 8 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	General debate (continued)	
Fri. 9 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	General debate {Conclusion}	
<u>Week of 12-16 October</u>			
Mon. 12 Oct. a/		No meeting	
Tues. 13 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 86</u> External debt crisis and development (general discussion)	
Wed. 14 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 86</u> (continuation of general discussion)	
Thurs. 15 Oct.	a.m.	<u>Item 86</u> (conclusion of general discussion)	
		<u>Item 87</u> Special programmes of economic assistance (general discussion)	
	p.m.	<u>Item 87</u> (continuation of general discussion)	
Fri. 16 Oct.	p.m.	<u>Item 87</u> (continuation of general discussion)	
		<u>Item 12</u> Report of the Economic and Social Council (introductory statements)	

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<u>Week 9-23 October</u>					
Mon	Oct.		<u>Item 87</u>	(conclusion of general discussion)	1 p.m. Item 86
Tues.	20 Oct.	p.m.	<u>Item 12</u>	(continuation of general discussion)	
Wed.	21 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 12</u>	(continuation of general discussion)	
Thurs.	22 Oct.	a.m.	<u>Item 12</u>	(conclusion of general discussion)	
			<u>Item 85</u>	Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research (general discussion)	
Fri.	23 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 85</u>	(conclusion of general discussion)	1 p.m. Item 12
<u>Week of 26-30 October</u>					
Mon.	26 Oct.	a.m.	<u>Item 83</u>	Development and international economic co-operation (general discussion)	
				(c) Effective mobilization and integration of women in development	
				(e) Environment	
				f Desertification and drought	
				(g) Human settlements	
				n) Science and technology for development	
				(1) New international human order: moral aspects of development	
Tues.	27 Oct.	p.m.	<u>Item 84</u>	(general discussion of item 83 and sub-items (c), (e), (f), (g), (h) and 1 continued)	1 p.m. Item 85

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<u>Week of 26-30 October</u> [continued)			
Wed. 28 Oct.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 83</u> (general discussion of item 83 and sub-items (c), (e), (f), (g), (h) and (i) continued)	
Thurs. 29 Oct.- Fri. 30 Oct. b/		No meetings	
<u>Week of 2-6 November</u>			
Mon. 2 Nov.	a.m.	<u>Item 83</u> [conclusion of general discussion of item 83 and sub-items (c), (e), (f), (g), (h) and (i)]	
Tues. 3 Nov.	p.m.	<u>Item 84</u> Operational activities for development (general discussion)	
Wed. 4 Nov.	p.m.	<u>Item 84</u> [general discussion continued)	1 p.m. Item 83 and sub-items (c), (e), (f), (g), (h) and (i)
Thurs. 5 Nov.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 84</u> (conclusion of general discussion)	
Fri. 6 Nov.	a.m. and p.m.	Informal. consultations of the Second Committee	
<u>Week of 9-13 November</u>			
Tues. 10 Nov.	p.m.	<u>Item 83</u> Development and international economic co-operation	1 p.m. Item 84
		General discussion of sub-items	
		(a) Trade and development	
		(b) Implementation of the Substantial New Programme of Action for the 1980s for the least Developed Countries	
		(d) Economic and technical co-operation among developing countries	

Date	Meeting	Item to be considered	Deadline for submission of draft proposals
<u>Week of 9-13 November (continued)</u>			
Wed. 11 Nov.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 83</u> (general discussion of sub-items (a), (b) and (d) continued)	
Thurs. 12 Nov.	a.m. and p.m.	<u>Item 83</u> (conclusion of general discussion of sub-items (a), (b) and (d))	
Fri. 13 Nov.	a.m. and p.m.	Informal consultations of the Second Committee	
<u>Weeks of 16-20 and 23-27 November</u>		Informal consultations of the Second Committee, as required, and action on draft proposals	
Fri. 27 Nov.		CONCLUSION OF THE WORK OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE	2 p.m. 16 November sub-items 83 (a), (b) and (d)

Notes

a/ Pursuant to its resolution 41/190, the General Assembly will devote its plenary meetings on Monday, 12 October, to the observance of the International Year of Shelter for the Homeless.

b/ The United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities will be held on 29 and 30 October 1987. No Second Committee meetings are scheduled on those days.