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Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2002 and 2003 in the economic, social and related fields

Note by the Secretariat

The present document contains changes, additions and deletions to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2002 and 2003 in the economic, social and related fields, as set out in the annex to document E/2001/L.9, inter alia, the deletion of the item under paragraph 8 (a), Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, from the list of bodies.

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1. Changes to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2002 as contained in section A of the annex to document E/2001/L.9 (*changes are in italics*)

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2002)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
16. International Narcotics Control Board, sixty-third session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11] ^b	4-8 February	Vienna	13 E	I (AEFRS)	Two or three sessions per year
30. Commission on Sustainable Development acting as the Preparatory Committee for the World Summit on Sustainable Development, third session [General Assembly resolution 55/199] ^c	25 March-5 April	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	–
51. Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	15-19 April <i>and</i> 13-24 May	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	One session per year
62. UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	4-8 February	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
63. UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	21-25 January	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
76. UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	18-22 February	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
125. Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva <i>or</i> New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	–
134. UNEP, special session of the Governing Council/ <i>Global Ministerial Environment Forum</i> [General Assembly resolution 53/242] ^b	To be determined (3 days)	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	One session every two years

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^b Subsidiary body of the Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

^c Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

2. Additions to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2002 as contained in section A of the annex to document E/2001/L.9

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2002)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
a. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, sixty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	April (1 week)	New York	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
b. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, sixty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
c. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, sixty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	November (8 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
d. Commission on Human Rights, open-ended working group to elaborate a draft legally binding instrument for the protection of all persons against enforced disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T –
e. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	12-14 June	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
f. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	26-28 June	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
g. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	10-12 July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
h. UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	1-5 July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –

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i. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	9-13 September	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
j. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	30 September-4 October	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
k. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	28 October-1 November	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
l. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	4-8 November	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
m. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	11-15 November	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
n. UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	25-29 November	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T –
o. Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, European region [Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/36]	14-18 January	Vienna	55 G	I (EFRS)	T – One session every three years
p. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, seventy-eighth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	March/April	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year
q. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, seventy-ninth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	June/July	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year
r. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eightieth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	September/October	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2002)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
s. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-first (extraordinary) meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	To be determined	Nairobi	58 G	I T (ACEFRS)	Four sessions – per year

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^b Subsidiary body of the General Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

3. Deletions to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2002 as contained in section A of the annex to document E/2001/L.9

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2002)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
33. UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)] ^b	March (1 week)	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	One or two sessions per year
129. UNEP, High-level Committee of Ministers and Officials [Governing Council decision 19/1 B] ^b	To be determined	Nairobi	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	–

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^b Subsidiary body of the Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

^c Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

4. Changes to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2003 as contained in section B of the annex to document E/2001/L.9 (*changes are in italics*)

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2003)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
10. UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)] ^b	13-17 January	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	One or two sessions per year
11. UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	17-21 February	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
15. UNEP, Governing Council, twenty-second session/ <i>Global Ministerial Environmental Forum</i> [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185]	3-7 February	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	One session every two years
21. UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	20-24 January	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
22. UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] ^b	3-7 February	Geneva	^c	I (ACEFRS)	–
127. Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva <i>or</i> <i>Nairobi</i>	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	One session per year

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^b Subsidiary body of the Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

^c Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

5. Additions to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2003 as contained in section B of the annex to document E/2001/L.9

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2003)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
a. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, sixty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	April (1 week)	New York	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
b. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, seventieth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
c. Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, seventy-first session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221]	November (8 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T –
d. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-second meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	March/April	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year
e. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-third meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	June/July	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year
f. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-fourth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	September/ October	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year
g. UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-fifth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] ^b	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T – Four sessions per year

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^b Subsidiary body of the Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.

6. Deletion to the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2003 as contained in section B of the annex to document E/2001/L.9

<i>Organ</i>	<i>Date (2002)</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Membership</i>	<i>Servicing^a</i>	<i>Periodicity</i>
138. UNEP, High-level Committee of Ministers and Officials [Governing Council decision 19/1 B] ^b	To be determined	Nairobi	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T –

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^b Subsidiary body of the Assembly and meetings of other related bodies.