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PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SIXTH SESSION
OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

After consultation with the Acting President, the Secretary-General has the honour to submit the following Provisional Agenda under Rules 7, 9 and 10 for the Sixth Session of the Economic and Social Council, commencing at 11.00 a.m., 2 February 1948, at Lake Success.

1. Election of President and Vice-Presidents for 1948.
2. Report of the Agenda Committee and adoption of agenda.
3. Surveys of World Economic Conditions and Trends.
4. Interim Report of the Economic Commission for Europe.
5. Report of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East.
6. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the proposal for an Economic Commission for Latin America.
7. Question of the establishment of an Economic Commission for the Middle East.
8. United Nations Technical Conference on Conservation and Utilization of Resources.
9. United Nations Maritime Conference : Question of voting rights.
10. Report of the Second Session of the Statistical Commission.
11. Implementation of economic and social recommendations.
12. Report of the Second Session of the Commission on Human Rights.
13. Draft Convention on Genocide.
14. Report of the Second Session of the Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and of the Press.
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15. Report of the Second Session of the Social Commission.
16. Report of the Second Session of the Population Commission.
17. Report of the Second Session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
18. Report of the Permanent Central Opium Board.
19. Report of the Executive Board of the International Children's Emergency Fund.
20. United Nations Appeal for Children.
21. Admission of Monaco to UNESCO.
22. Relations with and Co-ordination of Specialized Agencies.
23. Work Programmes of Commissions of the Council for 1948 and Draft Calendar of Meetings and Conferences in 1948.
24. Reports of the Specialized Agencies.
25. Report of the Co-ordination Committee.
26. Report of the Committee on Negotiations with Intergovernmental Organisations.
27. Report of the Council NGO Committee.
28. Report by the Secretary-General on the Question of the Establishment of Research Laboratories of the United Nations.
29. Establishment of an International Centre for Training in Public Administration. Item proposed by the Delegation of Brazil.
30. Co-ordination of Cartographic Services of Specialized Agencies and International Organisations. Item proposed by the Delegation of Brazil.
31. Damage caused to the Federal Peoples Republic of Yugoslavia by the withholding of its gold reserves by the United States of America. Item proposed by the Delegation of Yugoslavia.
32. Proposal to hold the Seventh Session of the Economic and Social Council at the United Nations Headquarters, Lake Success. Item proposed by the Delegation of United Kingdom.

33. Co-ordinated Action to meet the Continuing World Food Crisis.

Item proposed by the FAO.

34. Survey of Forced Labour and Measures for its Abolition. Item proposed by the American Federation of Labor.

35. Principle of Equal Pay for Equal Work for Men and Women Workers. Item proposed by the WFTU.

36. Consideration of arrangements in connection with the Election by the Economic and Social Council of three Members of the Joint Economic Board for Palestine.

37. Election of Members of the Permanent Central Opium Board (if the Protocol of 1946 has come into force).

38. Draft Rules for the Calling of International Conferences.

39. Confirmation of Members of Commissions.

40. Election of Members of the Agenda Committee for the Seventh Session.

The list above does not represent the order in which the items will be taken up by the Council, as regards which the Agenda Committee will make recommendations for consideration by the Council at its first plenary meeting.

The Agenda Committee (consisting of the President, the two Vice-Presidents and the representatives of Byelorussian SSR and Canada) will meet at Lake Success at 11:00 a.m., Friday, 30 January 1948.

The following annotations on items are circulated for information :

1. Rule of Procedure No. 18, E/33/Rev.4.

2. The Agenda Committee is scheduled to meet on 30 January 1948.

3. General Assembly Resolution 118 (II). (See publications of the Department of Economic Affairs: Survey of Current Inflationary

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and Deflationary Tendencies ; Economic Report, 1945-1947, to be published shortly ; and document E/576.)

4. Document to be circulated about mid-January.
5. Document E/606.
6. This Committee is scheduled to meet again in the second half of January.
7. General Assembly Resolution 120 (II).
8. Document E/605.
9. Note by the Secretary-General to be circulated.
10. Document E/577.
11. General Assembly Resolution 119 (II).
12. Document E/600.
13. General Assembly Resolution 180 (II).
14. The Resolutions passed by the Council at its Fifth Session (Part IV) contemplated that, if necessary, this report would be made direct to the Council. The Sub-Commission is scheduled to meet 19-30 January 1948.
15. Document E/578.
16. Document E/571.
17. Document E/575 and General Assembly Resolution 123 (II).
18. Document E/OB/2.
19. Documents E/590, E/590/Corr.1, E/590/Add.1.
20. Document to be circulated about mid-January.
21. Document E/568.
22. General Assembly Resolutions 125 (II), 165 (II), Document E/602.
23. Memoranda by the Secretary-General to be circulated and Document E/608.
24. Documents E/456, E/456/Add.1, E/461, E/586, E/586/Add.1, E/597.

It is anticipated that a report will also be received from the Interim Commission of the WHO.

25. The Third Session of this Committee is scheduled for 15-17 January, 1948 at Geneva, and a consolidated report covering the Second and Third Sessions will be circulated as soon as possible after the Third Session. An excerpt from the report of the Second Session was made available to the General Assembly as document A/404.
 26. This Committee will meet during the Council Session.
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 28. Document to be circulated.
 29. Documentation to be received.
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 34. Document E/596.
 35. Documentation to be received.
 36. General Assembly Resolution 181 (II).
 37. Document to be circulated.
 38. General Assembly Resolution 173 (II).
 39. Document to be circulated in the latter part of the Council session.
 40. Document E/33/Rev.4, Rule 14.
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