



# Human Rights Council

## Fifteenth session

Geneva, 13 September – 1 October 2010

## Order of the Day<sup>\*</sup>

Plenary Meetings – Room XX  
Monday, 13 September 2010

### MORNING

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10 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
1st meeting

**Item 1 Organizational and procedural matters**

[A/HRC/15/1](#), [A/HRC/15/1/Corr.1](#)

**Item 2 Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and report of the Office of the High Commissioner and the Secretary-General**

*Up-date by the High Commissioner, followed by general debate*

**[Modalities for participation in the general debate:** States members of the Council, observer States and other observers, including NHRIs, are requested to inscribe with the speakers' list, opened in the room as of 9.30 a.m. NGOs are requested to confirm on-line registration at speakers list desk in the room. Speaking time is 3 minutes for States members of the Council, and 2 minutes for observer States and other observers, including NHRIs and NGOs. The list of speakers will be closed 10 minutes after the commencement of the discussion].

[*Note:* Agenda item 2 remains open throughout the session]

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<sup>\*</sup> The information contained in this document was compiled and is correct as of 6 p.m. of Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 2010. In the event that the consideration of a specific item or sub-item does not take up the whole meeting, the Council will move to the consideration of the next item or sub-item scheduled for the following meeting, with the exception of Panel debates and consideration of UPR reports. The Secretariat will communicate any changes or updates by SMS, HRC Extranet and Twitter ([http://www.twitter.com/un\\_hrc](http://www.twitter.com/un_hrc)). Any comments should be notified to the Secretariat ([hrcouncil@ohchr.org](mailto:hrcouncil@ohchr.org)).

## AFTERNOON

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**3 - 6 p.m.  
2nd meeting**

**Item 2     Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and report of the Office of the High Commissioner and the Secretary-General (*cont'd*)**

*Continuation and conclusion of general debate.*

**Item 3     Promotion and protection of all human rights, civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights, including the right to development**

*Interactive Dialogue with the:*

*Special Representative of the Secretary-General for children and armed conflict*

[A/HRC/15/58](#)

**Modalities for participation in interactive dialogue with one special procedure mandate holder:** Introductory statement by mandate holder. States members of the Council, observer States and other observers are requested to raise their nameplates and the list is noted by the podium. NHRIs are requested to inscribe with the speakers' list desk in the room and NGOs are requested to confirm on-line registration at speakers' list desk in the room. Speaking time is 3 minutes for States members of the Council, and 2 minutes for observer States and other observers, including NHRIs and NGOs. **Total time for NGOs 10 minutes.** At the end, concluding comments/observations by mandate holder].

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### Other information:

- All speakers scheduled to take the floor should provide the Secretariat beforehand with 25 copies of their statements. For general distribution, 250 copies are needed.
- Identity session photo-badges may be obtained by all delegations from the UNOG Security and Safety Section at the 'Pregny Gate' (Palais des Nations, 8-14 Avenue de la Paix) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. upon presentation of a copy of the letter requesting accreditation and an identity document.
- The deadline for submission of draft resolutions/decisions is Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 2010 at 1 p.m. (room E-3054).
- Delegations wishing to reserve rooms should contact Ms. Anne-Marie Matovu (email: [amatovu@ohchr.org](mailto:amatovu@ohchr.org), tel. 77381, office E-3060) no later than 12 noon of the day before the meeting.
- Draft programme of work found in annex.

**DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 15TH SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (13 SEPT-1 OCT 2010)**  
- Version as of 6 September 2010

		WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3
		13 September	20 September	27 September
M O N D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	<b>Item 1 and Item 2</b>  <b>Opening of the session</b> <b>Item 2 (cont'd) - Update by the HC</b>  <b>General debate</b>	<b>Half-day discussion on women's equality before the law</b> (res. 12/17)	<b>Item 1 (cont'd) / 7 (starts at 9 a.m.)</b> - Report of the fact finding mission (ID) (res.14/1)
	13.00 – 15.00	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Item 7 (cont'd)</b> (12-3pm) <i>Follow-up to special sessions</i> - Report of Committee of Experts (ID)
	15.00 – 18.00	<b>Item 2 (cont'd)</b> --- <b>Item 3</b> <i>ID with SRSG on Children and Armed Conflict</i>	. HC reports . SR on indigenous people (ID) . Report of Exp. Mechanism on indigenous peoples -- <b>General debate (item 5)</b>	<b>Item 7 (cont'd)</b>  <b>General debate</b>
T U E S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	<b>14 September</b> <b>Item 3 (cont'd)</b>  <i>Clustered ID with:</i> . SR on contemporary forms of slavery . WG on mercenaries	<b>21 September</b> <b>Item 6</b> Consideration of UPR reports - Kyrgyzstan - Kiribati - Guinea	<b>28 September</b> <b>Item 9 (starts at 9 a.m.)</b>  <i>Clustered ID with:</i> . SR on racism . WG on African descent
	13.00 – 15.00	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Item 9 General debate</b>
	15.00 – 18.00	<b>Item 3 (cont'd)</b>	<b>Item 6</b> Consideration of UPR reports - Lao People's Democratic Republic - Spain - Lesotho	<b>Item 10 (12-3pm)</b> . ID with SR on Cambodia . ID with IE on Burundi
				<b>Item 10 (cont'd)</b> . ID with IE on Somalia --- SG/HC country reports - General debate
W E D N E S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	<b>15 September</b> <b>Item 3 (cont'd)</b>  <i>Clustered ID with:</i> . IE on international solidarity . SR on HR and toxic waste	<b>22 September</b> <b>Item 6</b> Consideration of UPR reports - Kenya - Armenia - Guinea-Bissau	<b>29 September</b> <b>Item 10 (cont'd) starts at 9 a.m.</b>  <b>Stand-alone ID on Somalia</b> (dec. 14/119)
	13.00 – 15.00	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Item 10 (cont'd) (12-3pm)</b> General debate
	15.00 – 18.00	<b>Item 3 (cont'd)</b>  <i>Clustered ID with:</i> . IE on safe drinking water and sanitation . IE on extreme poverty	<b>Item 6</b> Consideration of UPR reports - Sweden - Grenada - Turkey	<b>Item 1 (cont'd)</b>  Decisions and conclusions
T H U R S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	<b>16 September</b> <b>Item 2 &amp; 3 (cont'd)</b> - . Report of WG on R to development . SG/HC/OHCHR thematic reports <b>General debate</b>	<b>23 September</b> <b>Item 6</b> Consideration of UPR reports - Guyana - Kuwait - Belarus	<b>30 September</b> <b>Item 1 (cont'd)</b>  Decisions and conclusions
	13.00 – 15.00	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
	15.00 – 18.00	<b>Item 2 &amp; 3 (cont'd)</b>  <b>General debate</b>	<b>Item 6 (cont'd)</b>  <b>General debate</b>	<b>Item 1 (cont'd)</b>  Decisions and conclusions
F R I D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	<b>17 September</b> <b>Item 4</b> <i>ID with IE on Sudan</i> --- <b>General debate</b>	<b>24 September</b> <b>Annual discussion on integration of gender perspective</b>	<b>1 October</b> <b>Item 1 (cont'd)</b>  Decisions and conclusions
	13.00 – 15.00	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
	15.00 – 18.00	<b>Item 4 (cont'd)</b>  <b>General debate</b>	<b>Item 8</b>  <b>General debate</b>	. Decisions and conclusions (cont'd) . Appointment of special procedures mandate-holders