



Human Rights Council

Twenty-first session

Geneva, 10 -28 September 2012

Order of the Day*

Plenary Meetings – Room XX
Friday, 14 September 2012

MORNING

10.00 – 13.00
11th meeting

Item 2
(cont'd)

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

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

- Report of Working Group on the Right to Development

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Introductory statement by the United Nations Deputy High Commissioner for Human Rights on the thematic reports of the Secretary-General and High Commissioner for Human Rights, followed by general debate

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[A/HRC/21/NGO/9](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/10](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/11](#),

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[A/HRC/21/NGO/15](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/16](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/17](#),

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[A/HRC/21/NGO/95](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/110](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/112](#),
[A/HRC/21/NGO/118](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/123](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/124](#),
[A/HRC/21/NGO/127](#), [A/HRC/21/NGO/130](#)

[**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 desk in the room .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]

AFTERNOON

15.00 - 18.00
12th meeting

Item 3
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General debate (cont'd)

Other information:

- All speakers scheduled to take the floor should provide the conference service officers beforehand with 25 copies of their statements. For general distribution, 250 copies are needed.
- Delegations are requested to send their statements to hrcstatement@ohchr.org for posting on HRC Extranet.
- 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, 20 September 2012 at 1pm**. (room E-3054). Relevant modalities and co-sponsors' forms are available on the Extranet.
- Delegations wishing to reserve rooms should contact Ms. Anjela Markova ([email: amarkova@ohchr.org](mailto:amarkova@ohchr.org), tel. 77380, office E-3060) no later than 12 noon of the day before the meeting.
- Draft programme of work attached.
- Speaking time arrangements for the session is found in annex.
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DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 21ST SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (10-28 SEPTEMBER 2012) –

version as of 13-09-2012 (subject to change)

| | | WEEK 1 | WEEK 2 | WEEK 3 |
|---|-------|--|---|--|
| | | 10 September | 17 September - 0900 to 1800 hr | 24 September |
| M O N D A Y | 10.00 | Item 1 & 2 Opening of the session | Item 4 - ID with COI on Syria | Item 7 Report of SG on Gaza FFM followed by General debate |
| | 13.00 | Item 2 Update by the HC followed by General Debate | - SG/HC country reports followed by General Debate | |
| | 13.00 | | 1200-1500 Item 4 (cont'd) General Debate (cont'd) | Break |
| | 15.00 | Item 2 (cont'd) --- | Item 4 (cont'd) | Item 7 (cont'd) |
| | 18.00 | Item 3 ID with SRSG on Children & Armed Conflict | Item 5 - Complaint Procedure (closed meeting) | |
| | | 11 September | 18 September - 0900 to 1800 hr | 25 September - 0900 to 1800 hr |
| T U E S D A Y | 10.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with: - WG on mercenaries | Item 3 and 5 Clustered ID with: - SR on indigenous peoples | Item 8 General debate |
| | 13.00 | - SR on truth, justice, reparation and non-recurrence | - EMRIP | Item 9 ID with WG on African descent |
| | 13.00 | | 1200-1500 Half-day discussion on indigenous peoples: access to Justice (A/HRC/RES/18/8) | 1200-1500 Item 9 (cont'd) - Report of the Ad Hoc Com. on Complementary Standards followed by GD |
| | 15.00 | Break | | |
| | 18.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID (cont'd) | Item 5 - ID with HRCAC --- General debate | Item 9 (cont'd) - General debate (cont'd) --- Item 10 ID with SR on Cambodia (individual) |
| | | 12 September – 0900 to 1800 | 19 September | 26 September – 0900 to 1800 |
| W E D N E S D A Y | 10.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with: - SR on extreme poverty | Item 6 Consideration of UPR Reports* | ID with IE on Somalia (individual) ID with IE on Sudan (individual) |
| | 13.00 | - SR on water and sanitation | | |
| | 13.00 | 1200-1500 Item 3 (cont'd) - ID (cont'd) | Break | Item 10 (cont'd) SG/HC country reports followed by General debate |
| | 15.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered IDs with: - IE on international solidarity | Item 6 Consideration of UPR reports* | Item 10 (cont'd) --- Item 5 Complaint Procedure (closed meeting) |
| | 18.00 | - IE on democratic and equitable international order | | Item 1 - Decisions and conclusions |
| | | 13 September – 0900 to 1800 | 20 September – 0900 to 1800 | 27 September |
| T H U R S D A Y | 10.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered IDs with: - SR on hazardous substances and waste | Item 6 (cont'd) Consideration of UPR reports* | Item 1 (cont'd) Decisions and conclusions |
| | 13.00 | - SR on contemporary forms of slavery | | |
| | 13.00 | 1200-1500 Panel on Cooperation with UN HR mechanisms: issues of intimidation or reprisals (A/HRC/DEC/18/118) | 1200-1500 Annual discussion on gender integration: ESCR & empowerment of women (A/HRC/RES/6/30) | Break |
| | 15.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) - IDs (cont'd) | Item 6 (cont'd) Consideration of UPR reports* | Item 1 (cont'd) Decisions and conclusions |
| | 18.00 | | | |
| | | 14 September | 21 September - 1000 to 1800 hr | 28 September |
| F R I D A Y | 10.00 | Item 2 & 3 (cont'd) - Report of WG on Right to Development | Item 6 (cont'd) | Item 1 (cont'd) |
| | 13.00 | - Introduction of SG/HC thematic reports followed by General Debate | Consideration of UPR reports* General debate | Decisions and conclusions |
| | 13.00 | Break | Break (1300-1400) | Break |
| | 15.00 | | | |
| | 18.00 | Item 3 (cont'd) General debate (cont'd) | International Nelson Mandela Day (1400-1600) (A/HRC/RES/20/18) Item 6 (cont'd) --- General debate (cont'd) | Item 1 (cont'd) - Decisions and conclusions (cont'd) - Election of the Advisory Committee members - Appointment of SP mandate-holders - Adoption of the report of the session |

Information note for ease of reference on speaking time arrangements

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| <i>Type of discussion</i> | <i>Member States (min.)</i> | <i>Observer States and other observers (min.)</i> | <i>NHRIs/NGOs (min.)</i> |
|---|---------------------------------|---|--|
| General debate for all Items | 3' | 2' | - 2' per NHRI/NGO |
| Panels | 3' | 2' | - 2' per NHRI /NGO |
| Interactive dialogue for country and other mandates (when individual) | 3' | 2' | |
| Interactive dialogues for thematic mandates (clustered) | 5' | 3' | 3' per NHRI/NGO (30' approx. in total for three Rapporteurs) 3' per NHRI/NGO (20' approx. in total for two Rapporteurs) |

- For **general debates**, all delegates are requested to inscribe in person at the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX, which is open for all items on the first day of the session.
- For **interactive dialogues and panels**, delegates are requested to raise their nameplates. NHRIs and NGOs* are requested to approach the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX.

* NGOs should submit an on-line request using the form available on the Council website at the following link <http://www2.ohchr.org/english/bodies/hrcouncil/ngo.htm> and must confirm their request together with the name of the speaker in person at the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX 24 hours preceding the relevant meeting.