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Item 1

Opening of the Conference

1. The Conference will be opened at 10 a.m. on Monday, 5 October 2015, by the Secretary-General of UNCTAD or by his representative.

Item 2

Adoption of the agenda

2. The Conference will be invited to approve the provisional agenda as reproduced in chapter I above.

Documentation

TD/OLIVE OIL.11/1 Provisional agenda and annotations

Item 3

Adoption of the rules of procedure

3. The Conference will be invited to approve the provisional rules of procedure prepared by the UNCTAD secretariat.

Documentation

TD/OLIVE OIL.11/2 Provisional rules of procedure

Item 4

Election of officers

4. Rule 6 of the provisional rules of procedure provides that the Conference shall elect a President and one Vice-President. The Conference may elect the President and the Vice-President from among the representatives or it may elect as its President or Vice-President a person other than a representative of a participant.

Item 5

Credentials of the representatives to the Conference

5. Rule 3 of the provisional rules of procedure provides that the credentials of representatives of States participating in the Conference and the names of alternate representatives and advisers shall be submitted to the Secretary-General of UNCTAD, if possible not later than 24 hours after the opening of the Conference. Rule 4 provides that a Credentials Committee, consisting of five members appointed by the Conference on the proposal of the President, shall examine the credentials of representatives and report to the Conference. It is proposed in this connection that the Conference establish a Credentials Committee.

Item 6**Establishment of the Main Committee and of other committees as required**

6. Rule 47 of the provisional rules of procedure provides that the Conference may establish such committees, subcommittees and working parties as may be necessary for the work of the Conference. It is proposed in this connection that the Conference establish a Main Committee of the Whole to deal with items 7 and 8 of the provisional agenda in closed session. The Main Committee may set up such subcommittees or working parties as it deems necessary.

Item 7**Preparation of a successor agreement to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2005**

7. The Conference will have before it a draft new International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, as approved by the International Olive Council in its decision No. DEC-1/S.ex.24-V/2015 of 19 June 2015.

Documentation

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Item 8**Consideration and adoption of final resolutions**

8. The Conference may wish to adopt a final resolution forwarding the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2015, for deposit with the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

Item 9**Other business**
