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Annotations

1. Opening of the session

The representative of the Secretary-General will open the twenty-seventh session of the Committee.

2. Adoption of the agenda

In accordance with rule 5 of the Committee's rules of procedure, the present annotated provisional agenda has been prepared by the Secretary-General in consultation with the Chair of the Committee.

In accordance with rule 6 of the Committee's rules of procedure, the adoption of the agenda shall be the first item on the provisional agenda of any session, except where the election of officers is required pursuant to rule 12. In accordance with rule 7, the Committee may revise the agenda during a session and may, as appropriate, defer or delete items.



3. Organizational matters

The twenty-seventh session of the Committee will be held at the United Nations Office at Geneva (Palais Wilson) from 4 to 13 September 2017. The first meeting of the session will be convened on Monday, 4 September, at 10 a.m.

The Committee will consider its programme of work (see annex), as well as other issues relevant to its business, including the dates for its future sessions.

4. Submission of reports by States parties

As part of its simplified reporting procedure and in accordance with rule 31 bis of its rules of procedure, the Committee adopted lists of issues prior to reporting in respect of the following States parties, the reports of which will be considered at the twenty-seventh session.

<i>State party</i>	<i>Date due</i>	<i>Date received</i>	<i>Symbol</i>
Ecuador ^a	1 July 2015	3 May 2017	CMW/C/ECU/3
Indonesia ^b	1 September 2013	28 April 2017	CMW/C/IDN/1
Mexico ^a	1 April 2016	19 May 2017	CMW/C/MEX/3

^a The lists of issues prior to reporting were adopted at the twenty-fifth session of the Committee.

^b The list of issues prior to reporting was adopted at the twenty-fourth session of the Committee.

As at 1 June 2017, the initial reports of the following States parties were due but had not been received by the Committee for consideration:

<i>State party</i>	<i>Date due</i>
Guyana ^a	1 November 2011
Libya ^b	1 October 2005
Madagascar ^c	1 September 2016
Mozambique ^c	1 December 2014
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines ^a	1 February 2012

^a The lists of issues prior to reporting were adopted at the twenty-fourth session of the Committee.

^b The list of issues prior to reporting is scheduled to be adopted at the twenty-seventh session of the Committee.

^c The lists of issues prior to reporting were adopted at the twenty-sixth session of the Committee.

The Committee received the second periodic report of Tajikistan on 2 May 2017. The second periodic reports of the following States parties were due but had not yet been received as at 1 June 2017:

<i>State party</i>	<i>Date due</i>
Argentina ^a	1 October 2016
Chile ^a	1 October 2016
Egypt ^b	1 July 2009
Guatemala ^c	1 October 2016
Paraguay ^a	1 May 2017
Syrian Arab Republic	1 October 2011

^a The lists of issues prior to reporting are scheduled to be adopted at the twenty-eighth session of the Committee.

^b The list of issues prior to reporting was adopted at the twenty-sixth session of the Committee.

^c The list of issues prior to reporting is scheduled to be adopted at the twenty-seventh session of the Committee.

The following States parties were reviewed in the absence of a report and were requested to submit their combined initial and periodic reports:

<i>State party</i>	<i>Due date of initial report</i>	<i>Due date of combined initial and periodic reports</i>
Belize ^a	1 July 2004	5 September 2016
Cabo Verde ^b	1 July 2004	9 September 2016
Jamaica ^c	1 January 2010	1 May 2019
Nigeria ^c	1 November 2010	1 May 2018

^a The State party was reviewed in the absence of a report at the twenty-first session of the Committee. At the same session, Belize was requested to submit its combined initial to third periodic reports.

^b The State party was reviewed in the absence of a report at the twenty-third session of the Committee. At the same session, Cabo Verde was requested to submit its combined initial to third periodic reports.

^c The States parties were reviewed in the absence of a report at the twenty-sixth session of the Committee. At the same session, Jamaica and Nigeria were requested to submit their combined initial and second periodic reports.

5. Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention

At its twenty-seventh session, the Committee will consider the initial report of Indonesia (CMW/C/IDN/1) and the third periodic reports of Ecuador (CMW/C/ECU/3) and Mexico (CMW/C/MEX/3).

The Committee will adopt concluding observations on the reports of the above-mentioned States parties. It will also adopt lists of issues on the second periodic reports of Albania and Tajikistan, as well as lists of issues prior to reporting in respect of Guatemala and Libya.

The Committee, at its fourteenth session, held in April 2011, established a simplified reporting procedure (see A/66/48, para. 26) that consists in the preparation and adoption of a list of issues to be transmitted to the State party concerned prior to the submission of its report. The replies of the State party to the list of issues constitute its report as required under article 73 (1) of the Convention. A list of issues may also be transmitted to a State party in cases where the Committee decides to examine the implementation of the Convention in the absence of a report, in accordance with rule 31 bis of the rules of procedure (see A/67/48 and Corr.1, para. 26).

The Secretary-General has informed the States parties concerned of the dates on which their reports are scheduled for consideration by the Committee, in accordance with the provisional programme of work.

6. Methods of work of the Committee

The Committee will discuss its methods of work, the harmonization of treaty body working methods and other issues arising from General Assembly resolution 68/268 on strengthening and enhancing the effective functioning of the human rights treaty body system.

7. Promotion of the Convention

The Committee will discuss its involvement in and support for various events and initiatives to continue promoting the Convention, including meetings with stakeholders, days of general discussion and the preparation of general comments.

Annex

Provisional programme of work

<i>Date and time</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Programme and documentation</i>
Monday, 4 September 2017		
360th meeting 10-11 a.m.	1	Opening of the session (public)
	2 and 3	Adoption of the agenda and consideration of the programme of work (public)
	7	Activities to promote the Convention (public)
11 a.m.-noon		Informal meeting with non-governmental organizations and national human rights institutions (public)
Noon-1 p.m.		Informal meeting with United Nations bodies and specialized agencies (closed)
361st meeting 3-6 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: third periodic report of Ecuador (CMW/C/ECU/3) (public)
Tuesday, 5 September		
362nd meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: third periodic report of Ecuador (continued) (public)
363rd meeting 3-6 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: initial report of Indonesia (CMW/C/IDN/1) (public)
Wednesday, 6 September		
364th meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: initial report of Indonesia(continued) (public)
365th meeting 3-6 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: third periodic report of Mexico (CMW/C/MEX/3) (public)
Thursday, 7 September		
366th meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	5	Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 73 of the Convention: third periodic report of Mexico (continued) (public)
367th meeting 3-6 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (closed)
Friday, 8 September		
368th meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)

<i>Date and time</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Programme and documentation</i>
369th meeting 3-6 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
Monday, 11 September		
370th meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
371st meeting 3-6 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
Tuesday, 12 September		
372nd meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
373rd meeting 3-6 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
Wednesday, 13 September		
374th meeting 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed)
375th meeting 3-6 p.m.	4-7	Working Group of the Whole (continued) (closed) and closing of the session (public)
