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## PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Adoption of the rules of procedure
2. Election of officers
3. Adoption of the agenda
4. Report on credentials
5. Organization of work and establishment of technical committees
6. Review of cartographic activities in the Americas
7. Review of techniques and recent developments in basic mapping:
  - (a) Geodesy and ground control
  - (b) Topographic mapping and photogrammetry
  - (c) Cadastral surveying and mapping (including urban mapping)
  - (d) Hydrographic surveying and charting
8. Conventional and satellite remote sensing methods and techniques (including aerial photography)
9. Small scale mapping:
  - (a) International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale (IMW)
  - (b) Aeronautical charts
  - (c) Other international map series

10. Preparation and reproduction of maps and other questions related to map compilation; geographical names, automation etc.
11. Thematic cartography
  - (a) Photo-interpretation
  - (b) Atlases
12. Practical applications of cartographic techniques to:
  - (a) Location and development of mineral resources
  - (b) Regional land use surveys
  - (c) Forest development and management
  - (d) Agricultural planning and development
  - (e) Assessment and use of water resources
  - (f) Civil engineering projects
  - (g) Land settlement and land tenure
13. Technical assistance (including training)
14. Adoption of the report of the Conference

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