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Agenda item 3

**Consideration of the draft United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime,  
with particular emphasis on articles 1-3**

### **Proposals and contributions received from Governments on the draft United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime**

#### **United Arab Emirates: amendments to the draft United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime**

##### **Article 3**

##### **Option 1, subparagraph 1(a)**

After the word “offences”, insert the words “under this Convention” and after the word “years”, insert the words “or any more severe punishment”.

##### **Option 2**

1. In the *chapeau*, after the words “criminal offences”, insert the words “in accordance with the fundamental principles of its domestic legal system”.
  2. In subparagraph 1 (a), after the words “serious crime”, insert the words “, as specified in this Convention,”.
  3. In subparagraph 1 (b) (i), after the words “other material benefit”, insert the words “or to any other purpose”.
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