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UNCTAD CALENDAR OF MEETINGS

In the light of consultations held on 17 December 1996 by the President of the Trade and Development Board, the calendar of meetings for 1997 as contained in document TD/B/43/INF.1 has been adjusted as follows:

Working Party on the Medium-Term Plan and the Programme Budget, twenty-ninth session

This meeting originally scheduled for 3-7 February will now be held in two parts: 16-17 January 1997 (first part) and 14-16 April 1997 (second part).

Pilot Seminar on the Mobilization of the Private Sector in order to encourage Foreign Investment Flows towards the LDCS

This meeting will be held from 23 to 25 June 1997.

The full calendar of meetings for 1997, as thus adjusted, is attached.

Calendar of meetings for 1997 ^{1/} —

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date</u>
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM TERM PLAN AND THE PROGRAMME BUDGET, twenty-ninth session (first part)	16-17 January
COMMISSION ON ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS FACILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT, first session	20-24 January
COMMISSION ON TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES, AND COMMODITIES, first session (resumed)	19-21 February (2½ days)
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD fourteenth executive session	(One day - t.b.d. first quarter)
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development	7-9 April
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM TERM PLAN AND THE PROGRAMME BUDGET, twenty-ninth session (second part)	14-16 April
Joint Advisory Group on the International Trade Centre, UNCTAD/WTO ^{2/} —	21-24 April
Commission on Science and Technology for Development, third session	12-16 May
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and related Financial Issues	21-23 May
Meeting of Governmental Experts from Land-locked and Transit Developing Countries and Representatives of Donor Countries and Financial and Development Institutions (GA resolution 50/97)	(June - 3 days New York)
Meeting of Experts on Strengthening the Capacity and Expanding Exports of Developing Countries in the Services Sector: Health Services	16-18 June

Calendar of meetings for 1997 (cont'd)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date</u>
Pilot Seminar on the Mobilization of the Private Sector in order to encourage Foreign Investment Flows towards the LDCS	23-25 June
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues	23-25 July
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD fifteenth executive session	(One day - to be determined)
Meeting of Experts on Vertical Diversification in the Food processing Sector in Developing Countries	1-3 September
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and related Financial Issues	8-10 September
WORKING PARTY ON THE MEDIUM-TERM PLAN AND THE PROGRAMME BUDGET, thirtieth session	15-19 September
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development	22-24 September
COMMISSION ON INVESTMENT, TECHNOLOGY AND RELATED FINANCIAL ISSUES, second session	29 Sept-3 Oct
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, forty-fourth session	13-24 October
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	29-31 October
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities	3-5 November

Calendar of meetings for 1997 (cont'd)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date</u>
COMMISSION ON TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES, AND COMMODITIES, second session	17-21 November
Meeting of Experts within the framework of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues	24-26 November
COMMISSION ON ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS FACILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT, second session	1-5 December
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD sixteenth executive session	(one day - to be determined)
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Commodity conferences ^{3/} -	As required up to 2 weeks
UN Conference on Tropical Timber	2-3 days (to be determined)
Meeting on Natural Rubber	1 day (to be determined)
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Consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the TDB	As required (up to 19 half-day meetings)
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Seminars and study groups	As required up to (2½ weeks)

Notes

- 1/ Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings will be held in Geneva. All meetings listed are subject to a written notification, which is normally dispatched six weeks before the opening date.
- 2/ Listed for information only.
- 3/ Subject to a request from the relevant commodity body.