
**Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention
on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling,
Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel
Mines and on Their Destruction**

13 June 2016

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Fifteenth Meeting

Santiago, 28 November - 2 December 2016

Item 6 of the provisional agenda

Organization of work

Provisional programme of work

Submitted by the President

Sunday 27 November

All day field visit for heads of delegations

Monday 28 November

10:00 – 11:30

1. Official opening of the meeting
2. Brief messages delivered by or on behalf of Nobel Peace Prize laureate Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Landmines, the President of the International Committee of the Red Cross, the President of the Council of Foundation of the Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining and the Secretary General of the United Nations
3. Adoption of the agenda
4. Election of the Vice-Presidents of the meeting and of other officers
5. Confirmation of the Secretary-General of the meeting
6. Organisation of work

11:30 – 13:00

7. Session on “towards 2025”

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15:00 – 18:00

8. General exchange of views¹
9. Informal presentation of requests submitted under Article 5 and of the analysis of these requests

Tuesday 29 November

10:00 – 13:00

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention
 - (a) Assisting the victims: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on Victim Assistance

15:00 – 18:00

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention
 - (a) Assisting the victims: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on Victim Assistance (continued)
 - (b) Clearing mined areas: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on Article 5 Implementation

Wednesday 30 November

10:00 – 13:00

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention
 - (b) Clearing mined areas: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on Article 5 Implementation (continued)

15:00 – 16:30

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention (continued)
 - (c) Cooperation and Assistance: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on the Enhancement of Cooperation and Assistance

16:30 – 18:00

11. Session on Gender in mine action

Thursday 1 December

10:00 – 13:00

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention (continued)

¹ Given the volume of work that must be dealt with at the Fifteenth Meeting, States Parties and observers are encouraged to refrain from making general statements but rather provide updates on implementation on thematic matters indicated in agenda item 10. In addition, if they wish, delegations can distribute written statements rather than deliver oral statements.

(d) Preventing and suppressing prohibited activities and facilitating compliance: Conclusions and recommendations related to the mandate of the Committee on the Cooperative Compliance

(e) Destroying stockpiled anti-personnel mines

15:00 – 18:00

10. Consideration of the general status and operation of the Convention (continued)

(f) Universalizing the Convention

(g) Transparency and the exchange of information

(h) Implementation Support

(i) Report on the activities, functioning and finances of the ISU and presentation of a work plan and a budget for the 2017 activities of the ISU

(ii) Others matters concerning implementation support

Friday 2 December

10:00 – 12:00

12. Session on Cooperation and Partnerships

12:00 – 13:00

13. Consideration of requests submitted under Article 5

14. Consideration of matters arising from/in the context of reports submitted under Article 7

15. Consideration of requests submitted under Article 8

16. Date, duration, location and Presidency of the Sixteenth Meeting of the States Parties, and matters pertaining to the preparations for the Sixteenth Meeting

17. Any other business

18. Consideration and adoption of the final document

19. Closure of the Fifteenth Meeting of the States Parties
