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Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session:
 - (a) Opening addresses;
 - (b) Election of officers;
 - (c) Adoption of the agenda.
2. Special Body on Least Developed, Landlocked Developing and Pacific Island Developing Countries.
3. Review of issues pertinent to the subsidiary structure of the Commission, including the work of the regional institutions:
 - (a) Macroeconomic policy, poverty reduction and financing for development;
 - (b) Trade and investment;
 - (c) Transport;
 - (d) Environment and development;
 - (e) Information and communications technology, science, technology and innovation;
 - (f) Disaster risk reduction;
 - (g) Social development;
 - (h) Statistics;
 - (i) Energy;
 - (j) Subregional activities for development.
4. Implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Asia and the Pacific.
5. Regional economic cooperation and integration in Asia and the Pacific.

6. Management issues:
 - (a) Changes to programme planning and budgeting;
 - (b) Programme changes for the biennium 2018–2019;
 - (c) Report on the evaluation activities of the Commission during the biennium 2016–2017;
 - (d) Overview of partnerships, extrabudgetary contributions and capacity development.
 7. Activities of the Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission.
 8. Dates, venue and theme topic for the seventy-fifth session of the Commission (2019).
 9. Policy issues for the Asia-Pacific region: theme topic for the seventy-fourth session of the Commission on “Inequality in the era of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”.
 10. Other matters.
 11. Adoption of the report of the Commission.
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