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Preparatory Committee for the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development Second session 12-23 February 2001 Item 1 of the provisional agenda Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

Provisional agenda and annotations and organization of work

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- 5. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its second session.

Annotations

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

The provisional agenda for the second session of the Preparatory Committee for the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development has been drawn up on the basis of General Assembly resolution 54/196 of 22 December 1999; the draft resolution entitled "Further preparations for the substantive preparatory process and the high-level international intergovernmental event on financing for development" recommended by the Committee on 27 November 2000 for adoption by the Assembly;¹ and Committee decision 1/1 of 2 June 2000.² The proposed organization of work is contained in the annex.

2. Review of the inputs to the substantive preparatory process and the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development

In its decision 1/1 of 2 June 2000,² the Committee adopted, based on paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 54/196 of 22 December 1999, the text contained in the annex to that decision as a substantive preliminary agenda for the financing for development process, on the understanding that this preliminary agenda is of indicative nature and will evolve during the substantive process ahead of the final event, through, inter alia, inputs from Member States, regional intergovernmental consultations and all relevant stakeholders.

As one of the important inputs to the substantive preparatory process and the Highlevel Event, the Committee will have before it for review the report of the Secretary-General, divided into the following six chapters, which correspond to the six main headings of the above-mentioned agenda.

- I. Mobilizing domestic financial resources
- II. Mobilizing international resources for development: foreign direct investment and other private flows
- III. Trade
- IV. Increasing international financial cooperation for development through, inter alia, official development assistance
- V. Debt
- VI. Addressing systemic issues: enhancing the coherence and consistency of the international monetary, financial and trading systems in support of development

Headings I to VI have been scheduled for separate discussions in the proposed organization of work (see annex).

As further input to the substantive preparatory process and the High-level Event, the Committee will have before it the reports of the five regional consultations held by the regional commissions in 2000.

The Committee will also have before it for review summaries of panel presentations and discussion at the hearings with civil society and the business community held in November and December 2000.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General to the Committee (A/AC.257/12)

Report of the Regional Consultation on Financing for Development in the Asia and Pacific region (A/AC.257/13)

Report of the Regional Consultation on Financing for Development in the African region (A/AC.257/14)

Report of the Regional Consultation on Financing for Development in the European region (A/AC.257/15)

Report of the Regional Consultation on Financing for Development in the Western Asia region (A/AC.257/16)

Report of the Regional Consultation on Financing for Development in the Latin America and the Caribbean region (A/AC.257/17)

Summary of panel presentations and discussion on financing for development: hearings with civil society, 6 and 7 November 2000 (A/AC.257/18)

Summary of panel presentations and discussion on financing for development: hearings with the business community, 11 and 12 December 2000 (A/AC.257/19)

3. Preparation of the outcome of the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development

The Committee is expected to further discuss and formulate, during its second session, the type of outcome desired for the High-level Event.

4. Draft provisional agenda for the third session of the Committee

The Committee will adopt the provisional agenda for its third session.

Documentation

Draft provisional agenda of the Committee for its third session (A/AC.257/L.__)

5. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its second session

The Committee will adopt the report on its second session.

Documentation

Draft report of the Committee on its second session (A/AC.257/L.__)

Notes

¹ See Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 28 (A/55/28), part two, chap. VI, sect. A.

² Ibid., sect. B.

Annex

Proposed organization of work

Date	Item	Title
Week of 12-16 February		
Monday, 12 February		
a.m./p.m.	1	Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters
	2	Review of the inputs to the substantive preparatory process and the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development: general discussion
Tuesday, 13 February		
a.m.	2	General discussion (continued)
p.m.	2	Review of the inputs to the substantive preparatory process and the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development, headings I to VI
		Heading I. Mobilizing domestic financial resources
Wednesday, 14 February		
a.m.	2	Heading I (continued)
p.m.	2	Heading II. Mobilizing international resources for development: foreign direct investment and other private flows
Thursday, 15 February		
a.m.	2	Heading II (continued)
p.m.	2	Heading IV. Increasing international financial cooperation for development through, inter alia, official development assistance
Friday, 16 February		
a.m.	2	Heading IV (continued)
		Heading V. Debt
p.m.	2	Heading V (continued)

Date	Item	Title
Week of 19-23 February		
Monday, 19 February	-	Official United Nations Holiday
Tuesday, 20 February		
a.m.	2	Heading III. Trade
p.m.	2	Heading III (continued)
Wednesday, 21 February		
a.m.	2	Heading VI. Addressing systemic issues: enhancing the coherence and consistency of the international monetary, financial and trading systems in support of development
p.m.	2	Heading VI (continued)
Thursday, 22 February		
a.m.	2	Interlinkages of issues in headings I to VI
p.m.	3	Preparation of the outcome of the High-level International Intergovernmental Event on Financing for Development
Friday, 23 February		
a.m.	3	(continued)
p.m.	1	(continued)
	4	Draft provisional agenda for the third session of the Committee
	5	Adoption of the report of the Committee on its second session