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#### **Draft report**

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#### **Chapter (...)**

#### **Organization of the session**

##### **A. Opening and duration of the session**

1. The Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice held its tenth session in Vienna from 8 to 17 May 2001. The Commission held (...) meetings. The Committee of the Whole held its meetings in parallel with the plenary.
2. The tenth session of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice was opened by the outgoing Chairman of the ninth session, Vladimiro Zagrebelsky (Italy).
3. At the opening meeting, the Executive Director of the Office for Drug Control and Crime Prevention addressed the Commission.

##### **B. Attendance**

4. The tenth session was attended by representatives of (...) States members of the Commission. ((...) States were not represented.) Also attending were observers for (...) other States Members of the United Nations, (...) non-member States, representatives of organizations of the United Nations system and observers for the institutes comprising the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme network, (...) intergovernmental organizations and (...) non-governmental organizations. A list of participants is contained in annex I to the present report.

### **C. Election of officers**

5. At its 1st meeting, on 8 May, the Commission elected the following officers by acclamation:

<i>Chairman:</i>	Shaukat Umer (Pakistan)
<i>Vice-Chairmen:</i>	Tajeddine Baddou (Morocco)
	Ivan Naydenov (Bulgaria)
	Juan Jimenez Mayor (Peru)
<i>Rapporteur:</i>	Ignacio Baylina Ruiz (Spain)

6. The elected officers constituted the bureau of the Commission, which met several times during the session to consider matters relating to the organization of work and to strategic management.

7. Following his election, the Chairman of the tenth session made a brief introductory statement.

### **D. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work**

8. At its 1st meeting, on 8 May, the Commission adopted by consensus its provisional agenda (E/CN.15/2001/1 and Corr.1), which had been agreed on by the Commission at its ninth session and approved by the Economic and Social Council in its decision 2000/239 of 27 July 2000. The agenda was as follows:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work.
3. Thematic discussion: "Progress made in global action against corruption".
4. International cooperation in combating transnational crime.
5. Follow-up to the Tenth United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders.
6. Work of the Centre for International Crime Prevention.
7. United Nations standards and norms in crime prevention and criminal justice:
  - (a) Victims of crime and abuse of power;
  - (b) Effective crime prevention.
8. Strategic management and programme questions.
9. Provisional agenda for the eleventh session of the Commission.
10. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its tenth session.

9. At the same meeting, the Commission adopted the proposed organization of work for its tenth session, contained in the annex to the provisional agenda, which included 12 meetings for the Committee of the Whole.

**E. Documentation**

10. The documents before the Commission at its tenth session are listed in annex (...) to the present report. Several representatives called on the Secretariat to ensure that pre-session documentation was made available in the six official languages of the United Nations six weeks prior to the session, as requested by the General Assembly.

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