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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the session.
2. Election of officers.
3. Adoption of the agenda.
4. Proposed organization of work.
5. General discussion.
6. Water-related issues in the ESCWA region, the current situation and the challenges:
 - (a) General overview of water-related issues in the ESCWA region;
 - (b) The concept of and tools for the integrated management of water resources;
 - (c) The integrated management of water resources: programmes and outcomes in ESCWA member countries.
7. Review of action taken in the field of water resources since the fifth session of the Committee on Water Resources:
 - (a) Follow-up of implementation of the recommendations of the fifth session of the Committee on Water Resources:
 - (i) Presentation and discussion of the draft study on water demand management in ESCWA member countries;
 - (ii) Presentation and discussion of the draft study on basic water indicators in ESCWA member countries;
 - (iii) Presentation and discussion of the outcomes of the study of specifications and measures related to the use of treated waste water for irrigation in ESCWA member countries;
 - (b) Progress made between the fifth and sixth sessions of the Committee on Water Resources in implementing water-related activities.
8. The proposed strategic framework for the ESCWA programme of work for the biennium 2006-2007 in the field of water resources.
9. Date and venue of the seventh session of the Committee on Water Resources.
10. New matters.
11. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its sixth session.

