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Eighth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas New York, 27 June-1 July 2005 **Organizational matters: adoption of the agenda**

Draft provisional agenda for the Ninth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas

- 1. Opening of the Conference.
- 2. Election of the President and other officers of the Conference.
- 3. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Consideration and adoption of the rules of procedure;
 - (b) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (c) Establishment of committees and election of Chairmen;
 - (d) Organization of Conference work;
 - (e) Credentials of representatives to the Conference.
- 4. Objectives of the Conference.
- 5. Conference reports:
 - (a) Reports on the implementation of resolutions adopted at the Eighth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas;
 - (b) Country reports.
- 6. Report of the Permanent Committee on Spatial Data Infrastructure for the Americas (PC-IDEA).
- 7. Invited papers on recent developments in geographic information in addressing national, regional and global issues, including:
 - (a) Strategy, policy, economic and institutional issues;
 - (b) Spatial data infrastructures;
 - (c) Geospatial data collection, management and dissemination;
 - (d) Best practices and applications.

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- 8. Reports of the technical committees of the Conference.
- 9. Review of the achievements of the Conference.
- 10. Provisional agenda for the Tenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas.
- 11. Adoption of the report of the Ninth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas.