



Human Rights Council

Sixth session

Geneva, 10 – 28 September 2007

Order of the Day

Monday, 17 September 2007

Plenary meetings

6 th meeting	10.00 a.m.	Conference room XVII
7 th meeting	3.00 p.m.	

Review, rationalization and improvement of mandates

- Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief
- Working Group on arbitrary detention

Item 2. Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and reports of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Secretary-General *

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Notes:

- *All speakers scheduled to take the floor should provide the Secretariat beforehand with 25 copies of their statements. For general distribution, 250 copies are needed.*
- *The full text of statements, as well as the audio files may be accessed at <http://www.ohchr.org/english/bodies/hrcouncil>.*
- *Identity photo-badges valid for the session may be obtained by all delegations, if needed, from the UNOG Security and Safety Section at the “Pregny Gate” (Palais des Nations, 8-14 avenue de la Paix) from 8.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. upon presentation of a copy of their letter of accreditation and an identity document.*

* Reports on unilateral coercive measures and access to safe drinking water will be discussed under item 3.

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Item 3. Promotion and protection of all human rights, civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights, including the right to development

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Draft Programme of Work for the 1st part of the 6th session of the Human Rights Council
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		1st week	2 nd week	3rd week
M O N D A Y	a.m.	10.09	17.09	24.09
		Item 1 Organizational & procedural matters <i>Informal Meeting</i> (wrap-up from the facilitators and debates thereon: pending issues on IB)	<i>(Election of the President of the WG RtD-in the margins of the session)</i> Review, rationalization & improvement of mandates (Cont'd) • SR on Freedom of religion or belief • WG on Arbitrary Detention	Item 4 HR situations that require the HRC's attention • Res. OM/1/3 (Follow-up)
	p.m.	<i>Cont'd</i>	Item 3 (Cont'd) • Other reports ³	Review, rationalization and improvement of mandates • SR on the Right to Food • SR on Indigenous People
	a.m.	11.09	18.09	25.09
T U E S D A Y	a.m.	<i>Cont'd</i>	Item 5 HR bodies and mechanisms • SP mandate-holders: technical requirements • HRC Advisory Committee: technical requirements	Review, rationalization and improvement of mandates • IE on Haiti Item 10 Technical assistance & capacity building • T. Pacéré (DRC)
		p.m.	<i>Cont'd</i>	Item 5 (Cont'd) • Former WGs (Indigenous, Slavery, Minorities, Social Forum)
W E D N E S D A Y	a.m.	12.09	19.09	26.09
	p.m.	<i>Cont'd</i>	• WG on Communications	<i>Cont'd</i> • IE on DRC
		<i>Simulation of the proposed UPR selection process</i>	Item 6 Universal Periodic Review • Guidelines	<i>Cont'd</i>
T H U R S D A Y	a.m.	13.09	20.09	27.09
	a.m.	Item 2 Annual report of the UN High Commissioner for HR & other reports¹ Item 3 Promotion & protection of HR Reports of SP and ID A. Jahangir (Freedom of religion/belief) R. Rizki (HR & Int'l Solidarity)	Item 7 HR Situation in Palestine and other occupied Arab territories • Res. OM/1/2 (Follow-up)	Conclusions and decisions
		p.m.	Statement by the High Commissioner followed by General Debate	Item 3 (Cont'd) • R. Coomaraswamy (Children & armed conflict) Item 8 Follow-up & implementation of the VDPA Discussions on gender perspective in the work of HRC
F R I D A Y	a.m.	14.09	21.09	28.09
	a.m.	<i>(Cont'd)</i>	Item 9 (Cont'd) • Durban PrepCom - discussions • WG on follow-up to Durban • Report on defamation of religions ²	<i>(Cont'd)</i>
		Item 9 Racism, follow-up & implementation of the DDPA • D. Diène (Racism) ²	Item 6 (Cont'd) Universal Periodic Review • Selection of countries to be evaluated by the WG on UPR in 2008	<i>(Cont'd)</i>
p.m.	Review, rationalization and improvement of mandates • SR on Freedom of religion or belief • WG on Arbitrary Detention		<i>(Cont'd)</i>	

¹ These reports shall be discussed under Items 3 and 9 in relation with the respective thematic issues.

² Report of the Council pursuant to resolution 4/9.

³ Unilateral coercive measures pursuant to decision 4/103 and access to water pursuant to decision 2/104.