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Provisional agenda*

1. Opening of the session
2. Election of the Chairperson-Rapporteur of the Working Group
3. Adoption of the agenda
4. Organization of work
5. Keynote address
6. Briefings with regard to:
 - (a) Participation of the Working Group in the Forum on Minority Issues
 - (b) Visit to Washington by the Chairperson of the Working Group
 - (c) Participation of the Working Group in the Human Rights Day event held in New York
7. Durban +10: update of the Working Group
8. Thematic discussion on the situation of people of African descent:
 - (a) Overview of the current situation
 - (b) Perspective of the Working Group on positive discrimination
 - (c) Contribution by people of African descent to global development
 - (d) Lack of knowledge of culture, history and traditions of people of African descent by themselves and others
9. Presentation and discussion of conclusions and recommendations of the Working Group
10. Adoption of the conclusions and recommendations of the Working Group at its tenth session

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