



Human Rights Council

Nineteenth session

Geneva, 27 February -23 March 2012

Order of the Day*

Plenary Meetings – Room XX
Friday, 2 March 2012

MORNING

10.00 – 13.00
13th meeting

Item 1

Organizational and procedural matters (*cont'd*)

Adoption of the programme of work of the session**

[A/HRC/19/1](#), [A/HRC/19/1/Corr.1](#), [A/HRC/19/1/Corr.2](#)***

10.30 a.m.

Visit of :

- H.E Ms. Maria Otero, Under Secretary of State for Civilian Security, Democracy, and Human Rights of the United States of America

Item 2

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

Introductory statement by, and interactive dialogue with High Commissioner for Human Rights

[A/HRC/19/21](#)

[Modalities for participation in interactive dialogue with the High Commissioner: States members of the Council, observer States and other observers are requested to raise their nameplates and the list is noted by the podium. NHRIs and NGOs are requested to inscribe with the speakers list held in the Secretariat in the room. Speaking time is 3 minutes for States members of the Council, and 2 minutes for observer States and other observers, including NHRIs and NGOs. The list of speakers will be closed 10 minutes after the commencement of the discussion.]

[Note: Agenda item 2 remains open throughout the session.]

* The information contained in this document was compiled and is correct as of 6 p.m. of the previous day. In the event that the consideration of a specific item or sub-item does not take up the whole meeting, the Council will move to the consideration of the next item or sub-item scheduled for the following meeting, with the exception of the High Level Segment and Panels. The Secretariat will communicate any changes or updates by SMS, HRC Extranet and Twitter (http://www.twitter.com/un_hrc). Any comments should be notified to the Secretariat, Room E-3060.

** The present list is provisional and subject to change.

*** Documents were circulated on 27 February 2012.

AFTERNOON

13.00- 15.00 **Item 2** **Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and reports of the Office of the High Commissioner and the Secretary-General** (*cont'd*)
14th meeting

Continuation and conclusion of interactive dialogue with High Commissioner

Item 2 **Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and reports of the Office of the High Commissioner and the Secretary-General** (*cont'd*)
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Introductory statement by the United Nations Deputy High Commissioner for Human Rights on the thematic reports of the Secretary-General and High Commissioner for Human Rights, followed by general debate

[A/HRC/19/23](#), [A/HRC/19/24](#), [A/HRC/19/25](#), [A/HRC/19/26](#),
[A/HRC/19/27](#), [A/HRC/19/28](#), [A/HRC/19/29](#), [A/HRC/19/30 - E/CN.6/2012/13](#),
[A/HRC/19/31 - E/CN.6/2012/12](#), [A/HRC/19/32](#),
[A/HRC/19/33](#), [A/HRC/19/34](#), [A/HRC/19/34/Corr.1](#), [A/HRC/19/35](#),
[A/HRC/19/36](#), [A/HRC/19/37](#), [A/HRC/19/38](#), [A/HRC/19/39](#),
[A/HRC/19/40](#), [A/HRC/19/41](#), [A/HRC/19/42](#), [A/HRC/19/42/Corr.1](#),
[A/HRC/19/43](#), [A/HRC/19/45](#), [A/HRC/19/50](#), [A/HRC/19/NGO/25](#),
[A/HRC/19/NGO/43](#), [A/HRC/19/NGO/125](#)

[Modalities for participation in the general debate: States members of the Council, observer States and other observers, including NHRIs, are requested to inscribe with the speakers' list, which opened as of 9.30 a.m on Monday 27 February 2012. NGOs are requested to confirm on-line registration at speakers list desk in the room. Speaking time is 3 minutes for States members of the Council, and 2 minutes for observer States and other observers, including NHRIs and NGOs. The list of speakers will be closed 10 minutes after the commencement of the discussion].

Other information:

- Delegations are requested to be in Room XX at 9.30 a.m.
- 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.
- Identity session photo-badges may be obtained by all delegations from the UNOG Security and Safety Section at the 'Pregny Gate' (Palais des Nations, 8-14 Avenue de la Paix) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. upon presentation of a copy of the letter requesting accreditation and an identity document.
- The deadline for submission of draft resolutions/decisions is **Thursday, 15 March 2012 at 1pm.** (room E-3054). Relevant modalities and co-sponsors' forms are available on the Extranet.
- Delegations wishing to reserve rooms should contact Ms. Anjela Markova ([email:amarkova@ohchr.org](mailto:amarkova@ohchr.org), tel. 77381, office E-3060), no later than 12 noon of the day before the meeting.
- Draft programme of work found in annex.

DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 19TH SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (27 FEBRUARY – 23 MARCH 2012)

- Version as of 27-02-2012

		27 February	5 March	12 March	19 March
M O N D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	10.00-12.30 Item 1 Opening of session	09.00 -12.00 Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with: . SR torture . SR on human rights defenders	09.00 -12.00 Item 4 (cont'd) Individual ID with: . SR DPRK . SR Myanmar . SR Iran	Item 7 . HC/SG reports General debate
	13.00 – 15.00	12.30 -14.30 HL Panel on Sport and UNDHR (res 18/23)	12.00 -15.00 Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with : . WG disappearances . SR on freedom of religion or belief	12.00 -15.00 Item 4 (cont'd) Individual ID with: . ID – COI Syria follow-up to SS 17 th	Break
	15.00 –	14.30- 18.00 HLS (cont'd)	15.00 -18.00 Item 3 (cont'd)	Item 4 (cont'd) General debate	Item 7 (cont'd)
		28 February	6 March	13 March	20 March
T U E S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	9.00 -11.20 HL Panel on human rights mainstreaming (res 16/21)	09.00 -12.00 Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with: . SR on the right to food . SR on adequate housing	9.00 -12.00 Item 4 (cont'd) General debate (cont'd)	9.00 -12.00 Item 8 – General debate -- Item 5 Complaint Procedure [Closed meeting]
	13.00 – 15.00	11.30 -14.30 Urgent debate on human rights and humanitarian situation in the Syrian Arab Republic	12.00 -15.00 Item 3 (cont'd)	12.00 -15.00 Panel on Declaration of Rights of Minorities (res 18/3)	12.00 -15.00 Panel on human rights & HIV/AIDS (res 16/28)
	15.00 – 18.00	HLS (cont'd)	15.00 -18.00 Clustered ID with: . WG arbitrary detention . SR on IDPs	15.00 -18.00 Item 3 (cont'd) - ID with IE minorities Item 5 . HRCAC studies Report of Forum on Minority Issues Report of the Social Forum General debate	15.00 -18.00- Item 9 . IGWG on Durban follow-up General debate
		29 February	7 March	14 March	21 March
W E D N E S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	9.00 -12.00 HLS (cont'd)	09.00 -12.00 Item 3 (cont'd) Clustered ID with: . SRSG on violence against children . SR on sale of children	Item 5 (cont'd) General debate (cont'd)	09.00 -12.00 Item 10 Individual ID with IE on Cote d'Ivoire -- . HC/SG country reports (Item 2) General debate Item 2 . HC/SG country reports (Item 10) General debate Item 10
	13.00 – 15.00	12.00 -15.00 Panel on freedom of expression on internet (res 18/119)	12.00 -15.00 Panel on discrimination and violence based on sexual orientation and gender identity (res 17/19)	Break	12.00 -15.00 Annual thematic discussion on best-practices on technical cooperation (res 18/18)
	15.00 – 18.00	15.00 -18.00 HLS (cont'd)	15.00 -18.00 Item 3 (cont'd) Presentation Report of the WG on the Right to Development General debate	Item 6 Consideration of UPR-reports*	Item 10 – General Debate (cont'd) -- Item 1 (cont'd) . Appointment SP mandate holders . Decisions and conclusions
		1 March	8 March	15 March	22 March
T H U R S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	9.00 -12.00 HLS (cont'd)	9.00 -12.00 Annual full-day meeting on the rights of the child (res. 16/12)	Item 6 (cont'd) 9.00 -12.00 Consideration of UPR-reports*	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
	13.00 – 15.00	12.00-15.00 Annual discussion on HR & persons with disability (res 16/15)	12.00-15.00 Item 3 (cont'd) General debate (cont'd)	Item 6 (cont'd) 12.00-15.00 Consideration of UPR-reports*	Break
	15.00 – 18.00	15.00 -18.00 HLS - General Segment	15.00 -18.00 Annual full-day meeting on the rights of the child (res. 16/12)	15.00 -18.00 Item 6 (cont'd) Consideration of UPR-reports*	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
		2 March	9 March	16 March	23 March
F R I D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	Item 2 HC annual report, followed by Interactive Dialogue with HC	Starts at 9.00 a.m. Item 3 (cont'd) General debate	9.00 -12.00 Item 6 (cont'd) Consideration of UPR-reports*	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
	13.00 – 15.00	Break	Break	12.00-15.00 Item 6 (cont'd) - Consideration of UPR-reports* Consideration of UPR-reports	Break
	15.00 – 18.00	Item 2 (cont'd) -ID with HC (cont'd) - HC/SG thematic reports (Item 2) - HC/SG thematic reports (Item 3) General debate	Item 4: Individual ID with: ID - COI Libya Follow-up to SS 15th -- Item 5 Complaint Procedure [Closed meeting]	15.00 -18.00 Item 6 (cont'd) General debate	Decisions and conclusion (cont'd) Report of the session

* Provisional timetable for agenda item 6 - UPR (14-16 March 2012):

	Wednesday, 14 March
15:00– 18:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tajikistan – United Republic of Tanzania – Antigua and Barbuda
	Thursday, 15 March
09:00– 12:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Swaziland – Trinidad and Tobago – Thailand
12:00– 15:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Ireland – Togo – Syrian Arab Republic
15:00– 18:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) – Iceland – Zimbabwe
	Friday, 16 March
09:00– 12:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Lithuania – Uganda – Timor Leste
12:00– 15:00	Consideration of the UPR reports of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Republic of Moldova – Haiti – Libya
15:00– 18:00	General debate

Information note for ease of reference on speaking time arrangements

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<i>Type of discussion</i>	<i>Member States (min.)</i>	<i>Observer States and other observers (min.)</i>	<i>NHRIs/NGOs (min.)</i>
Interactive dialogue with the High Commissioner	3'	2'	2' per NHRI/NGO (30' approx. in total)
Interactive dialogues for thematic mandates (clustered)	5'	3'	3' per NHRI/NGO (30' approx. in total for three Rapporteurs) 3' per NHRI/NGO (20' approx. in total for two Rapporteurs)
Interactive dialogue for country and other mandates (when individual)	3'	2'	2' per NHRI /NGO (10' approx. in total)
General debate for all Items	3'	2'	2' per NHRI /NGO
Panels	3' / 2'	2'	2' per NHRI /NGO

- For **General Debates (GD)**, all delegates are requested to inscribe in person at the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX, which is open for all items on the first day of the session.
- For **Interactive Dialogues (ID) and Panels**, delegates are requested to raise their nameplates. NHRIs and NGOs* are requested to approach the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX.
- For the **consideration of UPR outcomes under Item 6**, a timetable for the opening of the lists of speakers for countries concerned was circulated via Note Verbale on 27 January 2012. All delegates are requested to inscribe in person at the List of Speakers Desk in Room XX from 8.45 am. NHRIs and NGOs are requested to approach the List of Speakers Desk outside Room XX.

* To confirm on-line pre-registration request.