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Proposed programme of work for Executive Board sessions in 2017

The attached programme of work for the 2017 Executive Board sessions has been prepared by the secretariat in consultation with the Bureau of the Executive Board on the basis of statutory requirements, requests arising from specific decisions by or discussions within the Executive Board or proposals by the secretariat.

It is recommended that the Executive Board adopt the programme of work for Executive Board sessions in 2017 as a flexible framework subject to revisions as appropriate in the course of the year.

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UNICEF Executive Board

Proposed programme of work for Executive Board sessions in 2017

Joint meeting of the Executive Boards
of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF,
UN-Women and WFP
(date to be confirmed)

*First regular session
7-10 February 2017*

*Annual session
13-16 June 2017*

*Second regular session
12-15 September 2017*

Organizational and procedural matters

Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the Executive Board (*D*) (January 2017)¹

Programme and policy matters

Updated road map to and outline of the Strategic Plan for 2018-2021 (*I*)

Results-based budgeting and assessment of the resource allocation system (*D*)

UNICEF programme cooperation:
Country programme documents (*D*)

Extensions of ongoing country programmes (*D*)

Oral report on UNICEF follow-up to recommendations and decisions of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) Programme Coordinating Board meetings (*I*)

Oral update on UNICEF humanitarian action (*I*)

Evaluation, audit and oversight matters

Evaluation reports and management responses (*I*)

Organizational and procedural matters

Programme and policy matters

Annual report of the Executive Director of UNICEF (*D*)

UNICEF report on the recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit² (*I*)

UNICEF Strategic Plan, 2018-2021: draft for review (*I*)

Annual report on the implementation of the UNICEF Gender Action Plan, 2014-2017 (*I*)

UNICEF programme cooperation:
Country programme documents (*D*)

Extensions of ongoing country programmes (*D*)

Evaluation, audit and oversight matters

Annual report on the evaluation function and major evaluations in UNICEF, and management perspective (*D*)

Organizational and procedural matters

Proposed programme of work for Executive Board sessions in 2018 (*D*)

Programme and policy matters

UNICEF programme cooperation:
Country programme documents (*D*)

Extensions of ongoing country programmes (*D*)

UNICEF Strategic Plan, 2018-2021 (*D*)

Oral update on UNICEF humanitarian action (*I*)

Evaluation, audit and oversight matters

Evaluation reports and management responses (*I*)

¹ This date is tentative.

² The report is considered under the agenda item, "Annual report of the Executive Director of UNICEF".

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Evaluation reports and management responses (I)

Report of the Ethics Office of UNICEF (I)

Office of Internal Audit and Investigations annual report to the Executive Board, and management response (D)

UNICEF Audit Advisory Committee annual report for 2016 (I)

Resource, financial and budgetary matters

UNICEF annual financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2015 and report of the Board of Auditors (I)

Private fundraising: 2017 workplan and proposed budget (D)

Resource, financial and budgetary matters

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UNICEF integrated budget, 2018-2021 (D)

UNICEF integrated budget, 2018-2021: report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions³ (I)

Private fundraising and partnerships: financial report for the year ended 31 December 2016 (I)

Other matters

Provisional list of agenda items for the annual session of 2017

Other matters

Address by the Chairperson of the UNICEF Global Staff Association

Reports of the field visits of the Executive Board (I)

Provisional list of agenda items for the second regular session of 2017

Other matters

Provisional list of agenda items for the first regular session of 2018

Note:

(D) — *For decision:* The secretariat prepares documentation on the agenda item. The Executive Board is expected to discuss and adopt a decision under the agenda item.

(I) — *For information:* The secretariat prepares documentation for information. The Executive Board may opt to take a decision under the agenda item.

³ The report is considered under the agenda item, “UNICEF integrated budget, 2018-2021”.