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Provisional agenda for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission

Provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly:

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the social dimensions of the New Partnership for Africa's Development

- (a) Priority theme: strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all

- (b) Review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups:
 - (i) World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons;
 - (ii) Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities;
 - (iii) World Programme of Action for Youth;
 - (iv) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002;
 - (v) Family issues, policies and programmes;



Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the objectives of the International Year of the Family and its follow-up processes

Report of the Secretary-General on the third review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002

- (c) Emerging issues (to be determined).

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat on emerging issues

- 4. Programme questions and other matters.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat on the proposed biennial programme plan for the period 2020-2021: subprogramme 2, Social policy and development, of programme 7, Economic and social affairs

- 5. Provisional agenda for the fifty-seventh session of the Commission.
- 6. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-sixth session.
