

DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 37TH SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (26 FEBRUARY - 23 MARCH 2018)

Version of 19 December 2017 (PROVISIONAL AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

		WEEK 1		WEEK 2		WEEK 3		WEEK 4	
		26 February		5 March		12 March		19 March	
M O N D A Y	9.00	<b>ITEM 1</b> Opening of session High-level segment (HLS)	9.00	<b>ANNUAL FULL-DAY MEETING: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (res. 7/29 &amp; 34/16)</b>	9.00	<b>ITEM 4 - IDs with:</b> - SR on DPRK - SR on Islamic Republic of Iran - FFM on Myanmar (oral update)	9.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 6</b>	
	12.00		12.00		12.00		12.00		
	12.00		12.00		12.00		12.00		
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00		
T U E S D A Y	12.00	HLS (cont'd)	12.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>Clustered ID with:</b> - SR privacy - SR sale of children	12.00	<b>IDs with:</b> - FFM on Myanmar (cont'd) - SR on Myanmar	12.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 7</b>	
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 8</b>	
	15.00	<b>ANNUAL HIGH-LEVEL PANEL: HUMAN RIGHTS MAINSTREAMING (res. 16/21)</b>	15.00	<b>ANNUAL FULL-DAY MEETING: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (res. 7/29 &amp; 34/16)</b>	15.00	<b>IDs with:</b> - Enhanced ID on Eritrea	15.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 8 (cont'd)</b> <b>ITEM 9</b> - Reports of Ad Hoc Committee, IGWG on DDPA and HC on HRC res. 34/32 - <b>General debate on ITEM 9</b>	
	18.00		18.00		18.00		18.00		
		27 February		6 March		13 March		20 March	
T U E S D A Y	9.00	HLS (cont'd)	9.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>Clustered ID with SRSGs:</b> - violence against children - children and armed conflict	9.00	<b>HIGH-LEVEL PANEL DISCUSSION: HUMAN RIGHTS OF CHILDREN IN SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC (res. 36/20)</b>	10.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 9 (cont'd)</b>	
	12.00		12.00		12.00		13.00		
	12.00		12.00		12.00		13.00		
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00		
W E D N E S D A Y	15.00	HLS (cont'd)	15.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b>	15.00	<b>ITEM 4</b> <b>ID with COI on the Syrian Arab Republic</b>	15.00	<b>BREAK</b>	
	15.00		15.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>Clustered ID with:</b> - SR disabilities - IE albinism <i>accessible</i>	15.00	<b>ID with Commission on South Sudan</b>	15.00	<b>ITEM 10</b> - ID with IE on Mali (cont'd) - ID on HC report on Libya	
	15.00	HLS (cont'd)	15.00		15.00		15.00		
	18.00		18.00		18.00		18.00		
		28 February		7 March		14 March		21 March	
W E D N E S D A Y	9.00	HLS (cont'd)	10.00	<b>ITEM 2 - HC annual report (presentation only)</b>	9.00	<b>ITEM 4</b> <b>Oral update by COI Burundi and HC on DPRK and Eritrea, followed by General debate on ITEM 4</b>	9.00	<b>ITEM 10</b> - ID on HC oral report on Ukraine - Enhanced ID on HC oral update on the Democratic Republic of the Congo	
	12.00		13.00		12.00		12.00		
	12.00		13.00		12.00		12.00		
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00		
T H U R S D A Y	15.00	<b>General segment</b> <b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID with:</b> - IE foreign debt - SR adequate housing	13.00	<b>BREAK</b>	12.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 4 (cont'd)</b>	12.00	- Enhanced ID on HC oral update on the Democratic Republic of the Congo (cont'd)	
	15.00		15.00		15.00	<b>ITEM 3</b> <b>ID with SR minorities</b>	15.00		
	15.00	<b>HIGH-LEVEL PANEL: 70<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF UDHR AND 25<sup>th</sup> OF VDPA (res. 35/1)</b> <i>accessible</i>	15.00	<b>ANNUAL DEBATE: RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (res. 7/9 and 31/6)</b> <i>accessible</i>	15.00	<b>ITEM 5</b> - Report of Forum on Minority Issues - Report of Social Forum - SP annual report by CC chair - <b>General debate on ITEM 5</b>	15.00	<b>ITEM 2</b> - <b>HC/SG country reports or oral briefings</b> (Burundi, Colombia, Cyprus, Guatemala, Honduras, Iran, Sri Lanka) followed by <b>General debate</b> <b>ITEM 10</b> - <b>Other HC/SG country reports or oral briefings</b> (Afghanistan, Cambodia, Haiti, Yemen) - HC annual presentation on technical cooperation - Presentation of Report of Board of Trustees of Voluntary Fund Technical Cooperation followed by <b>General debate</b>	
	18.00		18.00		18.00		18.00		
		1 March		8 March		15 March		22 March	
T H U R S D A Y	9.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b>	9.00	<b>ITEM 2 - ID with the HC</b>	9.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 5 (cont'd)</b>	9.00	<b>ITEM 1</b> <b>Decisions and conclusions</b>	
	12.00		12.00		10.00		12.00		
	12.00		12.00		10.00		12.00		
	15.00		15.00		12.00		15.00		
F R I D A Y	15.00	<b>Clustered ID with:</b> - SR human rights defenders - SR torture	12.00	<b>ID with the HC (cont'd)</b>	12.00	<b>UPR outcomes</b> Czechia, Argentina	12.00	<b>Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)</b>	
	15.00		15.00		15.00	<b>UPR outcomes</b> Gabon, Ghana, Peru	15.00		
	15.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>Clustered ID with:</b> - SR terrorism - SR cultural rights	15.00	<b>ITEM 3</b> - Report of IGWG on transnational corporations - <b>HC/OHCHR/SG thematic reports</b> - <b>General debate on ITEM 3</b>	15.00	<b>UPR outcomes</b> Guatemala, Switzerland, Republic of Korea	15.00	<b>Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)</b>	
	18.00		18.00		18.00		18.00		
		2 March		9 March		16 March		23 March	
F R I D A Y	9.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>ITEM 3 Individual ID with:</b> - SR freedom of religion	10.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 3 (cont'd)</b>	9.00	<b>DEBATE ON PROMOTING TOLERANCE IN CONTEXT OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (GA res. 72/157)</b>	9.00	<b>Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)</b>	
	12.00		13.00		12.00		12.00		
	12.00		13.00		12.00		12.00		
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00		
T U E S D A Y	15.00	<b>ITEM 3 Individual ID (cont'd)</b> <b>ITEM 3 Clustered ID on joint study on transitional justice with:</b> - SR truth and justice - SA prevention of genocide	13.00	<b>BREAK</b>	12.00	<b>ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes</b> Benin, Pakistan, Zambia	12.00	<b>Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)</b>	
	15.00		15.00		15.00		15.00		
	15.00	<b>ITEM 3 - Clustered ID (cont'd)</b> <b>Clustered ID with:</b> - SR environment - SR food	15.00	<b>General debate on ITEM 3 (cont'd)</b>	15.00	<b>ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes</b> Japan, Ukraine, Sri Lanka	15.00	<b>Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)</b> - Appointment of mandate holders - Adoption of session report	
	18.00		18.00		18.00		18.00		

Number of meetings: 57