

Draft Programme of Work for the 1st part of the 6th session of the Human Rights Council
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		1st week	2 nd week	3rd week
M O N D A Y	a.m.	10.09 Item 1 Organizational & procedural matters	17.09 <i>(Election of the President of the WG RtD-in the margins of the session)</i>	24.09 Item 4 HR situations that require the HRC's attention • Res. OM/1/3 (Follow-up)
	p.m.	<i>Informal Meeting</i> <i>(wrap-up from the facilitators and debates thereon: pending issues on IB)</i>	Item 5 HR bodies and mechanisms • SP mandate-holders: technical requirements	Assessment of mandates • SR on the Right to Food • SR on Indigenous People
T U E S D A Y	a.m.	11.09 <i>Cont'd</i>	• HRC Advisory Committee: technical requirements	18.09 25.09 Assessment of mandates • IE on Haiti Item 10 Technical assistance & capacity building • T. Pacéré (DRC)
	p.m.	<i>Cont'd</i>	Item 5 (Cont'd) Former WGs (Indigenous, Slavery, Minorities, Social Forum)	Assessment of mandates • IE on Burundi – tbc • SR on Sudan – tbc
W E D N E S D A Y	a.m.	12.09 <i>Cont'd</i>	• WG on Communications	19.09 26.09 <i>Cont'd</i> • IE on DRC - tbc
	p.m.	<i>Cont'd</i> <i>Simulation of the UPR exercise</i>	Item 6 Universal Periodic Review • Guidelines	<i>Cont'd</i>
T H U R S D A Y	a.m.	13.09 Item 2 Annual report of the United Nations High Commissioner on Human Rights and other reports¹ Item 3 Promotion & protection of HR Reports of SP and ID A. Jahangir (Freedom of religion or belief) R. Rizki (HR & Int'l Solidarity)	20.09 Item 7 HR Situation in Palestine and other occupied Arab territories • Res. OM/1/2 (Follow up)	27.09 Conclusions and decisions
	p.m.	*** Statement by the High Commissioner *** Item 9 Racism, follow-up & implementation of the DDPA • D. Diène (Racism) Item 3 (Cont'd) • WG on OPCESCR	Item 3 (Cont'd) • R. Coomaraswamy (Children & armed conflict) – tbc Item 8 Follow-up & implementation of the VDPA Discussions on gender perspective in the work of HRC	<i>(Cont'd)</i>
F R I D A Y	a.m.	14.09 Item 3 (Cont'd) Reports • Other reports ²	21.09 Item 9 (Cont'd) • Durban PrepCom - discussions • WG on follow-up to Durban	28.09 <i>(Cont'd)</i>
	p.m.	Assessment of mandates • SR on Freedom of religion or belief • WG on Arb. Detention	Item 6 (Cont'd) Universal Periodic Review • Selection of countries to be evaluated by the WG on UPR in 2008	<i>(Cont'd)</i>

¹ These reports shall be discussed under Item 3 in relation with the respective thematic issues

² Reports requested by HRC resolutions: unilateral coercive measures (Res. 4/103), access to water (Res. 2/104), defamation of religion (Res. 4/9)