



Eighty-Eighth Session  
10 – 13 July 2018

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## TENTATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 10–13 JULY 2018

### **Tuesday, 10 July 2018**

#### **10:00 – 13:00**

Agenda Item 1	Opening of the session
Agenda Item 2	Adoption of the agenda
Agenda Item 3	Opening statement by the Director-General
Agenda Item 4	Reports by the Vice-Chairpersons on the activities conducted under their respective clusters of issues
Agenda Item 5	General debate

#### **13:15 – 14:45**

Ooms Room

Science for Diplomats: “The Chemical Universe, Scheduled and Unscheduled”

#### **15:00 – 18:00**

Agenda Item 5

General debate, *continued*

Agenda Item 6

Status of implementation of the Chemical Weapons Convention, (open mode):

Subitem 6(e)

Facility agreements

Subitem 6(h)

Timely submission of declarations under Article VI

Subitem 6(i)

Article VII: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat

Subitem 6(j)

The content of the assistance and protection data bank and its use

Subitem 6(k)

Article X: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat

Subitem 6(l)

Article XI: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat

Subitem 6(m)

Report by the Director-General on the Technical Secretariat’s readiness to conduct a challenge inspection or an investigation of alleged use

### **Wednesday, 11 July 2018**

#### **10:00 – 13:00**

Agenda Item 6

Status of implementation of the Chemical Weapons Convention, *continued*  
(classified mode):

Subitem 6(a)

Reports by the Director-General on destruction-related issues

Subitem 6(b)

Implementation of the Conference of the States Parties and Executive Council decisions on destruction-related issues



- Subitem 6(f) Verification Implementation Report for 2017  
Status of implementation of the Chemical Weapons  
Convention, *continued*  
(open mode):
- Subitem 6(c) Elimination of the Syrian chemical weapons programme
- Subitem 6(d) Other verification-related issues
- Subitem 6(g) Technical Secretariat's activities: update on the OPCW  
Fact-Finding Mission in Syria

**15:00 – 18:00**

- Agenda Item 7 OPCW Central Analytical Database
- Agenda Item 8 Report of the Scientific Advisory Board
- Agenda Item 9 Countering chemical terrorism
- Agenda Item 10 Draft annual report of the OPCW on the implementation of  
the Chemical Weapons Convention in 2017
- Agenda Item 11 Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight:
- Subitem 11(a) Implementation in 2017 of the recommendations contained in  
the 2016 annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight
- Subitem 11(b) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight for the  
period from 1 January to 31 December 2017
- Agenda Item 12 Administrative and financial matters:
- Subitem 12(a) Report of the Advisory Body on Administrative and  
Financial Matters
- Subitem 12(b) Nominations for membership of the Advisory Body on  
Administrative and Financial Matters
- Subitem 12(c) Transfers of funds during 2017
- Subitem 12(d) Report on the status of implementation of the enterprise  
resource planning system
- Subitem 12(e) Composition of the Technical Secretariat
- Subitem 12(f) Report by the Director-General on the implementation of the  
tenure policy in 2017

**Thursday, 12 July 2018**

**10:00 – 13:00**

- Agenda Item 13 Follow-up process to the Third Review Conference<sup>1</sup>
- Agenda Item 14 Credentials of representatives of the members of the  
Executive Council
- Agenda Item 15 Provisional agenda for the Twenty-Third Session of the  
Conference of the States Parties
- Agenda Item 16 Dates for the regular sessions of the Executive Council in  
2019
- Agenda Item 17 Briefing by the Co-Chairpersons of the Open-Ended Working  
Group on the Future Priorities of the OPCW
- Agenda Item 18 Briefing by the Chairperson of the Open-Ended Working  
Group for the Preparation of the Fourth Review Conference<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Third Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties to Review the Operation of the Chemical Weapons Convention.

<sup>2</sup> Fourth Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties to Review the Operation of the Chemical Weapons Convention

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Agenda Item 20

**Friday, 13 July 2018**

**10:00 – 13:00**

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Agenda Item 21

**13:15 – 14:15**

Ooms Room

Technical Secretariat: Remote Verification – Demonstration  
of Live Streaming Video in Libya

Any other business

Adoption of the report

Adoption of the report, *continued ( if required)*

Closure

Technical Secretariat: New OPCW Website Demonstration

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