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TENTATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE NINETY-SECOND SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 8–11 OCTOBER 2019

Tuesday, 8 October 2019

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 1	Opening of the session
Agenda Item 2	Adoption of the agenda
Agenda Item 3	Replacement of the Vice-Chairperson of the Executive Council from the GRULAC ¹ region
Agenda Item 4	Opening statement by the Director-General
Agenda Item 5	Reports by the Vice-Chairpersons on the activities conducted under their respective clusters of issues
Agenda Item 6	General debate

13:15 – 14:45

Ooms Room	Science for Diplomats: “Chemical Action on Life Processes: Exploring the Systems Biology of Toxic Chemicals”
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15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 6	General debate, continued
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Wednesday, 9 October 2019

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 6	General debate, continued
Agenda Item 7	Status of implementation of the Convention :
Subitem 7(a)	Reports by the Director-General on destruction-related issues
Subitem 7(b)	Implementation of the Conference of the States Parties and Executive Council decisions on destruction-related issues
Subitem 7(c)	Elimination of the Syrian chemical weapons programme
Subitem 7(d)	Other verification-related issues

13:15 – 14:15

Ooms Room	Upgrading the OPCW Laboratory and the Equipment Store to a Centre for Chemistry and Technology
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¹ Group of Latin American and Caribbean States.



15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 7	Status of implementation of the Convention, continued
Subitem 7(e)	Destruction-related plans and facility agreements
Subitem 7(f)	Supplement to the Verification Implementation Report for 2018
Subitem 7(g)	Addressing the threat from chemical weapons use
Subitem 7(h)	Technical Secretariat's activities: update on the OPCW Fact-Finding Mission in Syria
Subitem 7(i)	Status of implementation of Article VII
Subitem 7(j)	Status of implementation of Article X
Subitem 7(k)	Status of implementation of Article XI
Subitem 7(l)	Progress made in the implementation of the action plan for the universality of the Convention
Agenda Item 8	Report of the Scientific Advisory Board
Agenda Item 9	Countering chemical terrorism
Agenda Item 10	Education and outreach

Thursday, 10 October 2019

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 11	Administrative and Financial matters:
Subitem 11(a)	Rules of Procedure of the Advisory Body on Administrative and Financial Matters
Subitem 11(b)	Report of the Advisory Body on Administrative and Financial Matters
Subitem 11(c)	Financial Statements of the OPCW and the External Auditor's report for the year ending 31 December 2018
Subitem 11(d)	Submission of the 2019 Financial Statements to the External Auditor
Subitem 11(e)	Status of implementation of the recommendations of the External Auditor
Subitem 11(f)	Cash situation and the use of the Working Capital Fund for the financial year to 31 August 2019
Subitem 11(g)	Recommendation for write-offs of irrecoverable accounts receivable and losses of assets
Subitem 11(h)	Report on the status of implementation of the enterprise resource planning system
Subitem 11(i)	Draft Programme and Budget of the OPCW for 2020, and all items pertaining to this Budget, including relevant special funds and the cash surplus for 2017
Subitem 11(j)	Extension of the Special Fund for OPCW Special Missions
Subitem 11(k)	Status of implementation by States Parties of agreed multi-year payment plans to regularise the payment of their outstanding annual contributions
Subitem 11(l)	Implementation of the amendment to the Staff Regulations regarding downward classification of posts during the period from 14 August 2018 to 13 August 2019
Subitem 11(m)	Rehiring of inspectors
Subitem 11(n)	Transition of the OPCW to a biennial programme and budget cycle

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Agenda Item 12

Agenda Item 13

Agenda Item 14

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Agenda Item 18

The OPCW Programme for Africa

Draft report of the Executive Council on the performance of its activities

Follow-up process to the Third Review Conference²

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country

Some aspects of preparations for the Twenty-Fourth Session of the Conference of the States Parties

Any other business

Adoption of the report

Friday, 11 October 2019

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 18

Agenda Item 19

Adoption of the report (continued, if required)

Closure

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Third Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties to Review the Operation of the Chemical Weapons Convention.