

## **Executive Council**

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## NOTE BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL

## PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SIXTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- 1. The Director-General has the honour to transmit to the Executive Council (hereinafter "the Council") the revised provisional agenda for its Sixty-Ninth Session, prepared in consultation with the Chairperson of the Council in accordance with Rule 16 of its Rules of Procedure.
- 2. The revised annotated provisional agenda will be circulated in due course.

## PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SIXTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- 1. Opening of the session
- 2. Adoption of the agenda
- 3. Opening statement by the Director-General
- 4. Reports by the Vice-Chairpersons on the activities conducted under their respective clusters of issues
- 5. Status of implementation of the Convention:
  - (a) Reports by the Director-General on destruction-related issues
  - (b) Implementation of the Conference of the States Parties and Executive Council decisions on destruction-related issues
  - (c) Other verification-related issues
  - (d) Conversion of former chemical weapons production facilities
  - (e) Verification Implementation Report for 2011
  - (f) Content and use of the OPCW data bank on protection
  - (g) Timely submission of declarations under Article VI
  - (h) Status of implementation of Article XI
- 6. General debate
- 7. Draft annual report of the OPCW for 2011
- 8. OPCW Central Analytical Database
- 9. Report of the Office of Internal Oversight for 2011
- 10. Report of the Scientific Advisory Board
- 11. Administrative and financial matters:
  - (a) Report of the Advisory Body on Administrative and Financial Matters
  - (b) Status of implementation of the recommendations of the External Auditor
  - (c) Composition of the Technical Secretariat
  - (d) Report by the Director-General on the implementation of the tenure policy in 2011
- 12. Credentials of representatives to the Executive Council

- 13. Provisional agenda for the Seventeenth Session of the Conference of the States Parties
- 14. Dates for regular sessions of the Executive Council in 2013
- 15. Any other business:

Technical briefing by the Secretariat on the ongoing work by the Open-Ended Working Group for the Preparation of the Third Review Conference<sup>1</sup>

- 16. Adoption of the report
- 17. Closure

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