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TENTATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE EIGHTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 12 – 15 JULY 2016

Tuesday, 12 July 2016

10:00 – 13:00

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| 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 |

15:00 – 18:00

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| Agenda Item 5 | General debate, continued |
| Agenda Item 6 | Status of implementation of the Convention: |
| Subitem 6(f) | Timely submission of declarations under Article VI |
| Subitem 6(g) | Article VII: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat |
| Subitem 6(h) | The content of the assistance-and-protection data bank and its use |
| Subitem 6(i) | Article X: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat |
| Subitem 6(j) | Article XI: briefings by the facilitator and by the Technical Secretariat |
| Subitem 6(k) | Report by the Director-General on the Technical Secretariat's readiness to conduct a challenge inspection or an investigation of alleged use |

Wednesday, 13 July 2016

10:00 – 13:00

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| Agenda Item 6 | Status of implementation of the Convention, (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(c) | Other verification-related issues |



13:30 – 14:45

Ooms Room

Science for Diplomats: Isotopic Labels, Stereoisomers and Scheduled Chemicals. Why Does This Matter? A Review of the SAB's Advice

15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 6

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

Subitem 6(d) Verification Implementation Report for 2015

Status of implementation of the Convention, continued (open mode):

Subitem 6(b) Implementation of the Conference of the States Parties and Executive Council decisions on destruction-related issues, continued

Subitem 6(c) Other verification-related issues, continued

Subitem 6(e) Technical Secretariat's activities: update on the OPCW Fact-Finding Mission in Syria

Agenda Item 7

Countering Chemical Terrorism

Agenda Item 8

OPCW Central Analytical Database

Agenda Item 9

Report of the Scientific Advisory Board

Agenda Item 10

Draft annual report of the OPCW on the implementation of the Convention in 2015

Thursday, 14 July 2016

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 11

Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight:

Subitem 11(a) Implementation in 2015 of the recommendations contained in the 2014 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 2015

Agenda Item 12

Administrative and financial matters:

Subitem 12(a) Status of implementation of the External Auditor's recommendations

Subitem 12(b) Report of the Advisory Body on Administrative and Financial Matters

Subitem 12(c) Transfers of funds during 2015

Subitem 12(d) Report on the status of implementation of the enterprise-resource-planning system

Subitem 12(e) Financial situation of the OPCW

Subitem 12(f) Composition of the Technical Secretariat

Subitem 12(g) Report by the Director-General on the implementation of the tenure policy in 2015

Agenda Item 13
Agenda Item 14

Follow-up process to the Third Review Conference¹
Education and outreach

13:30 – 14:45

Ooms Room

Technical Secretariat's presentation on Recruitment & Selection Practices: "Towards a Growing Partnership with Member States for Talent Acquisition for the OPCW"

15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 15

Credentials of representatives of the members of the Executive Council

Agenda item 16

Provisional agenda for the Twenty-First Session of the Conference of the States Parties

Agenda Item 17

Dates for regular sessions of the Executive Council in 2017

Agenda Item 18

Memorandum of understanding between the OPCW and the World Customs Organization

Agenda Item 19

Establishment of an Open-Ended Working Group on the Future Priorities of the OPCW

Agenda Item 20

Any other business

Friday, 15 July 2016

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 21

Adoption of the report

Agenda Item 22

Closure

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