## TENTATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK
FOR THE EIGHTY-THIRD SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
11 – 14 OCTOBER 2016

### Tuesday, 11 October 2016
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- **Agenda Item 2**
  - Adoption of the agenda
- **Agenda Item 3**
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- **Agenda Item 5**
  - General debate

15:00 – 18:00
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    - Subitem 6(f) Technical Secretariat’s activities: update on the OPCW Fact-Finding Mission in Syria
    - Subitem 6(g) Status of implementation of Article VII
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