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

Tuesday, 11 October 2016

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

15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 5	General debate, continued
Agenda Item 6	Status of implementation of the Convention, (open mode):
Subitem 6(e)	Destruction-related plans and facility agreements
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
Subitem 6(h)	Status of implementation of Article X
Subitem 6(i)	Status of implementation of Article XI
Subitem 6(j)	Progress made in the implementation of the action plan for the universality of the Convention

Wednesday, 12 October 2016

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 10	Subitem 10(f) Financial Statements of the OPCW and the External Auditor's report for the year ending 31 December 2015
Agenda Item 6	Status of implementation of the 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(c)	Other verification-related issues



13:30 – 14:45

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Science for Diplomats: Chemical Weapons Sample Stability and Storage

15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 6

- Status of implementation of the Convention, continued (classified mode):
- Subitem 6(c) Other verification-related issues, continued
 - Subitem 6(d) Supplement to the 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

Thursday, 13 October 2016

10:00 – 13:00

Agenda Item 7

Countering Chemical Terrorism

Agenda Item 8

Follow-up process to the Third Review Conference¹

Agenda Item 9

Education and outreach

Agenda Item 10

Administrative and financial matters, continued:

- Subitem 10(a) Report of the Advisory Body on Administrative and Financial Matters
- Subitem 10(b) Cash deficit for 2014
- Subitem 10(c) Transfers of funds during 2015
- Subitem 10(d) Report on the status of implementation of the enterprise-resource-planning system
- Subitem 10(e) Draft Programme and Budget of the OPCW for 2017, and all items pertaining to this Budget
- Subitem 10(g) Status of implementation of the recommendations of the External Auditor
- Subitem 10(h) Cash situation and the use of the Working Capital Fund for the financial year to 31 August 2016
- Subitem 10(i) Status of implementation by States Parties of agreed multi-year payment plans to regularise the payment of their outstanding annual contributions
- Subitem 10(j) Recommendation for write-offs of irrecoverable accounts receivable and of losses of assets
- Subitem 10(k) Implementation of the amendment to the Staff Regulations regarding downward classification of posts during the period from 14 August 2015 to 13 August 2016
- Subitem 10(l) Special Fund for OPCW Special Missions

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

15:00 – 18:00

Agenda Item 11

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Agenda Item 15

The OPCW Programme for Africa

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

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country

Memorandum of understanding between the OPCW and the World Customs Organization

Any other business

Friday, 14 October 2016

10:00 – 13:00

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Agenda Item 17

Adoption of the report

Closure

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