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KOREA 2 LONGTERM MEASURES TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
SOCIAL PROGRAMMES KOREA

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(2) LONG-TERM MEASURES TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SOCIAL  
PROGRAMMES KOREA.

YATES

F. P. Green

Executive Officer, ECA



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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. G.E. Yates, Secretary to the Economic and Social Council

From: Mr. D. Varley

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Our Ref: .....

Geneva, 15 August 1950

Your Ref: .....

Subject: Item 5(a) (ii) "Eligibility of Associate Members  
of the Regional Economic Commissions for Technical  
Assistance under General Assembly Resolution 200(III)"

The following information might be helpful when this item comes up:

1. Report of the Economic Committee of the 10th Session of the Council on the Item "Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East: Action Arising out of Resolutions of the Fifth Session" (document E/1603) stated:  
"The Committee decided to defer consideration of the draft resolution proposed by the Delegation of Chile (E/AC.6/L.1 and E/AC.6/L.1/Corr.1) to the eleventh session of the Council."
2. The decisions of the Plenary of the 10th session (349th meeting) do not refer to the decision of the Economic Committee to defer consideration of the Chilean proposal.
3. Copies of the Chilean proposal are attached.

Copy to Mr. Weintraub



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9 February 1950

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Tenth session

Item 11

ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST

ACTION ARISING OUT OF RESOLUTIONS  
OF THE FIFTH SESSION

Chile: draft resolution

The Economic and Social Council,

Having considered the two resolutions adopted by the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East on 29 October 1949 (E/CN.11/226 and 231), and the Secretary-General's comments thereon contained in paragraphs 63 through 66 of his third report of activities under General Assembly resolution 200 (III) (document E/1576);

Recognizing that several self-governing countries responsible for their international relations and participating as Associate Members in the work of the regional economic commissions are unable to obtain from the United Nations any technical assistance for their economic development; and

In view of the urgency of their need for such technical assistance;

Recommends that the General Assembly approve the following draft resolution:

The General Assembly,

Taking account of the fact that several self-governing countries which participate as Associate Members in the work of regional economic commissions of the United Nations, are unable to obtain technical assistance from the United Nations under General Assembly resolution 200 (III) and

In view of the urgency of their need for technical assistance for economic development,

Decides to amend the first clause of paragraph 3 of resolution 200 (III) by inserting after the words "Member Governments" the words "and any non-member country which is responsible for its international relations and participates as an associate member in the work of any of the regional economic commissions of the United Nations".



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Corrigendum

Second paragraph:

1. Substitute for the words: "unable to obtain"  
the words: "not now eligible to request".
2. After the words: "economic development"  
insert the words: "under General Assembly resolution 200 (III)"

Fifth paragraph:

Substitute for the words: "unable to obtain"  
the words: "not now eligible to request"

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President.

Item 26, Children, is fixed for Friday in the plenary by general request, and it is also very desirable to do item 32 (b) - Statelessness Convention - in time before the Ad Hoc Committee starts on Monday. The only other social subject that can be added is 24 (Slavery). On Item 31 (U.N. Laboratories) the French and Laugier press very strongly that it should not be taken before Monday; Boris also does not want 22 (Forced Labour), as he hopes to get it off the agenda without discussion. So in case the plenary finishes before 5 o'clock, the Social Committee could meet in the same room and go back to Item 32 (a) (the High Commissioner for Refugees).

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3 avenue Stéphane Mallarmé

Paris

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Secrétariat ECOSOC - Palais des Nations, Genève



Apéndice 11<sup>th</sup>

Ginebra, 24 de julio de 1950.

Senor Observador de Argentina ante  
el Consejo Económico y Social:

Tengo el honor de comunicarle que el Consejo Económico y Social tomó conocimiento, en su sesión matinal de hoy, de su comunicación de fecha 20 del presente.

El Consejo, por unanimidad, acordó acceder a su petición.

En consecuencia, de acuerdo con el artículo 69 de la Carta, Argentina puede participar, sin derecho a voto, en la discusión del Punto 14 del Orden del Día: Informe de la Comisión Económica para América Latina.

Saluda a Ud. muy atentamente,

Hernán Santa Cruz  
Presidente del Consejo Económico  
y Social.

al señor don Julio C. Rodríguez Arias  
Consejero Económico y Observador de Argentina ante el  
Consejo Económico y Social de las Naciones Unidas.

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ECOGN 170 BARAKAT HAYWARD EX YATES

PLENARY POSTPONED ITEM 26 TO 3RD AUGUST.



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ECOGN 170 BARAKAT HAYWARD EXYATES

PLENARY POSTPONED ITEM 26 TO 3RD AUGUST

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DAVIDSON CHILDFUND PARIS (France)

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G.E.Yates, A.280.

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ECOGN 132 CORDIER BARAKAT EXYATES

YOUR ECOLS 74 ITEM 4 IS INCLUDED PROGRAMME WEEK COMMENCING

17TH JULY PROBABLY COMMENCE WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY

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ECOGN 137 HAYWARD EXYATES

JULY 26TH PROVISIONALLY FIXED FOR OPENING ITEM 26 CONTINUING  
NEEDS STOP DAVIDSON INFORMED.



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ECOGN 132 CORDIER BARAKAT EXYATES

YOUR ECOLS 74 ITEM 4 IS INCLUDED PROGRAMME WEEK COMMENCING  
17TH JULY PROBABLY COMMENCE WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY.

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ECOGN 95. CAUSTIN EX WEINTRAUB. YOUR ECOLS 51.

1. ITEM POSTPONED TO NEXT MEETING TAB AND TO COVER  
GENERAL QUESTION OF RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVES AND NOT  
REPRESENTATIVES TAB. SUGGEST OUR PAPER COVER ONLY  
OUR PRESENT PRACTICES.

2. YES.

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ECOGN 61

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ex. YATES

PLEASE INFORM THOSE INTERESTED EXPECT ITEM 6 START  
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ECOGN 61 BARAKAT EXYATES

PLEASE INFORM THOSE INTERESTED EXPECT ITEM 6 START 10 JULY

ITEM 3 19 JULY

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ECOGN 60 BARAKAT JUDD EXYATES

EXPECT ITEM 17 COMMENCE JULY 12 0 13

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BARAKAT JUDD ex. YATES

EXPECT ITEM 17 COMMENCE JULY 12 OR 13



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July 6 1950

To: Mr. A.D.K. Owen.


From: G.E. Yates.

Subject: Legal Representative.

Perhaps in thanking Mr. Kerno for his offer, you will remind him that the Legal Representative is responsible for item 46 (Draft Rules for the Calling of International Conferences) on the Council's agenda. (The item derives from the Sixth Committee, and it was agreed that the Legal Representative should see it through). Perhaps Mr. Kerno could arrange for one of his staff to see it through the NGO Committee, to which it now stands referred, and the Council.



Monsieur D. Owen  
Monsieur H. Laugier

I. Kerno,   
Secrétaire général adjoint en  
charge du Département juridique

le 6 juillet 1950

M. Feller, qui aurait dû être à la disposition du Conseil Economique et Social pour les questions juridiques, m'a fait savoir hier au soir que pour le moment, il lui est impossible de quitter Lake Success:  
Je serai heureux de me mettre personnellement à la disposition du Conseil Economique et Social toutes les fois que ce sera nécessaire. Je vous prie donc de ne pas hésiter à vous mettre en rapport avec moi.

c.c. Monsieur Yates. ✓



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ECOGN 29 POWER EXYATES

REYOURS FIRST JULY. COUNCIL COMPLETED AGENDA DEBATE TODAY

ESTIMATE ITCOLS ITEMS WILL NOT COME FOR SEVERAL WEEKS.

AFTER RECEIPT TEXT PELTS MESSAGE EXHEADQUARTERS WILL CABLE  
AGAIN.

4 July 1950.

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DAVIDSON UNICEF  
43 AVENUE DU MARECHAL FAYOLLE  
PARIS

REFERENCE YOUR 521. NOT BEFORE JULY 24. DATE DEPENDS LARGE  
ON DATE DISTRIBUTION UNICEF EXBOARD REPORT NOT YET RECEIVED  
LAW ABOUT TEN DAYS LATER. CABLING HAYWARD FOR INFORMATION;

~~DEMENT.~~

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4 July 1950.



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ECOLS 21 DUMONTET URGENT-DELIVER IMMEDIATELY\*  
YOUR CABLE OF 2 JULY. JUDD AND HELMORE ARRANGEMENTS BASED  
YOUR ECOGN 14 THAT ITEM 17 DUE 10-13 JULY. LETTER DESPATCHED  
30 JUNE TO YATES REQUESTS ITEM BE TAKEN 12 OR 13 JULY

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PRACTICABLE PINPOINT ITEM EXACTLY. ASSUMPTION  
HOLDS ABOUT JULY 12.

DUMONTET

3 July 1950.



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Interim Coordinating Committee

for

International Commodity Arrangements

REFERENCE:

ECA 55/02 (11)

30 June 1950

Mr. Gilbert Yates  
Secretary  
Economic and Social Council  
Geneva, Switzerland

Dear Mr. Yates:

Item 17 ECOSOC

Thank you for the advice about Item 17 of the ECOSOC Agenda. Unfortunately travel arrangements are such that I will not arrive in Geneva until the afternoon of the 10th July. I hope this will be satisfactory. The 12th or 13th July would be most suitable if this could be arranged.

Mr. Owen has written to Sir James Helmore, the Chairman of the Interim Coordinating Committee for International Commodity Arrangements about his being present in Geneva while Item 17 is being discussed. I have informed him that it has been tentatively scheduled within the period 10th to 13th July. I would very much appreciate your assistance in advising him of further developments. Perhaps you could arrange for a cable to be sent to him care of Board of Trade, ICI Building, Millbank, London on the morning of Friday the 7th July giving him any more definite information available as to when the item is likely to be brought forward.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Perce R. Judd".

Perce R. Judd,  
Secretary



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**INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**

TO: Mr. Aziz Barakat, Economic and Social Council  
Secretariat

FROM: Egon Schwelb, Assistant Director  
Division of Human Rights *E.S.*

SUBJECT: Recommendation of the Agenda Committee.

Date 30 June 1950

I have seen the Cable #15 from Mr. Dumontet to you of 29 June. I have noted the dispositions recommended by the Agenda Committee concerning the items for which this Division is responsible:

Item 19: Report of the Commission on Human Rights.

Item 20: Report of the Commission on the Status of Women.

Item 21: Report of the Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information.

Item 23: Trade union rights.

I do not find in the Cable, however, any indication what the Agenda Committee has recommended with regard to Item 22 (forced labour).

If you should receive more detailed information in this regard I would be much obliged to you for transmitting it to me.



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ECOGN 15 BARAKAT FROM DUMONTET

PLEASE INFORM OFFICERS CONCERNED ON FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS  
OF AGENDA COMMITTEE:

1. ITEM 8 NOT TO BE DEALT AS SEPARATE ITEM BUT BROUGHT TO  
ATTENTION OF COUNCIL IN CONNECTION WITH ITEM 5 (B).
2. ITEMS 25 AND 27 TO BE CONSIDERED TOGETHER.
3. PART OF ITEM 42 TO BE DISCUSSED IN CONNECTION WITH ITEM 32.
4. ITEM 23 REFERRED TO ILO.

5. ITEMS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES WITHOUT PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION  
IN PLENARY. ECONOMIC COMMITTEEC ITEMS 15, 16, TAC; 5 (B).

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: ITEMS 18, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, 32,

34. COORDINATION COMMITTEE: ITEMS 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,

40, 41, 42 43, AND 44. NGO COMMITTEE: ITEM 45.

7. ORDER OF CONSIDERATION:

ITEMS 2 AND 7 SUBSEQUENTLY TO 5 AND 6;

(A) ITEM 3 TO COMMENCE NOT BEFORE 17 JULY

(B) PART B (PARA. 191-198) OF REPORT OF EXPERTS TO BE TAKEN  
WITH REPORT OF SUB-COMMISSION ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ITEM 4 SUBSEQUENTLY TO 3 AND 6;

ITEM 5 (B) MIDDLE PART SESSION;

ITEMS 13 AND 14 LATE PART SESSION;

ITEM 17: 10-13 JULY;

ITEM 18 EARLY;

ITEMS 26, 34, 35 NOT BEFORE 24 JULY;

ITEM 47 REASNABLY EARLY.

SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM NO. 1 FIRST IN PLENARY AFTER ADOPTION OF  
AGENDA.

8. GENERAL ORDER OF COMMENCEMENT OF ITEMS ( I INDICATE THIS  
ONLY FOR THE EARLY PART OF THE SESSION).

ECONOMIC ITEMS: 6, 16, 10, 17, 15, 3.

SOCIAL ITEMS: 29, 30, 18, 31, 19, 20, 25, 27.

GENERAL AND COORDINATION: 1, 45 (A), SUPPLEMENTARY NO.1  
44, 38, 37, 36.

9. COPIES REPORT POUCHED.

10. ITEM 23 REFERRED TO ILO.

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*Rosman*

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ECOGN 12 BARAKAT FROM DUMONTET

THANK YOU FOR YOUR REPLY TO QUESTION ON US SUGGESTION REGARDING  
TREATMENT ITEM 3 (YOUR LETTER 22/6 PARA.4). I COULD

YOU FURTHER CLARIFY SPECIFICALLY WHETHER US DELEGATION AGREES  
THAT PARTS OF THE REPORT OF EXPERTS, WITH EXCEPTION OF PARA.191  
TO 198, BE TAKEN AT BEGINNING SESSION.

ANSWER THIS SESSION OR CABLE REPLY TODAY.

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AGENDA. STATE DEPARTMENT ALREADY INSTRUCTED HIM. URGENTLY  
NEEDED RECOMMENDATIONS AGENDA COMMITTEE. TELEPRINT TIMING  
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A.U. Barakat D-210 ECA

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DUMONTET FROM BARAKAT

LEWIS ADVISES CONTACT ROSEMAN US DELEGATION AGENDA STOP

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ECOGN 12 BARAKAT FROM DUMONTET

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ANSWER THIS SESSION OR CABLE REPLY TODAY.

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ECOGN 7 BARAKAT FROM DUMONTET

ITEM 3 US SUGGESTION FOR AGENDA COMMITTEE (E/C.3/29) IS

"IT IS HOPED DISCUSSION THIS ITEM CAN BE STARTED ON JULY 17".

PLEASE INQUIRE US DELEGATION WHETHER THEY OBJECT EARLIER DATE.

AT INFORMAL MEETING AGENDA COMMITTEE MANHATTAN WHICH MR. ~~XXXX~~ LEWIS

ATTENDED IT WAS SUGGESTED THIS ITEM BE DEALT BEGINNING SESSION

(E/C.3/L.2). PLEASE ANSWER THIS SESSION OR CABLE.



7 GENEVA 22 JUNE 50

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ECOGN 7 BARAKAT FROM DUMONTET

ITEM 3 US SUGGESTION FOR AGENDA COMMITTEE (E/C.3/29)

IS "IT IS HOPED DISCUSSION THIS ITEM CAN BE STARTED ON JULY 17".

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AT INFORMAL MEETING AGENDA COMMITTEE MANHATTAN WHICH MR.

LEWIS ATTENDED IT WAS SUGGESTED THIS ITEM BE DEALT BEGINNING SESSION  
(E/C.3/L.2). PLEASE ANSWER THIS SESSION OR CABLE.

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19 June 1950

4:30 p.m.

Cher Georges,

Nous venons d'atteindre Gilbert au téléphone; je lui ai parlé de la proposition des Etats-Unis; il n'a aucune objection; voici ce dont il s'agit:

Mr. Harrison Lewis (U.S. Mission) est venu au bureau ce matin et désire présenter "informally" une suggestion au Comité de l'ordre du jour. Comme U.S. ne sont pas membres de ce Comité, ils aimeraient que vous attiriez l'attention du Comité sur cette question et ils réservent leur droit de la présenter eux-mêmes en plénière.

J'ai demandé à H. Lewis de bien vouloir me donner le "wording" qu'il désirait voir donner à cette proposition. Ne pas en faire un document mais présenter oralement au Comité.

"In the Full Employment Report, under International Measures is Part B on the International Bank. In view of its close relationship to the financing of Economic Development, the United States would prefer to have discussion of this part of the Full Employment Report postponed for discussion along with the Report of the Sub-Commission on the Financing of Economic Development."

Je vais essayer de faire partir ce message immédiatement si la "valise" n'est pas fermée.



IN REPLY REFER TO  
SoA. 55/02 (11th)

MEMORANDUM

*George Myrdal*  
11/15

14 June 1950

TO: Mr. Georges Dumontet -- Economic and Social Council  
Palais des Nations, Geneva --

FROM: Dorothy E. Osborne

SUBJECT: Order of Agenda Items of 11th Session

Mrs. Myrdal has decided that Mr. Durand should handle the report of the Population Commission at the Council. There will be a good many substantive matters as well as financial implications to be discussed. As Mr. Durand will be in Paris until July 5th, it would be very desirable to get Item 18 placed in the very early part of the Session so that costs may be kept at a minimum.

cc: Mr. G. Yates ✓



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14 June 1950

Monsieur Georges Dumontet,  
Ecosoc Secretariat,  
United Nations,  
Palais des Nations,  
Geneva, Switzerland.

BY AIR POUCH

Dear Georges,

I think all is going well with the shop. Janine got a call from Claire on her way through, but there wasn't time to meet.

As to supplementary items, one you will have to present to the Agenda Committee is the report of the Interim Committee on Programme of Meetings on the sessions of the Narcotics Commission and related subjects.

Another may arise out of the WHO paper E/1716, though it has not yet done so.

Yours ever,

G.E. Yates,  
Secretary, Economic and Social Council



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Mr. Martin Hill

G.E. Yates

Document E/1716.

12 June 1950

1. You will want to consider the form of acknowledgment of this letter. It should be made clear to the WHO that their action hitherto has not put the subject on the Council agenda.

It might be: "...acknowledge your letter of 29 May, and attach a copy of a document which has been circulated to the Economic and Social Council in response to your request." Alternatively, you may prefer to make a reference to the provisions of rule 14 regarding the submission of supplementary agenda items.

2. Apparently the real point is the question of the export (or non-export) of equipment for making penicillin from the United States to Poland. The resolution is a thoroughly bad one wrapping up the real point in terms of monumental vagueness. If the WHO do come back with a request for a supplementary item, it will need to be made clear that "basic documents" will be required (as well as a statement of urgency), which would enable some definition to be given to the item.

Encl. (1)



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7 June 1950

The Secretary General  
International Federation of Secondary  
Teachers  
46 and 47 Morlay Place  
Edinburgh 3, England

Dear Madam:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 27 May. Please find enclosed copy of document E/C.3/L.2 of 29 May in which you will find adequate information regarding the order in which the Council will take up the items, object of your inquiry. It should, however, be noted that the enclosed document contains the recommendations of the Secretary General to the Agenda Committee of the Council. A final decision, as regards the timing of items, will be taken by the Council upon receipt of the report of its Agenda Committee.

Yours very truly,

Gilbert E. Yates, Secretary  
Economic and Social Council  
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ECA 10/1/0677

2 June 1950

Dear Mr. Ennals:

With reference to your letter of 17 May to Mr. White, it is expected that the item "Full Employment" will be taken early in the eleventh session which opens in Geneva on 3 July. It is, however, likely that the subject will figure again in the agenda of subsequent sessions. We shall, of course, be glad to receive for submission to the Council any statement which your organization may wish to make.

I assume that you have received through the routine distribution of documents full information on the activities of the United Nations in the field of Full Employment. We shall, of course, be glad to supply any additional information that may be needed.

Yours sincerely,

G.E. Yates  
Secretary  
Economic and Social Council

Mr. John A.F. Ennals  
Secretary-General  
World Federation of United Nations  
Associations  
1 Avenue de la Paix  
Geneva, Switzerland



11th agenda

Mr. Wilfrid Benson, Director, Division of Information from  
Non-Self-Governing Territories

G.E. Yates, Secretary, Economic and Social Council

Items 7 and 8 of the Provisional Agenda of the  
11th Session of ECOSOC (Document E/1680)

1st June 1950

Many thanks for your note of 29th May.

The functions of the Council Agenda Committee are, of course, solely to make recommendations to the Council, and any recommendations about these items which they make will come up for discussion in the Council itself during discussion of the agenda.

In view of what you say, I take it that the brief which your Department is preparing for Messrs. Owen and Laugier on these items will cover these points. It should be ready in time for any necessary inter-departmental discussion before the Agenda Committee meets on 27th June in Geneva.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Weintraub  
Mr. Rust  
Mr. Kennedy  
Mr. McQuarrie  
FROM: G.E. Yates

26 May 1950

SUBJECT: Items 7 and 8 of the provisional agenda of the Economic and Social Council (document E/1630)

The President of the Council held an informal meeting yesterday of members of the Council Agenda Committee in order to facilitate the work of the Committee when it meets in Geneva on 27 June next. Although the intention was to deal mainly with questions of order and timing, the Belgian representative took the opportunity to say that he did not think items 7 and 8 should be included on the agenda. It was explained on behalf of the Secretariat that the action taken by the General Assembly in the one case and the Trusteeship Council in the other appeared to call for some consideration on the part of the Council, and that in the circumstances, it appeared to be the duty of the Secretariat to bring these matters to the Council's attention. Both resolutions had been mentioned in the tentative list of items for the 11th session circulated during the course of the tenth session, and no comments had been received from Members. M. Feneux then took the line that they should not appear as separate items, since the consideration called for was consideration in connection with existing Council schemes. On this it was pointed out that the scope of the General Assembly and Trusteeship Council resolutions did not correspond with that of the other standing Council items. M. Feneux was supported by M. Devint who joined the meeting as an observer from France. The suggestion was made by other members in discussion that the better course might be that the Agenda Committee should make a recommendation that instead of being dealt with as separate items the Secretariat should be asked to draw the Council's attention to them in appropriate contexts. This seemed to meet with the approval of those present, and it is likely that something like this will happen when the Agenda Committee formally meets.

The President correctly pointed out that the meeting could only exchange views, and could not take any decisions.

2. The papers in preparation will no doubt be equally opposite whichever course the Council decides to adopt.



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Mr. Michael Higgins

G. E. Yates

Provisional Agenda for Eleventh Session  
of the Council, Item 15.

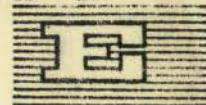
26 May 1950

The President of the Council held an informal meeting yesterday with representatives of the delegations on the Council Agenda Committee, to facilitate the work of the latter when it meets in Geneva on the 27th of June. Several representatives expressed the view that they would prefer reports of Commissions as a normal rule to be opened in Committee rather than in plenary, and it looks as if the Agenda Committee will so decide. Although you expressed a preference for item 15 starting in plenary, I take it that this need not be opposed.



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PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE ELEVENTH SESSION OF

THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Report of the Agenda Committee

1. The Agenda Committee, constituted under Rules of Procedure No. 14 and 15, held three meetings, on 27 and 28 June 1950, (see E/C.3/SR.18, 19 and 20) at the Palais des Nations, Geneva. The following were present:

Mr. Hernan Santa Cruz (Chile), President of the Council

Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar (India) First Vice-President (20th meeting)

Mr. S. Sen (India), Alternate for the First Vice-President  
(at the 18th and 19th meetings)

Baron de Kerchove d'Exaerde (Belgique) Alternate for the Second  
Vice-President

Mr. Arnold Smith (Canada)

Mr. J. Katz-Suchy (Poland)

2. The Committee took into consideration the following documents:

E/1680 Provisional Agenda for the 11th Session of the Economic  
and Social Council

E/1726 Provisional Agenda for the 11th Session of the  
Economic and Social Council: Supplementary item No. 1

E/C.3/29 Suggestions for the Disposition of Items on the Agenda of  
the Eleventh Session. Note by the Representative of  
the United States



- E/C.3/L.2 Provisional Agenda for the Eleventh Session of the Economic and Social Council (Note by the Secretary-General)
- E/C.3/L.3 Suggestions for the Disposition of Items on the Provisional Agenda of the Economic and Social Council - Eleventh Session (E/1680)
- E/C.3/L.4 Suggestions for the Disposition of Items on the Agenda of the Eleventh Session (Note by the Representative of France)
- E/C.3/L.5 Draft Report of the Agenda Committee (before the Committee at the 20th meeting)

3. The Committee heard the representatives of France and of the United States of America who attended the meeting as observers on points arising in documents E/C.3/29 and E/C.3/L.4.

4. The Committee's recommendations are grouped as follows:

- A. Recommendations for the inclusion, deletion and deferment of items;
- B. Recommendations for the reference of a particular item to another body without preliminary debate in the Council (under Rule of Procedure 15, paragraph (a));
- C. Recommendations concerning the procedure to be followed in the consideration of agenda items, including the reference of items to Council Committees without preliminary debate in the Council; and
- D. Recommendations as to the order in which items should be considered.

A. Recommendations for the inclusion, deletion and deferment of items

5. The representative of Poland made a statement in which he pointed out that he was participating in the work of the Agenda Committee in preparing the work of the eleventh session of the Council hoping that a change in the problem of representation would enable him to participate in the work of the Council proper during its eleventh session. His Government had several proposals to make with the object of facilitating that work, though it did not retreat from the position which it had taken at the tenth session of not recognising as legally valid any decisions taken during sessions of the Council and organs of the Council when the rightful Government of China had been deprived of representation.



He accordingly proposed that the Agenda Committee recommend to the Council the deletion from the Provisional Agenda of items 13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 32, 35 and 37 and of items 26 and 27 in so far as they related to the report of the sixth session of the Social Commission.

The other members of the Committee expressed their pleasure caused by the presence of the Polish representative in the Committee and by the hope he had expressed of participating in the work of the Council at its eleventh session. However, they could not share his point of view as to the alleged illegality of the decisions. His proposal was, therefore, rejected.

6. The Committee recommends by 3 votes to 2 that item 8: "Trusteeship Council resolution 110 (V): Higher education in the Trust Territories in Africa" should not be a separate item on the Council's agenda, as the subject falls within item 5(b), and that the Council should invite the Secretary-General to draw the attention of the Council to the invitation of the Trusteeship Council contained in its resolution 110 (V).

The representatives of India and Poland, however, maintained that item 8 should be dealt with as a separate item and the representative of India reserved his right to bring up the matter again in the Council.

7. The Committee recommends that items 25 and 27 be considered together and that part of the report of the International Refugee Organization (item 42) be discussed in connection with item 32.

8. The Committee recommends by 4 votes in favour and one against that all items contained in document E/1680 except item 8 mentioned in paragraph 6 above, together with supplementary item No. 1: "Report of the Interim Committee on Programme of Meetings on the sessions of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and related meetings." (Document E/1726) be included in the agenda.

B. Recommendations for the reference of a particular item to another body without preliminary debate in the Council

9. The Committee recommends that, in accordance with Rule 15, paragraph a, item 23: "Trade union rights: allegations regarding infringement of trade union



rights" be referred to the International Labour Organization without preliminary debate in the Council.

C. Recommendations concerning the procedure to be followed in the consideration of agenda items

10. The Committee recommends that, following previous practice, the Council should establish an Economic Committee, a Social Committee and a Co-ordination Committee as committees of the whole; it assumes that meetings of standing committees, in particular the Council Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held as required, and that the Technical Assistance Committee will convene towards the second week of the Council's session.

11. The Committee recommends that the following items be referred to the Committees indicated, without preliminary debate in plenary:

<u>Item 5 (b)</u>	Technical assistance for economic development Expanded programme of technical assistance for the economic development of under-developed countries	Technical Assistance Committee
<u>Item 15</u>	Report of the Transport and Communications Commission (fourth session)	Economic Committee
<u>Item 16</u>	Report of the Statistical Commission (fifth session)	Economic Committee
<u>Item 18</u>	Report of the Population Commission (fifth session)	Social Committee
<u>Item 20</u>	Report of the Commission on the Status of Women (fourth session)	Social Committee
<u>Item 21</u>	Report of the Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and of the Press (fourth session)	Social Committee
<u>Item 25</u>	Report of the Social Commission (sixth session)	Social Committee
<u>Item 26</u>	Long-range activities for children	Social Committee
<u>Item 27</u>	Advisory social welfare services	Social Committee
<u>Item 32</u>	Refugee and stateless persons	Social Committee



<u>Item 34</u>	Report of the United Nations Children's Emergency Fund	Social Committee
<u>Item 35</u>	Report of the International Labour Organization	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 36</u>	Report of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 37</u>	Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 38</u>	Report of the World Health Organization	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 39</u>	Report of the International Civil Aviation Organization	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 40</u>	Report of the International Telecommunication Union	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 41</u>	Report of the Universal Postal Union	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 42</u>	Report of the International Refugee Organization	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 43</u>	Relations with and co-ordination of specialized agencies: a) Action taken in pursuance of the agreements between the United Nations and specialized agencies; b) Problem of the proliferation and overlapping of the programmes of the United Nations and specialized agencies; c) Report of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination; d) Regional Co-ordination; e) Report by the Secretary-General on particular co-ordination matters.	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 44</u>	Inter-governmental organizations	Co-ordination Committee
<u>Item 45</u>	Non-Governmental Organizations a) Hearings of non-governmental organizations; b) Question of non-governmental organizations handbook	Council Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

12. The Committee recommends that, with the exception of item 23 referred to the International Labour Organization, the remaining items be commenced in



plenary. In most cases one stage of consideration should be sufficient; in a few cases, however, it may be necessary to refer the items to a committee after a discussion in plenary.

D. Recommendations as to the order in which items will be considered

13. In the light of the reasons set forth in document E/C.3/L.3, paragraph 1, and of suggestions either contained in documents E/C.3/29 and E/C.3/L.4 or presented during the discussion, the Committee makes the following comments on the order in which certain items should be discussed.

Items 2, 7: These items should be taken subsequently to items 5 and 6 (i.e. Technical assistance for economic development and methods of financing economic development of under-developed countries, including consideration of the report of the Sub-Commission on Economic Development (fourth session).

Item 3 (a) The Committee recommends by 2 votes to one with 2 abstentions that the consideration of this item should not be started before 17 July. In the course of the discussion the President drew attention to the fact that some members of the Council were of the opinion that this item should be considered early in the session.

(b) In view of its close relationship to the financing of economic development, part B of the report of the Group of Experts on Full Employment (paragraphs 191 to 198) should be discussed alongside the Report of the Sub-Commission on Economic Development (item 6).

Item 4: This item should be considered subsequently to items 3 and 6.

Item 5: Part (a) of this item could be taken at any time. With respect to part (b) however, it should be noted that the report of the Technical Assistance Board will be available by approximately 30 June, and that the Technical Assistance Committee is expected to convene towards the second week of the Session of the Council. It does not seem, therefore, that the Council will be ready to consider item 5 (b) in plenary until the middle of the session.

Items 13 and 14: In view of the late availability of these reports, these items cannot be considered early.



Item 17: This item should be taken early in the session in order to permit the Conference on tin to be called as soon as possible.

Item 18: For administrative reasons it is recommended that this item be considered in the early part of the session.

Item 19: The report of the Commission on Human Rights calls for a decision by the Council whether it will (a) consider the draft first Covenant on Human Rights article by article, with a view to transmission to the General Assembly; (b) consider the transmission of the draft to the General Assembly without detailed discussion or (c) consider the referral of the draft to the Commission for further study. In the case of (a), and possibly also in the case of (c), a considerable amount of time would be required, and it is essential that the question of which course is going to be taken should be settled early in the session. In connection with Articles 43 and 44 of the draft of the first Covenant (24 and 25 in the draft before the Commission) the Commission has asked the Secretary-General to prepare further studies for the Council; these (Document E/1721) have been distributed on 24 June 1950. It is recommended that this item be first taken in plenary early in the session, subsequent stages being decided upon at that time.

Items 26 and 34: In view of the fact that the report of the Executive Board of the International Children's Emergency Fund will not be available until after the opening of the eleventh session, the Committee recommends that these items should not be considered before 24 July.

Item 35: Having regard to the request of the Director-General of the International Labour Organization, the Committee recommends that item 35 should not be taken before 24 July.

Item 47 (Calendar of conferences for 1951): In view of the questions arising from the move to the Manhattan headquarters, and the consequential planning involved, the Committee suggests that this item be taken reasonably early in the session.



The supplementary item No. 1 should be taken early in the session in order to permit the Secretary-General to communicate to the Governments concerned the decisions of the Council on the recommendations made to it by the Interim Committee on Programme of Meetings in its report dealing with the fifth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and related meetings (E/1715) as early as possible.

14. The Committee suggests the following general order of commencement of items:

	Economic items	Social items	General and coordination items
		(Human rights items)   (Other social items)	
Early	6	29	1
	16	30	45 (a)
	10	18	Supplementary No. 1
	17	28	44
	15	31	38
		19	37
	3	20   25 )	36
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Middle	4	27 )	47
	5 (1)	26	42
	12	34	2
	9	33	7
		24	45 (b) and (c)
		32	35
		23	39
			40
			41
			43
Late	11	22	49
	13	21	51
	14		50
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15. The Committee assumes that the above general recommendations as to order would be subject to appropriate modifications by the President, in consultation with delegations as necessary.

(1) i.e. one stage for 5 (b) in Technical Assistance Committee and one in plenary.



APPENDIX A

RECOMMENDATIONS AS TO DISPOSITION OF ITEMS TABULATED AS IN THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA (E/1680).

<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
1.	Adoption of the agenda	
2.	General Assembly resolution 266 (III): "Problems of economic development and social progress of the former Italian colonies"	Plenary (Middle)
3.	Full Employment: Report of the group of experts appointed by the Secretary-General under Council resolution 221 (E) (IX), on national and international measures required to achieve full employment; General Assembly resolution 308 (IV), and Council resolution 267 (X)	(a) to commence in plenary not before 17 July; (b) Part B of the Report (para.191 to 198) to be discussed along with the Report of the Sub-Commission on Economic Development (Item 6)
4.	Organization of the Economic and Employment Commission and its two Sub-Commissions.	Plenary (Middle)
5.	Technical assistance for economic development: (a) Technical assistance for economic development under General Assembly resolution 200 (III): (i) Report by the Secretary-General; (ii) Eligibility of associate members of the regional economic commissions for technical assistance under General Assembly resolution 200 (III); (b) Expanded programme of technical assistance for the economic development of under-developed countries.	Plenary       Technical Assistance Committee (Middle)
6.	Methods of financing economic development of under-developed countries, including consideration of the report of the Sub-Commission on Economic Development (fourth session).	Plenary (early)

<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
7.	General Assembly resolution 331 (IV); "International collaboration in regard to economic, social and educational conditions in Non-Self-Governing Territories".	Plenary (middle)
8.	Trusteeship Council resolution 110 (V); "Higher education in the Trust Territories in Africa".	not to be con- sidered as a sepa- rate item; Resolu- tion 110 (V) of the Trusteeship Council to be drawn to the attention of the Council by the Secretary-General (see above, para 6)
9.	Report of the International Labour Organisation on training for apprentices and technical workers.	Plenary (middle)
10.	International centre for training in public administration.	Plenary (early)
11.	Availability of insecticides for the control of malaria.	Plenary (late)
12.	Annual report of the Economic Commission for Europe.	Plenary (middle)
13.	Annual report of the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East.	Plenary (late)
14.	Annual report of the Economic Commission for Latin America.	Plenary (late)
15.	Report of the Transport and Communications Commission (fourth session).	Economic Committee (early)
16.	Report of the Statistical Commission (fifth session).	Economic Committee (early)
17.	Interim Co-ordinating Committee for International Commodity Arrangements: Review of International Commodity problems 1949.	Plenary (early 10-13 July)
18.	Report of the Population Commission (fifth session).	Social Committee (early)
19.	Report of the Commission on Human Rights (sixth session).	Plenary (early)



<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
20.	Report of the Commission on the Status of Women (fourth session)	Social Committee (early)
21.	Report of the Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and of the Press (fourth session)	Social Committee (late)
22.	Forced Labour.	Plenary (late)
23.	Trade union rights; allegations regarding infringements of trade union rights.	To be referred to the International Labour Organisation.
24.	Report of the first session of the <u>ad hoc</u> Committee on Slavery.	Plenary (middle)
25.	Report of the Social Commission (sixth session)	Social Committee (early)
26.	Long-range activities for Children.	Social Committee (middle - not to be considered before 24 July)
27.	Advisory social welfare services.	Social Committee - to be taken together with item 25.
28.	Social problems of the aboriginal populations and other under-developed groups of the American Continent.	Plenary (early)
29.	Procedure regarding the draft single convention on narcotic drugs.	Plenary (early)
30.	Invitation to the United States of Indonesia to become a party to the Protocol of 19 November 1948 relating to narcotic drugs.	Plenary (early)
31.	United Nations research laboratories.	Plenary (early)

<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
32.	Refugees and stateless persons: a) General Assembly resolution 319 (IV) b) Report of the <u>ad hoc</u> Committee on Statelessness	Social Committee (middle)
33.	Teaching of the purposes and principles, the structure and activities of the United Nations and the specialized agencies in schools and other educational institutions of Member States.	Plenary (middle)
34.	Report of the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.	Social Committee (middle - not to be considered before 24 July)
35.	Report of the International Labour Organisation	Co-ordination Committee (middle - not to be considered before 24 July)
36.	Report of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.	Co-ordination Committee (early)
37.	Report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.	Co-ordination Committee (early)
38.	Report of the World Health Organization.	Co-ordination Committee (early)
39.	Report of the International Civil Aviation Organization.	Co-ordination Committee (middle)
40.	Report of the International Telecommunication Union.	Co-ordination Committee (middle)
41.	Report of the Universal Postal Union.	Co-ordination Committee (middle)



<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
42.	Report of the International Refugee Organization.	Co-ordination Committee (middle) (Part of this report to be discussed in connection with item 32 in the Social Committee)
43.	Relations with and co-ordination of specialized agencies: (a) Action taken in pursuance of the agreements between the United Nations and specialized agencies; (b) Problem of the proliferation and overlapping of the programmes of the United Nations and specialized agencies. (c) Report of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination. (d) Regional co-ordination. (e) Report by the Secretary-General on particular co-ordination matters.	Co-ordination Committee (middle)
44.	Inter-governmental organizations	Co-ordination Committee (early)
45.	Non-governmental organizations (a) Hearings of non-governmental organizations (b) Review of non-governmental organizations in consultative status. (c) Question of non-governmental organizations handbook.	NGO Committee (early) Plenary (middle) NGO Committee (middle)
46.	Draft rules for the calling of non-governmental conferences.	Plenary (middle)
47.	Calendar of conferences for 1951.	Plenary (middle)
48.	Summary of financial implications of actions of the Council.	Plenary (late)
49.	Election of one-third of the members of the Economic and Employment, Transport and Communications, Fiscal, Statistical, Population, Social, Human Rights, and Status of Women Commissions.	Plenary (late)

<u>No. of item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
50.	Confirmation of members of Commissions.	Plenary (late)
51.	Arrangements regarding report of the Council to the General Assembly.	Plenary (late)
Supplementary Item No.1.	Report of the Interim Committee on Programme of Meetings on the sessions of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and related meetings. (E/1726)	Plenary (early)



PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE ELEVENTH SESSION

Note by the Secretary-General

Recommendations concerning the order in which items will be considered.

1. The Secretary-General draws the attention of the Committee to the following notes regarding the order or timing of particular items:

Items 2, 6 and 7: These items should be taken subsequently to items 5 and 6 (i.e. Technical Assistance for Economic Development and Methods of Financing Economic Development).

Item 3 (Full Employment): This item is recommended for early consideration.

Item 4 (Organization of the Economic and Employment Comm.): This item should be taken subsequently to items 3, 5 and 6.

Item 5 (Technical Assistance): There would be advantage in commencing this item as early as possible. Item 5(b) cannot, however, be taken up by the plenary until the Technical Assistance Committee of the Council has met and reported.

Items 13 and 14: As these reports will not be ready till the second half of June, the items cannot be taken early.

Human Rights subjects (19-24) and Social items (18, and 25-34)

In the interests of staggering the attendance of the Secretariat required and of economical administration, the Secretary-General strongly recommends that as many as possible of the social group of items should be commenced and disposed of before the Human Rights group. It is suggested that Human Rights subjects should not be opened in any case before 13th July.

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Some overlap between these groups will, however, be necessary in respect of items 26 and 34, since the report of the ICLF will not be available till the early days of the Council and delegations will wish time to receive instructions from their Governments. It would be convenient that these items should not commence before 24 July.

Items 35-42 Reports of the Specialized Agencies

It is assumed that, in accordance with the annex to Council resolution 259 (IX), these reports will be referred to the Co-ordination Committee.

For the reasons mentioned above in paragraph 2 (Human Rights and Social items), it is recommended that the reports of the agencies on the social side should be taken within the same period of the Council as the social items, although it will of course be necessary to avoid clashes between meetings of the Social Committee and meetings of the Co-ordination Committee considering such reports.

The reports of the agencies on the economic side might then be taken, followed by the general item "Relations with and co-ordination of specialized agencies".

Item 45 (Non-governmental organizations): It is necessary that part (a) of this item should be taken at the commencement of the session, so that as far as possible the hearings take place before the items to which they refer are reached.

Item 47 (Calendar): In view of the questions arising from the move to the Manhattan headquarters after early in 1951, and the consequential planning involved, it is desirable that this item should be taken reasonably early in the session.

2. The following table setting out a provisional order of commencement of items has been prepared for the assistance of the Committee.



PROVISIONAL ORDER OF COMMENCEMENT OF ITEMS OF THE ELEVENTH SESSION OF ECOSOC

COMMENCING	CO-ORDINATION AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS		
	ECONOMIC ITEMS	SOCIAL ITEMS	
EARLY	<p>3<sup>am</sup> Full Employment</p> <p>5a<sup>am</sup> Technical Assistance under GA resolution 200 (III)</p> <p>6<sup>am</sup> Methods of financing eco. development</p> <p>5b<sup>am</sup> Expanded programme of techn. assistance</p> <p>16<sup>am</sup> Report of the Stat. Commission</p> <p>15<sup>am</sup> Report of the Trans. and Comm. Commission</p> <p>9<sup>am</sup> Report of ILO on training for apprentices and technical workers</p> <p>10<sup>am</sup> Int. Centre for training in public administration</p>	<p>33<sup>am</sup> Teaching about UN in schools of Member States</p> <p>31<sup>am</sup> UN research laboratories</p> <p>28<sup>am</sup> Social problems of aboriginal populations</p> <p>(29<sup>am</sup> Procedure re draft single convention on narcotic drugs</p> <p>( &amp;</p> <p>(30<sup>am</sup> Invitation to US of Indonesia to become a party to Protocol relating to narcotic drugs</p> <p>(</p> <p>(</p> <p>18<sup>am</sup> Report of Pop. Comm.</p> <p>25<sup>am</sup> Report of Soc. Comm.</p> <p>20<sup>am</sup> Report of the Commission on the Status of Women(not before 13 July)</p>	<p>1 Adoption of the agenda</p> <p>45a<sup>am</sup> Hearings of Non-Governmental Organizations</p> <p>44<sup>am</sup> Inter-governmental Organizations</p> <p>37<sup>am</sup> Report of UNESCO</p> <p>38<sup>am</sup> Report of WHO</p> <p>42<sup>am</sup> Report of IRO</p> <p>35<sup>am</sup> Report of ILO</p> <p>(2<sup>am</sup> Eco. develop. in Italian Colonies</p> <p>(</p> <p>(7<sup>am</sup> Int. collaboration re eco. social and educa. conditions in Non-Self-Gov. Territories</p> <p>(</p> <p>(8<sup>am</sup> Higher education in trust territories in Africa</p>
MIDDLE	<p>4<sup>am</sup> Organ. of Eco. and Employment Comm. and its two Sub-comms.</p> <p>11<sup>am</sup> Availability of insecticides for the control of malaria</p> <p>12<sup>am</sup> Report of ECE</p>	<p>27<sup>am</sup> Advisory Social Welfare Services</p> <p>26<sup>am</sup> Long-range activities for children(not before 24 July)</p> <p>34<sup>am</sup> ICEF</p> <p>24<sup>am</sup> Slavery</p> <p>19<sup>am</sup> Report of the Commission on Human Rights</p> <p>23<sup>am</sup> Trade Union Rights</p>	<p>47<sup>am</sup> Calendar of Conferences for 1951</p> <p>36<sup>am</sup> Report of FAO</p> <p>(45b<sup>am</sup> Review of NGOs in consultative status</p> <p>( &amp;</p> <p>( c<sup>am</sup> Question of NGO handbook</p> <p>39<sup>am</sup> Report of ICAO</p> <p>40<sup>am</sup> Report of ITU</p> <p>41<sup>am</sup> Report of UPU</p> <p>43<sup>am</sup> Relations with and co-ordination of specialized agencies</p> <p>46<sup>am</sup> Draft rules for the calling of non-gov. conferences</p>
LATE	<p>13<sup>am</sup> Report of ECAFE</p> <p>14<sup>am</sup> Report of ECLA</p>	<p>22<sup>am</sup> Forced labour</p> <p>32<sup>am</sup> Refugees and Stateless Persons</p> <p>21<sup>am</sup> Report of the Sub-Comm. on Freedom of Information</p>	<p>48<sup>am</sup> Summary of finan. implications</p> <p>49<sup>am</sup> Election 1/3 members of functional commissions</p> <p>50<sup>am</sup> Confirmation of members</p> <p>51<sup>am</sup> Report of Council to General Assembly</p>

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3. Suggestions of the Secretary-General regarding the question which items should commence in plenary and which in Committee are indicated by asterisks in the above table. The Secretary-General assumes that the Economic, the Social and the Co-ordination Committees will be established, and meetings of the Council Committee on NGOs will also be required.

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*11th agenda*

TO: Standard Distribution List  
FROM: G. E. Yates  
SUBJECT: Provisional Agenda for the eleventh session of the Economic and Social Council

Attached is a draft of a paper for the Agenda Committee of the Council regarding the order of items and the question of which items should commence in Committee. The numbered items in this draft refer to items as numbered in ECOSOC Circular No. 99.

It is intended to issue a revised draft of this paper at an informal meeting which the President of the Council proposes to hold with members of delegations on the Agenda Committee on Thursday next, 25th of May, and it is therefore requested that any comments should be sent in as soon as possible.

Agenda Committee

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE ELEVENTH SESSION

Note by the Secretary-General

Recommendations concerning the order in which items will be considered.

1. The Secretary-General draws the attention of the Committee to the following notes regarding the order or timing of particular items (See ECOSOC Circular No. 99):

Items 2, 6 and 7: These items should be taken subsequently to items 5 and 6 (i.e. Technical Assistance for Economic Development and Methods of Financing Economic Development).

Item 3 (Full Employment): This item is recommended for early consideration.

Item 4 (Organization of the Economic and Employment Comm.): This item should be taken subsequently to items 3, 5 and 6.

Item 5 (Technical Assistance): There would be advantage in commencing this item as early as possible. Item 5(b) cannot, however, be taken up by the plenary until the Technical Assistance Committee of the Council has met and reported.

Items 13 and 14: As these reports will not be ready till the second half of June, the items cannot be taken early.

Human Rights subjects (18-23) and Social items (17, and 24-32)

In the interests of staggering the attendance of the Secretariat required and of economical administration, the Secretary-General strongly recommends that as many as possible of the social group of items should be commenced and disposed of before the Human Rights group. It is suggested that Human Rights subjects should not be opened in any case before 13th July.



Some overlap between these groups will, however, be necessary in respect of items 25 and 32, since the report of the ICEF will not be available till the early days of the Council and delegations will wish time to receive instructions from their Governments. It would be convenient that these items should not commence before 24th July.

Items 33-40 Reports of the Specialized Agencies

It is assumed that, in accordance with the annex to Council resolution 259 (IX), these reports will be referred to the Co-ordination Committee.

For the reasons mentioned above in paragraph 2 (Human Rights and Social items), it is recommended that the reports of the agencies on the social side should be taken within the same period of the Council as the social items, although it will of course be necessary to avoid clashes between meetings of the Social Committee and meetings of the Co-ordination Committee considering such reports.

The reports of the agencies on the economic side might then be taken, followed by the general item "Relations with and co-ordination of specialized agencies".

Item 43 (Non-governmental organizations): It is necessary that part (a) of this item should be taken at the commencement of the session, so that as far as possible the hearings take place before the items to which they refer are reached.

Item 45 (Calendar): In view of the questions arising from the move to the Manhattan headquarters after early in 1951, and the consequential planning involved, it is desirable that this item should be taken reasonably early in the session.

2. The following table setting out a provisional order of commencement of items has been prepared for the assistance of the Committee.



PROVISIONAL ORDER OF COMMENCEMENT OF ITEMS OF THE ELEVENTH SESSION OF ECOSOC

COMMENCING	ECONOMIC ITEMS	SOCIAL ITEMS	CO-ORDINATION AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS
EARLY	<p>3*** Full Employment</p> <p>5a* Technical Assistance under GA resolution 200 (III)</p> <p>6*** Methods of financing eco. development</p> <p>5b* Expanded program of technical assistance</p> <p>26** Report of the Stat. Commission</p> <p>15* Report of the Trans. and Comm. Commission</p> <p>9* Report of ILO on training for apprentices and technical workers</p> <p>10* Int. centre for training in public administration</p>	<p>31* Teaching about UN in schools of Member States</p> <p>29* UN research laboratories</p> <p>27* Social problems of aboriginal populations</p> <p>(28* Procedure re draft single convention on narcotic drugs</p> <p>( &amp; Invitation to US of Indonesia to become a party to Protocol relating to narcotic drugs</p> <p>(</p> <p>17** Report of Pop. Comm.</p> <p>24** Report of Social Comm.</p> <p>19** Report of the Commission on the Status of Women (not ** before 13 July)</p>	<p>1 Adoption of the Agenda</p> <p>43a** Hearings of Non-Governmental Organizations</p> <p>42* Inter-governmental Organizations</p> <p>35** Report of UNESCO</p> <p>36** Report of WHO</p> <p>40** Report of IRO</p> <p>33** Report of ILO</p> <p>(2* Eco. Develop. in Italian Colonies</p> <p>(</p> <p>(7* Int. collaboration re eco. social and educa. conditions in Non-Self-Gov. Territories</p> <p>(</p> <p>(8* Higher Education in trust territories in Africa</p> <p>(</p>
MIDDLE	<p>4*** Organ. of Eco. and Employment Comm. and its two SubComms.</p> <p>11* Availability of insecticides for the control of malaria</p> <p>12* Report of ECE</p>	<p>26** Advisory Social Welfare Services</p> <p>25*** Long-range activities for children (not *** before 24 July)</p> <p>32* ICEF</p> <p>23* Slavery</p> <p>18** Report of the Commission on Human Rights</p> <p>22* Trade Union Rts.</p>	<p>45* Calendar of Conferences for 1951</p> <p>34* Report of FAO</p> <p>(43b* Review of NGO in &amp; consultative status</p> <p>( c** Question of NGO handbook</p> <p>(</p> <p>37** Report of ICAO</p> <p>38** Report of ITU</p> <p>39** Report of UPU</p> <p>41** Relations with and Co-ordination of specialized agencies</p> <p>44* Draft rules for the calling of non-gov. conferences</p>
LATE	<p>13* Report of ECAFE</p> <p>14* Report of ECLA</p>	<p>21* Forced labour</p> <p>30*** Refugees and Stateless Persons</p> <p>20** Report of the Sub-Comm. on Freedom of Information</p>	<p>46* Summary of Finan. Implications</p> <p>47* Election 1/3 members of functional commissions</p> <p>48* Confirmation of members</p> <p>49* Report of Council to General Assembly</p>

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~~SECRET~~  
MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. G. Yates, Secretary, ECOSOC  
FROM: P. R. Judd, ASG's Office, ECA  
SUBJECT: Agenda 11th Session of ECOSOC

Agenda 11th  
JH  
May 1950

1. It is requested that the following item be added to the Agenda of the Eleventh Session of ECOSOC:

Title (Interim Coordinating Committee for International Commodity Arrangements; Review of International Commodity Problems 1949)

2. A copy of the "Review of International Commodity Problems 1949" is attached. It will be noticed (paragraph 5, page v of Review) that the Committee, in submitting its report to the Secretary-General, made reference to the submission of the Review to ECOSOC.
3. In 1949 the 1948 Review was submitted to the Eighth Session in connection with the discussion on the World Economic Situation (see paragraph 86 of 1949 Review). The 1949 Review was not available for submission to the Tenth Session of ECOSOC when a similar item was on the agenda.
4. The Secretary-General has received a request from the International Tin Study Group (see paragraph 43 of the Review) to convene a United Nations Conference to consider an intergovernmental agreement for tin. This matter has been referred to the ICCICA, established by ECOSOC with responsibility, inter alia, "to facilitate by appropriate means ..... intergovernmental consultation or action with respect to commodity problems".
5. The ICCICA will meet in early June and we will immediately advise you of any additional ECOSOC documentation that may then be considered necessary.
6. This procedure has been approved by Mr. Goldet and Mr. Owen.



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Mr. U. Roullier, Executive Officer,  
Department of Social Affairs  
A. Messing, Ecosoc Secretariat

Invitation to the United States of Indonesia  
to become a party to the Protocol of  
19 November 1948 relating to narcotic drugs

16 May 1950

Pursuant to our conversation of 15 May, I wish to inform you  
that after consultation with the Division it was agreed that the  
item, as formulated in the title, will be placed by the Secretary-  
General on the agenda of the Economic and Social Council.

The document relating to this item will appear as E/1689.



Expenditure 1/10  
session

el 15 de mayo de 1950.

Senor Presidente;

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Circular  
99.

Le envío adjunto tres copias de un nuevo proyecto del orden del día para el décimo primer período de sesiones del Consejo.

Ud. encontrará también adjunto los informes de las instituciones especializadas siguientes: WHO, ITU, UPU.

De Ud. muy atentamente,

G.E. Yates

S.E. H. Santa Cruz, Presidente  
Consejo económico y social  
405 East 42nd Street, Room 606  
New York 17, New York



*Agenda 11th*

Mr. Martin Hill

G.E. Yates

Provisional Agenda of the eleventh session of ECOSOC

12 May 1950

... Attached is a final draft of the provisional agenda for the eleventh session of Ecosoc. Previous drafts were circulated as documents E/1645, E/1645/Corr. 1 and Ecosoc circular No. 98, and the present draft is the result of consultation and comments by Divisions. Could we have formal clearance by the S.G.'s office on this draft, please ?



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Mr. Julien Denys, Communications and Records Division

A. Messing, Ecosoc Secretariat

Covering letters for provisional agenda - 11th  
session of Economic and Social Council

12 May 1950

1. You will find attached the forms of letters to be sent to the Governments members of the Economic and Social Council, Governments not members of the Council, the specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations, and the specialized agencies which have not yet entered into agreement with the United Nations.
2. The date on the letters should be 22 May 1950.
3. Please use large envelopes.
4. Air mail should be used for addressees outside North America.
5. We expect to have the photostat forms (150) of the letters to be sent to NGOs as soon as possible next week, at the latest Tuesday, 16 May.
6. You will receive the copies of the provisional agenda (E/1680) early on Monday morning, 22 May.
7. The typing of addresses and packing of documents in case of the NGOs will be done in this office.



ECA 55/02

I. LETTER TO GOVERNMENTS MEMBERS OF  
THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

22 May 1950

.....  
and has the honour to state that the eleventh session of the  
Economic and Social Council will open at 11 a.m. on Monday,  
3 July 1950, at Geneva. A copy of the provisional agenda  
(document E/1680) is enclosed herein.

The Secretary-General has the honour to request that the *credentials*  
*and names of* names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers  
who will attend the forthcoming session of the Council may be  
communicated to him as soon as possible.



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ECA 55/02

I. LETTRE AUX GOUVERNEMENTS MEMBRES DU CONSEIL  
ECONOMIQUE ET SOCIAL

le 22 mai 1950

et a l'honneur de porter à sa connaissance que la onzième  
session du Conseil économique et social s'ouvrira le lundi  
3 juillet 1950, à 11 heures, à Genève. Un exemplaire de  
.... l'ordre du jour provisoire est joint à la présente note (document  
E/1680).

A cette occasion, le Secrétaire général a l'honneur de  
demander que les <sup>nommes</sup> ~~nom~~ des représentants, <sup>et le nom des</sup> suppléants et conseillers  
qui assisteront aux séances de cette session du Conseil lui  
soient communiqués le plus tôt possible.



11 May 1950

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

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In English

Australia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
China  
Czechoslovakia  
Denmark  
India  
Mexico  
Pakistan  
Peru  
Poland  
U.S.S.R.  
U.K.  
U.S.A.

In French

Belgium  
France  
Iran



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II. LETTER TO GOVERNMENTS NOT MEMBERS OF THE  
ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

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III. LETTRE AUX INSTITUTIONS SPECIALISEES  
ENTREES EN ACCORD AVEC LES NATIONS UNIES  
ET LES ORGANISATIONS NON GOUVERNEMENTALES

le 22 mai 1950

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AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED NATIONS  
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11 May 1950

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This letter should be sent to the following:

In English

- FAO
- ICAO
- ILO
- BANK
- FUND
- IRO
- UNESCO
- WHO

In French

- ITU
- UPU



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IV. LETTRE AUX INSTITUTIONS SPECIALISEES QUI  
NE SONT PAS ENTREES EN ACCORD AVEC L'ONU

le 22 mai 1950

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