DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 37TH SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (26 FEBRUARY - 23 MARCH 2018)

Version of 19 February 2018 (PROVISIONAL AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

	WEEK 1		WEEK 2		WEEK 3		WEEK 4
	26 February		**5 March**		**12 March**		**19 March**
MONDAY	9.00 – 12.00 **ITEM 1** **Opening of session** **High-level segment (HLS)**	9.00 – 11.00	ANNUAL FULL-DAY MEETING: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (res. 7/29 & 34/16)	9:00 – 12.00	**ITEM 4 - IDs with:** - SR on DPRK - SR on Islamic Republic of Iran	9.00 – 12.00	**General debate on ITEM 6** (cont'd) **ITEM 7** - **ID with** SR on OPT - **HC/SG reports**
	12.00 – 15.00 **HLS** (cont'd)	11.00 – 16.00	**ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd) **Clustered ID with:** - SR privacy - SR sale of children	12.00 – 15.00	**Clustered ID with:** - FFM on Myanmar (oral update) - SR on Myanmar	12.00 – 15.00	**General debate on ITEM 7** **General debate on ITEM 8**
	15.00 – 16.00 **HLS** (cont'd) 16.00 – 18.00 HIGH-LEVEL MAINSTREAMING PANEL:(res. 16/21)	16.00 – 18.00	ANNUAL FULL-DAY MEETING: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (res. 7/29 & 34/16)	15.00 – 18.00	**IDs with:** - Enhanced ID on Eritrea	15.00 – 18.00	**General debate on ITEM 8** (cont'd) **ITEM 9** - Reports of Ad Hoc Committee, IGWG on DDPA - **General debate on ITEM 9**
	27 February		**6 March**		**13 March**		**20 March**
TUESDAY	9.00 – 12.00 **HLS** (cont'd)	10.00 – 13.00	**ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd) **Clustered ID with SRSGs:** - violence against children - children and armed conflict	9.00 – 11.00	HIGH-LEVEL PANEL: HUMAN RIGHTS OF CHILDREN IN SYRIA (res. 36/20)	10.00 – 13.00	**ITEM 10** - Enhanced ID on HC oral update on the Democratic Republic of the Congo
	12.00 – 15.00 **HLS** (cont'd)	13.00 – 15.00	**BREAK**	11.00 – 12.00 12.00 – 15.00	**ITEM 4** **ID with** COI Syrian Arab Republic -**ID with COI** (cont'd) - **ID with** Commission on South Sudan	13.00 – 15.00	**BREAK**
	15.00 – 18.00 **HLS** (cont'd)	15.00 – 18.00	**ITEM 3** **Clustered ID with:** - SR disabilities - IE albinism *accessible*	15.00 – 18.00	- **ID** South Sudan (cont'd) **Clustered ID with:** - COI on Burundi - HC oral update on Burundi	15.00 – 18.00	**ITEM 10** - ID with IE on Mali - ID on HC report on Libya
	28 February		**7 March**		**14 March**		**21 March**
WEDNESDAY	9.00 – 12.00 **HLS** (cont'd)	10.00 – 13.00	**ITEM 2 - HC annual report** *(presentation only)* **ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd)	9.00 – 12.00	**ITEM 4** **Clustered ID** (cont'd) **HC oral update on DPRK and Eritrea, followed by General debate on ITEM 4**	9.00 – 12.00	**ITEM 10** - **ID on** HC oral report on Ukraine - High-level ID on human rights situation in the Central African Republic
	12.00 – 15.00 **HLS** (cont'd) **General segment** **ITEM 3 -Clustered ID with:** - IE foreign debt - SR adequate housing	13.00 – 15.00	**BREAK**	12.00 – 15.00	**General debate on ITEM 4** (cont'd)	12.00 – 15.00	- High-level ID on human rights situation in the Central African Republic (cont'd)
	15.00 – 16.00 **ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd)	15.00 – 16.00	**ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd)		**General debate on ITEM 4** (cont'd)		**ITEM 2** - **HC/SG country reports, oral briefings** (Colombia, Cyprus, Guatemala, Honduras, Iran, Sri Lanka) followed by **General debate**
	16.00 – 18.00 HIGH-LEVEL PANEL: 70th ANNIVERSARY OF UDHR AND 25TH OF VDPA (res. 35/1) *accessible*	16.00 – 18.00	ANNUAL DEBATE: RIGHTS OF PERSONS DISABILITIES (res. 7/9, 31/6) *accessible*	15.00 – 18.00	**ITEM 3** **ID with** SR minorities (cont'd) **ITEM 5** - Report of Forum on Minority Issues - Report of Social Forum - SP annual report by CC chair - **General debate on ITEM 5**	15.00 – 18.00	**ITEM 10** - **Other HC/SG country reports or oral briefings** (Afghanistan, Cambodia, Haiti, Yemen) - HC annual presentation on technical cooperation and report of Board of Trustees (Voluntary Fund Tech. Coop) followed by **GD**
	1 March		**8 March**		**15 March**		**22 March**
THURSDAY	09.00 – 12.00 **ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd) **Clustered ID with:** - SR human rights defenders - SR torture	10.00 – 13.00	**ITEM 3 - Clustered ID** (cont'd) **ITEM 2 - ID with the HC**	9.00 – 10.00 10.00 – 12.00	**General debate on ITEM 5** (cont'd) **ITEM 6** **UPR outcomes** Czechia, Argentina	9.00 – 12.00	**ITEM 1** **Decisions and conclusions**
	12.00 – 15.00 **ITEM 3 -Clustered ID** (cont'd)	12.00 – 15.00	**BREAK**	12.00 – 15.00	**UPR outcomes** Gabon, Ghana, Peru	12.00 – 15.00	**Decisions and conclusions** (cont'd)
	15.00 – 18.00 **ITEM 3 - Clustered ID**(cont'd) **Clustered ID with:** - SR terrorism - SR cultural rights	15.00 - 18.00	**ID with the HC** (cont'd) **ITEM 3** - Report of IGWG on TNCs - **HC/OHCHR/SG thematic reports, incl. on** HRC res. 34/32	15.00 – 18.00	**UPR outcomes** Guatemala, Switzerland, Republic of Korea	15.00 – 18.00	**Decisions and conclusions** (cont'd)
	2 March		**9 March**		**16 March**		**23 March**
FRIDAY	9.00 – 12.00 **ITEM 3 - Clustered ID**(cont'd) **ITEM 3 Individual ID with:** - SR freedom of religion	10.00 – 13.00	**General debate on ITEM 3**	09.00 – 11.00 11.00 – 12.00	DEBATE TOLERANCE IN CONTEXT OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (GA res. 72/157) **ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes** Benin	9.00 – 12.00	**Decisions and conclusions** (cont'd)
	12.00 – 15.00 **ITEM 3 Individual ID**(cont'd) **ITEM 3 Clustered ID joint study transitional justice:** - SR truth and justice - SA prevention of genocide	13.00 – 15.00	**BREAK**	12.00 – 15.00	**ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes** Pakistan, Zambia, Japan	12.00 – 15.00	**Decisions and conclusions** (cont'd)
	15.00 – 18.00 **ITEM 3-Clustered ID**(cont'd) **Clustered ID with:** - SR environment - SR food	15.00 - 18.00	**General debate on ITEM 3** (cont'd)	15.00 – 17.00 17.00 – 18.00	**ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes** Ukraine, Sri Lanka **General debate on ITEM 6**	15.00 – 18.00	**Decisions and conclusions** (cont'd) - Appointment of mandate holders - Adoption of session report

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