Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice
Second Session
New York, 31 Jan - 3 Feb 2020
Organization of Work
Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

Organization of Work of the Commission

Note by Secretariat

1. The draft organization of work of the first session of the WIMUN Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice which is contained in the Annex, has been prepared in order to facilitate the Commission’s consideration of one item, on “Smuggling of migrants.” The provisional agenda for the session is contained in document E/CN.15/2020/1.

Length of statements

2. The Commission recommends a time limit of 1 minute for individual Member States and 2 minutes for delegates speaking on behalf of political groups during the General Debate.

Conference facilities and meetings arrangements

3. Taking into account the availability of conference services for the WIMUN CCPCJ, unless otherwise specified, these meetings will be held from 3:00pm – 5:30pm, 7:00pm – 9:00pm on 29 February 2020; 9:00am – 12:00pm, 1:30pm – 5:30pm, 7:00 – 9:00pm on 1 March 2020; and 9:00am – 12:00 pm on 2 March 2020. In this connection, the Commission wishes to remind delegations that punctuality is of the utmost importance in the interest of ensuring an effective and orderly discussion of the assigned agenda item.

Informal Consultations
4. During the first informal meeting, delegates will draft resolutions in Political Groups and then merge the different drafts until there is only resolution on each item. Once a draft resolution has been tabled by the sponsors, delegates will review the draft line by line and propose amendments.

5. The Bureau may serve as, or appoint, facilitators in order to contribute to the process of reaching consensus. If consensus if not reached on any of the resolutions in the time allotted for informal negotiations, the resolution will be withdrawn.

Conclusions of the work of the Committee

6. Bearing in mind the number of meetings scheduled for the CCPCJ, the Commission sets a target date of 2 March 2020 at 12:00 pm for the conclusion of its work.
Annex (This is a tentative schedule)

Draft Programme of Work of the Commission

29 February 2020 - Saturday

3:00pm – 3:15pm
Opening Plenary, Adoption of Organization of Work

3:15pm – 4:15pm
Interactive session with UN Experts

4:15 - 5:30pm
General Debate

7:00pm – 9:00pm
Resolution drafted in political groups

1 March 2020 - Sunday

9:00am – 11:00am
Vienna Formula to merge resolutions

11:00am – 12:00pm
Informal consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

1:30pm – 4:30pm
Informal consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

5:00-5:30pm
Informal consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

7:00pm - 9:00pm
Informal consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

02 March 2020 – Monday
9:00am – 11:30am
Final Informal Consultations to propose and negotiate amendments/add additional text if time allows

11:30am – 12:00pm
Closing Plenary to adopt resolution