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Organization of Work of the Commission on the Status of Women

Note by Secretariat

1. The draft Programme of Work of the WIMUN Commission on the Status of Women in the Annex, has been prepared in order to facilitate the Commission's consideration of the agenda item "Review of the Beijing Platform for Action".

Length of statements

2. The Commission recommends a time limit of 45 seconds for individual Member States and 1 minute for delegates speaking on behalf of regional groups during the General Debate.

Conference facilities and meetings arrangements

3. Taking into account the availability of conference services for the Commission on the Status of Women, six meetings have been scheduled. Unless otherwise specified, six meetings will be held from 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., on 10 February 2026; 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. on 11 February 2026; 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., 1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. on 12 February 2026; and 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. on 13 February 2026. 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. Informal meetings should serve the purpose of reaching consensus on one draft resolution on “Accelerating the achievement of gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls by addressing poverty and strengthening institutions and financing with a gender perspective”. If consensus is not reached, the resolution will be withdrawn.
5. In accordance with established practice, informal consultations may be used for expressing general observations on the proposals. The Bureau may serve as, or appoint, facilitators in order to contribute to the process of reaching consensus. If consensus is not reached on the draft resolution, it will be withdrawn.

Conclusion of the work of the Commission

6. Bearing in mind the number of meetings scheduled for the Commission, a target date of 13 February 2026 at 12:00 p.m. is set for the conclusion of its work.

Annex

Program of Work of the Council

10 February 2026 – Tuesday

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Delegate training (mandatory for all delegates)

1:30 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Adoption of Organization of Work

1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Interactive Session with Expert

2:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

General Debate

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Review of Zero Draft in Regional Groups

11 February 2026 – Wednesday

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

General Discussion on Zero Draft

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Informal Consultations to propose amendments

1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Informal Consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

12 February 2026 – Thursday

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Review of amendments in regional groups

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Informal Consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Informal Consultations to propose and negotiate amendments

13 February 2026 – Friday

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Wrap up debate of amendments and Final review of the Draft Resolution

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Final Formal Meeting to adopt Resolution