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Commission on Narcotic Drugs



PROGRAMME

FIFTY-SECOND SESSION, 11-20 MARCH 2009



COMMISSION ON NARCOTIC DRUGS

Time	Plenary Hall, M-Building, level 1	Time	Round-table Hall, M-building, level 1
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WEDNESDAY, 11 MARCH

9.30 a.m.	Opening of the Commission		
	Item 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters		

HIGH-LEVEL SEGMENT

9.40 a.m.	Item 11. Opening of the high-level segment		
10.30 a.m.- 12.30 p.m.	Item 12. General debate of the high-level segment	10.30 a.m.- 1.30 p.m.	Item 13 (a). Round-table discussion: Current and emerging challenges, new trends and patterns of the world drug problem and possible improvements to the evaluation system
2.30- 5.30 p.m.	Item 12. General debate of the high-level segment (continued)	3.30- 6.30 p.m.	Item 13 (b). Round-table discussion: Strengthening international cooperation in countering the world drug problem using shared responsibility as a basis for an integrated, comprehensive, balanced and sustainable approach in the fight against drugs through domestic and international policies

THURSDAY, 12 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 12. General debate of the high-level segment (continued)	9.30 a.m.- 12.30 p.m.	Item 13 (c). Round-table discussion: Demand reduction, treatment and preventive policies and practices
3-5 p.m.	Item 12. General debate of the high-level segment (continued)	2.30- 5.30 p.m.	Item 13 (d). Round-table discussion: Countering illicit drug traffic and supply, and alternative development
6-7 p.m.	Items 14 and 15. Outcome of the high-level segment and closure of the high-level segment		

Time	Board Room C04	Time	Conference Room III, C07
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INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS

FRIDAY, 13 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Informal consultations
3-6 p.m.	Informal consultations

MONDAY, 16 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (continued)
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NORMATIVE SEGMENT

	Item 7. Implementation of the international drug control treaties		
3-6 p.m.	Item 7. Implementation of the international drug control treaties (continued)	3-6 p.m.	Item 4. Follow-up to the twentieth special session of the General Assembly
			Item 5. Drug demand reduction
			Item 6. Illicit drug traffic and supply
			Item 8. Policy directives
			Item 9. Strengthening the United Nations machinery for drug control
			Item 10. Administrative and budgetary questions

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TUESDAY, 17 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 3. Thematic debate on tools for enhancing the effectiveness of international drug control and international cooperation in the fight against illicit drugs, specifically: (a) Data collection for effective drug control, including on the misuse of cyberspace (b) Strengthening of regional and cross-border cooperation, including data-sharing	10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions
3-6 p.m.	Item 3. Thematic debate (<i>continued</i>)	3-6 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)

WEDNESDAY, 18 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 4. Follow-up to the twentieth special session of the General Assembly	10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)
	Item 5. Drug demand reduction		
3-6 p.m.	Item 5. Drug demand reduction (<i>continued</i>)	3-6 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)
	Item 6. Illicit drug traffic and supply		

OPERATIONAL SEGMENT

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 8. Policy directives	10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)
	Item 9. Strengthening the United Nations machinery for drug control		
3-6 p.m.	Item 10. Administrative and budgetary questions	3-6 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)

FRIDAY, 20 MARCH

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Item 16. Provisional agenda for the fifty-third session of the Commission	10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	Consideration of draft resolutions (<i>continued</i>)
	Item 17. Other business		
3-6 p.m.	Item 18. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-second session		

ONGOING MEMBER STATES EXHIBITS

11 - 20 MARCH

M-BUILDING, C04 AND ROTUNDA

- UNODC exhibition
- Exhibition of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction
- Exhibition to Share and Showcase Singapore's Preventive Drug Education
- Iran's activities and achievements in combating illegal drug trafficking
- Photo exhibit on the impact of illicit drug trafficking on the environment in Peru
- "15 years of Partnership: Opportunities and challenges"—Countries of the Greater Mekong Sub-Region and UNODC
- Exposición campaña de Responsabilidad Compartida / Photo exhibit from Colombia on the shared responsibility campaign

Time	Side event
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ONGOING EVENTS

16 - 20 MARCH

10 a.m.- 6 p.m.	Presentation on PEN Online (the automated online system for the exchange of pre-export notifications). Organized by UNODC/Precursor Control Section. <i>C0727</i>
10 a.m.- 6 p.m.	Presentation on NDS (National Drug Control System). Organized by UNODC/External Systems Unit. <i>C0727</i>

SIDE EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, 11 MARCH

12 a.m.-1 p.m.	NGO Contributions to the High-Level Segment. Hosted by H.M. Queen Silvia of Sweden. Organized by Mentor Foundation and NGO Committee on Narcotic Drugs. <i>Conference Room II</i>
1-2.30 p.m.	Joint Action Programme on Drug Dependence and Care. Organized by UNODC/Health and Human Development Section and World Health Organization. <i>Conference Room I</i>
3-5 p.m.	"A new role for law enforcement" . Organized by Drug Scope. <i>Conference Room III</i>

THURSDAY, 12 MARCH

1-3 p.m.	"15 years of Partnership: Opportunities and challenges" — Countries of the Greater Mekong Sub-region and UNODC. Ministerial Consultation. Organized by the UNODC Regional Centre for East Asia & the Pacific, Bangkok. <i>Conference Room I</i>
1.30-3.30 p.m.	Presentation of the African Union Plan of Action on Drug Control and Crime Prevention (2007-12) and related AUC, ECOWAS and UNODC cooperation in Africa. Organized by UNODC/Africa and the Middle East Unit. Cooperating: UNODC/Integrated Programming Unit and African Union Commission. <i>Conference Room II</i>
3-4.30 p.m.	The Beckley Cannabis Commission Report. Organized by the Beckley Foundation. <i>Conference Room III</i>

MONDAY, 16 MARCH

1.30-3.30 p.m.	"Essential Medicines — Balancing adequate access and sufficient control" . Organized by World Health Organization Access to Controlled Medications Programme. Cooperating: Federal Ministry of Public Health, Switzerland. Co-sponsors: Vienna NGO Committee on Narcotic Drugs, International Union Against Cancer (UICC) and Human Rights Watch. <i>Conference Room I</i>
2-3 p.m.	US Prevention and Treatment Approaches. Presentation organized by the Permanent Mission of the United States. <i>Conference Room VII</i>

TUESDAY, 17 MARCH

10-11.30 a.m.	The war against drugs: the reality from the Andes, and pointers to a new policy regime. Organized by Fundación para las Relaciones Internacionales y el Diálogo Exterior (FRIDE), Co-sponsor: Corporación Andina de Fomento (CAF) (Andean Development Corporation). <i>Conference Room VII</i>
12-12.45 p.m.	The Global SMART* Programme: developing capacity for generating evidence as a foundation for policy. Organized by UNODC/Laboratory and Scientific Section. Cooperating: UNODC/Statistics and Surveys Section. <i>Conference Room I</i>
1-3 p.m.	Synthetic Drug Precursor Chemical Control: A Presentation by the United States. Organized by the Permanent Mission of the United States. <i>IAEA Board Room</i>
1.30-2.15 p.m.	"How large is the world drug problem: Do we know?" Organized by UNODC/Statistics and Surveys Section. <i>Conference Room I</i>
2-3 p.m.	Presentation of the Guidelines on preventing illegal sales of internationally controlled substances through the Internet. Presentation by the President of the International Narcotics Control Board. Organized by INCB/Narcotics Control and Estimates Section, INT Phone Book. <i>UN/UNIDO Board Room</i>
3-6 p.m.	Good Practice in Cyberspace: tools for information, education, prevention and treatment. Organized by Vienna NGO Committee on Narcotic Drugs and Italian Centre of Solidarity. <i>Conference Room I</i>

WEDNESDAY, 18 MARCH

11.30 a.m.- 1.30 p.m.	Reviewing our Progress: Global Success In Reducing Drug Use. Organized by Drug Free America Foundation, Inc. <i>Conference Room I</i>
2-3 p.m.	Presentation on Data Collection. Organized by the Australian Delegation. <i>Conference Room I</i>

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH

1.30-2.45 p.m.	A new role for law enforcement. Organized by the Beckley Foundation. <i>Conference Room I</i>
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* "SMART": Synthetics Monitoring: Analyses, Reporting and Trends