Workplan for the implementation of UNTOC COP resolution 9/1 on the preparatory phase of the review mechanism (2018-2020)
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✓ Prepared by the Secretariat
✓ In accordance with resolution 9/1
✓ Based on the guidance of the President of the Conference of the Parties
✓ Approved by the extended Bureau of the Conference at its meeting on 5 February 2019
Intergovernmental meetings to be held as per the Workplan

Meetings in 2019

- Intergovernmental Expert Group (IEG) of the Conference 9-11 October

In addition:

- Working Group on Trafficking in Persons 9-11 September
- Working Group on Smuggling of Migrants 11-13 September
Intergovernmental meetings to be held as per the Workplan

Meetings in 2020 (*foreseen*)

*Working groups that are not held in 2019 should receive priority consideration in 2020, so that all working groups can meet at least once during the two sessions of the COP in 2018 and 2020*

- Working Group on Firearms
- Working Group on International Cooperation
- Working Group on Technical Assistance
- Tenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP10)
Documentation to be prepared by States Parties* ...

✓ Finalizing the self-assessment questionnaire for the Firearms Protocol
✓ Harmonization of the four self-assessment questionnaires

... in the following timeframe

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* Coordinated by the Chair of the IEG under the guidance of the President of the Conference
Documentation to be drafted by the Secretariat...

- Drafting of guidelines for conducting the country reviews  
  February 2019 (done*)
- Drafting of blueprint for the list of observations and summary  
  February 2019 (done*)
- Finalization of the method for the drawing of lots  
  By end of June 2020

Establishment of new secure SHERLOC module

✓ Development of the SHERLOC secure module

To be finalized before COP10 (2020)

CSS + ITS are working closely on the business requirements, which will be shared with States Parties for comments
Establishment of new global programme

GLOW97

All tasks that cannot be funded by the existing regular budget will be funded by voluntary contributions channelled through the new global programme

✓ Concept note approved, name given and programme established to allow funding

✓ Complete establishment of global programme

January 2019

Foreseen for end of April
Status of voluntary contributions

✓ The Secretariat applied for funding from the European Union and Germany
✓ A voluntary contribution was received from France
✓ A pledge was made by Italy
✓ Funding activities are ongoing

If all funding applications are successful, the cost of the preparatory phase as foreseen in the financial statement of resolution 9/1 could be covered
UNTDOC Review Mechanism advocacy

Creation of the website for the Review Mechanism of UNTDOC and the Protocols thereto Available at:


Side events at the margins of intergovernmental meetings are being planned

Briefings on the progress made in the implementation of the workplan will be held as needed
Consideration of pending issues by States parties

- Coordination of the work of the Working Groups on International Cooperation and Technical Assistance, tasked with the review of UNTOC

- Establishment of the manner of engagement of a new State Party to the Convention or any Protocol in the review mechanism once the review process has started
Thank you!

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