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PROPOSED DATES FOR THE 199th SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AND TENTATIVE DATES FOR THE 200th, 201st, 202nd and 203rd SESSIONS

SUMMARY

This document contains the proposed dates for the 199th session of the Executive Board in accordance with Rule 2 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board, which provides that the "Board shall determine at each session the date and place of the next session. The date may be modified if necessary by the Chairman ..."

It also contains the tentative dates for the four other sessions of the 2016-2017 biennium.

2016

Proposed dates for the 199th session

(Including the meetings of the subsidiary bodies)

(6 - 19 April 2016)

(10 working days/14 calendar days)

Bureau (BUR)	Wednesday 6 April, Friday 8 and 15 April
Committee on Conventions and Recommendations (CR)	Wednesday 6 April p.m. to Friday 8 April
Special Committee (SP)	Thursday 7 April
Plenary Meetings (PLEN)	Monday 11 April and Tuesday 12 April, then Monday 18 April and Tuesday 19 April
Commissions	Wednesday 13 April to Friday 15 April

Proposed dates for the 200th session

(Including the meetings of the subsidiary bodies)

(5-18 October 2016)

(10 working days/14 calendar days)

Bureau (BUR)	Wednesday 5 October, Friday 7 and 14 October
Committee on Conventions and Recommendations (CR)	Wednesday 5 October p.m. to Friday 7 October
Committee on Non-Governmental Partners (NGP)	Thursday 6 October and Friday 7 October
Plenary Meetings (PLEN)	Monday 10 October and Tuesday 11 October, then Monday 17 October and Tuesday 18 October
Commissions	Wednesday 12 October to Friday 14 October

2017

Proposed dates for the 201st session

(Including the meetings of the subsidiary bodies)

(19 April – 02 May 2017)

(10 working days/14 calendar days)

Bureau (BUR)	Wednesday 19 April, Friday 21 April and Friday 28 April
Committee on Conventions and Recommendations (CR)	Wednesday 19 April p.m. to Friday 21 April
Special Committee (SP)	Thursday 20 April
Plenary Meetings (PLEN)	Monday 24 April and Tuesday 25 April, then Monday 31 April and Tuesday 1 May
Commissions	Wednesday 26 April to Friday 28 April

Proposed dates for the 202nd session

(Including the meetings of the subsidiary bodies)

(11 - 24 October 2017)

(10 working days/14 calendar days)

Bureau (BUR)	Wednesday 11 October, Friday 13 October, Friday 20 October
Committee on Conventions and Recommendations (CR)	Wednesday 11 October p.m. to Friday 13 October
Committee on Non-Governmental Partners (NGP)	Thursday 12 and Friday 13 October
Plenary Meetings (PLEN)	Monday 16 and Tuesday 17 October, then Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 October
Commissions	Wednesday 18 October to Friday 20 October

In accordance with paragraph 2 of Rule 1 of the Rules of Procedure of the General Conference, "The opening date of the session shall be fixed by the Director-General after consulting Members of the Executive Board..." This consultation will take place at the 201st session of the Executive Board.

Date of the General Conference: The 39th session of the General Conference could be held from Tuesday, 7 November to Wednesday, 29 November 2017.

Tentative date for the 203rd session:

(Friday 01 December 2017)

Duration: 1 working day