

Decision

2013/233

Report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-seventh session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2013, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-seventh session¹ and approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-eighth session of the Commission set out below:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

Documentation

Annotated provisional agenda and proposed organization of work of the Commission on the Status of Women

3. Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and to the special session of the General Assembly entitled “Women 2000: gender equality, development and peace for the twenty-first century”:
 - (a) Implementation of strategic objectives and action in critical areas of concern and further actions and initiatives:
 - (i) Priority theme: challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls;
 - (ii) Review theme: access and participation of women and girls in education, training and science and technology, including for the promotion of women’s equal access to full employment and decent work;

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls

Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women

Note by the Secretariat containing a discussion guide for the high-level round table on the challenges and achievements in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals for women and girls

¹ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2013, Supplement No. 7 (E/2013/27).*

(b) Emerging issues, trends and new approaches to issues affecting the situation of women or equality between women and men;

(c) Gender mainstreaming, situations and programmatic matters.

Documentation

Reports of the Secretary-General:

- Progress in mainstreaming a gender perspective in the development, implementation and evaluation of national policies and programmes, with a particular focus on the priority theme
- Situation of, and assistance to, Palestinian women
- Release of women and children taken hostage, including those subsequently imprisoned, in armed conflicts (in accordance with resolution 56/1 of the Commission)
- Eliminating maternal mortality and morbidity through the empowerment of women (in accordance with resolution 56/3 of the Commission)
- Women, the girl child and HIV and AIDS (in accordance with resolution 56/5 of the Commission)
- Ways and means to further enhance the impact of the work of the Commission

Report of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women on the activities of the United Nations Trust Fund in Support of Actions to Eliminate Violence against Women

Note by the Secretariat transmitting the outcome of the fifty-fourth and fifty-fifth sessions of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

4. Communications concerning the status of women.

Documentation

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the list of confidential communications concerning the status of women and responses thereto

5. Follow-up to Economic and Social Council resolutions and decisions.

Documentation

Letter from the President of the Economic and Social Council to the Chair of the Commission on the Status of Women

6. Provisional agenda for the fifty-ninth session of the Commission.

7. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-eighth session.