1998/229. Provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-second session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 28 July 1998, the Economic and Social Council approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the forty-second session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs set out below, on the understanding that following the twentieth special session of the General Assembly, informal inter-sessional meetings would be convened at Vienna, at no additional cost, to finalize the items to be included in the provisional agenda for the forty-second session and to review the issue of the duration of the regular session of the Commission.

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND DOCUMENTATION FOR THE FORTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE COMMISSION ON NARCOTIC DRUGS

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
   Documentation
   Annotated provisional agenda
3. General debate and policy directives.
   Documentation
   Report of the Executive Director on the activities of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme
4. Reduction of illicit demand for drugs.
   (Special topic: Youth and drugs)
   (Review of national studies on the social and economic costs of drug abuse)
   Documentation
   Report of the Secretariat on the world situation with regard to drug abuse
   (Special report or reports requested by the Commission)
5. Illicit drug traffic and supply, including reports of subsidiary bodies of the Commission.
   Documentation
   World situation with regard to illicit drug trafficking: report of the Secretariat
   Action taken by subsidiary bodies of the Commission: report of the Secretariat
6. Implementation of the international drug control treaties:
   (a) Changes in the scope of control of substances;
   Documentation
   Report of the Executive Director, as necessary
   (b) International Narcotics Control Board;
   Documentation
   (c) Other matters arising from the international drug control treaties.
   Documentation
   Note by the Secretariat, as necessary
   Documentation
   Report of the Secretary-General on the Global Programme of Action adopted by the General Assembly at its seventeenth special session
8. Follow-up to the twentieth special session of the General Assembly and implementation of resolutions adopted by the General Assembly on international drug control.
   Documentation
   Report of the Secretariat on the implementation of resolutions adopted by the General Assembly on international drug control
   Documentation
   Note by the Executive Director, as necessary