Theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of the substantive session of 2001 of the Economic and Social Council

At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 31 January 2001, the Economic and Social Council decided that the theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of its substantive session of 2001 would be “Strengthening the Coordination of the Emergency Humanitarian Assistance of the United Nations.” The Council also decided to hold panel discussions during the segment. The details on the organization of the segment and the panel discussions would be worked out during inter-sessional informal consultations on the understanding that various challenges, including gender perspective, would be considered in the panel discussions.