Decision 2021/213

Procedure for taking decisions of the sessional bodies and the subsidiary organs of the Economic and Social Council during the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic at the 2021 session of the Council

At its 5th plenary meeting, on 24 February 2021, the Economic and Social Council, noting with concern the continued impact of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic and the related limitations recommended on meetings within the United Nations premises and on international travel as precautionary measures aimed at containing the spread of COVID-19, decided that the sessional bodies and the subsidiary organs of the Council, where, in the view of their presiding officer, a plenary meeting of the sessional body concerned or the subsidiary organ concerned was not practicable owing to the COVID-19 pandemic, might apply, mutatis mutandis, the procedure set out in decision 2020/205 of 3 April 2020, entitled "Procedure for taking decisions of the Economic and Social Council during the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic", during the 2021 session of the Council.