

Other Decisions

2024/310

Theme of the humanitarian affairs segment of the 2024 session of the Economic and Social Council

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9 Apr 2024

Plenary meeting

12th plenary meeting

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At its 12th plenary meeting, on 9 April 2024, the Economic and Social Council decided:

- (a) That the theme of the humanitarian affairs segment of its 2024 session would be “Putting humanity first in the face of conflicts and climate change: strengthening humanitarian assistance and respect for international humanitarian law, and promoting effectiveness, innovation and partnerships”;
- (b) That it would convene four panel discussions under the segment;
- (c) To take note of the proposed topics for the panel discussions under the segment:
 - (i) “The seventy-fifth anniversary of the Geneva Conventions: reversing the erosion of respect for international humanitarian law and its humanitarian consequences”;
 - (ii) “Addressing the adverse impacts of climate change in humanitarian emergencies”;
 - (iii) “Embracing innovation and adapting new technology in humanitarian assistance”;
 - (iv) “Transformative humanitarian action: women and girls at the centre of prevention, response and protection”.

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The final edited text of this decision will be contained in the official records of the Council for 2024 (E/2024/99 (Supplement No. 1)) after editorial review.