

Dates and provisional agenda of the 2026 session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

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29 Jul 2025

Plenary meeting

40th plenary meeting

Committee on Non-governmental Organizations

At its 40th plenary meeting, on 29 July 2025, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Decided that the 2026 regular session of the Committee on Non Governmental Organizations will be held from 26 to 30 January, from 4 to 6 February and on 20 February, and its resumed session will be held from 18 to 22 May, on 28 and 29 May and on 5 June;
- (b) Approved the provisional agenda of the 2026 session of the Committee as set out below.
 - 1. Election of officers.
 - 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
 - 3. Applications for consultative status with the Council and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations:
 - (a) Deferred applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification;
 - (b) New applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification;
 - (c) Applications of non-governmental organizations in consultative status that have merged with non-governmental organizations without such consultative status.
 - 4. Quadrennial reports submitted by non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Council:
 - (a) Deferred quadrennial reports;
 - (b) New quadrennial reports.
 - 5. Strengthening of the Non-Governmental Organizations Branch.
 - 6. Review of the methods of work of the Committee: implementation of Council resolution 1996/31, including the process of accreditation of representatives of non-governmental organizations, and Council decision 1995/304:
 - (a) Process of accreditation of representatives of non governmental organizations;
 - (b) Issues on the agenda of the informal working group;
 - (c) Other related matters.
 - 7. Special reports.
 - 8. General voluntary trust fund in support of the United Nations Non Governmental Organizations Informal Regional Network.
 - 9. Provisional agenda and documentation of the 2027 session.
 - 10. Adoption of the report.

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The final edited text of this decision will be contained in the official records of the Council for 2025 (E/2025/99 (Supplement No. 1)) after editorial review.