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Annotated provisional agenda

The present document contains the provisional agenda for the sixth session of the Committee on Social Development (section I) and the annotations thereto (section II).

I. Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session:
 - (a) Opening statements;
 - (b) Election of officers;
 - (c) Adoption of the agenda.
2. Consideration of the draft action plan to strengthen regional cooperation on social protection in Asia and the Pacific.
3. Consideration of the draft Asia-Pacific indicator framework for monitoring progress towards the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and of the commitments contained in the Asian and Pacific Ministerial Declaration on Population and Development.
4. Other matters.
5. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its sixth session.

II. Annotations

1. Opening of the session

(a) Opening statements

The programme for the session will be available online at www.unescap.org/intergovernmental-meetings/committee-social-development-sixth-session.

(b) Election of officers

The Committee will elect a chair, vice-chair and rapporteur for the session.

The list of participants will be available online at www.unescap.org/intergovernmental-meetings/committee-social-development-sixth-session.

(c) Adoption of the agenda

Documentation

Annotated provisional agenda (ESCAP/CSD/2020/L.1)

Annotation

The provisional agenda will be considered and adopted by the Committee, subject to such changes as may be necessary.

2. Consideration of the draft action plan to strengthen regional cooperation on social protection in Asia and the Pacific

Documentation

Action plan to strengthen regional cooperation on social protection in Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP/CSD/2020/1)

Annotation

Document ESCAP/CSD/2020/1 contains analyses of the trends and challenges of the low coverage of social protection, particularly among vulnerable groups, in the Asia-Pacific region. It also contains the draft action plan to strengthen regional cooperation on social protection in Asia and the Pacific, in which regional actions and voluntary national actions are proposed to address the challenges in support of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

The Committee may wish to endorse the action plan and consider ways for the secretariat of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) to support its implementation.

3. Consideration of the draft Asia-Pacific indicator framework for monitoring progress towards the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and of the commitments contained in the Asian and Pacific Ministerial Declaration on Population and Development

Documentation

Asia-Pacific indicator framework for monitoring progress towards the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and of the commitments contained in the Asian and Pacific Ministerial Declaration on Population and Development (ESCAP/CSD/2020/2)

Annotation

Document ESCAP/CSD/2020/2 contains the draft Asia-Pacific indicator framework for monitoring progress towards the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and of the commitments contained in the Asian and Pacific Ministerial Declaration on Population and Development.

The Committee may wish to endorse the Asia-Pacific indicator framework as a tool to support future reviews and appraisals of the Programme of Action and the Ministerial Declaration.

4. Other matters

The Committee may wish to consider other matters not covered under the items mentioned above.

5. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its sixth session

Documentation

Draft report (ESCAP/CSD/2020/L.2)

Annotation

The Committee will consider and adopt the report on its sixth session for submission to the Commission at its seventy-seventh session.
