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Item 2 of the provisional agenda*

Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

Proposed organization of work

Note by the Secretariat

The proposed organization of work for the ninth session of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues was prepared by its secretariat in consultation with members of the Permanent Forum.

* E/C.19/2010/1.



First week**Monday, 19 April**

11 a.m.-1 p.m.		Opening of the session
	Item 1	Election of officers
	Item 2	Adoption of the agenda and organization of work
	Item 3	Discussion on the special theme for the year: "Indigenous peoples: development with culture and identity: articles 3 and 32 of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report of the expert group meeting on the special theme • Report of the Inter-Agency Support Group on the special theme
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 3	(continued) Dialogue with agencies

Tuesday, 20 April

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 3	(continued) Dialogue with indigenous peoples
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 3	(continued) Dialogue with Governments

Wednesday, 21 April

10 a.m.-1 p.m.		Closed meeting
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 4	Human rights: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Implementation of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow-up summary report and recommendations of the Permanent Forum mission to the Plurinational State of Bolivia • Follow-up summary report and recommendations of the Permanent Forum mission to Paraguay

Thursday, 22 April

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 4	(continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductory remarks by James Anaya, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people (b) Dialogue with the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people and other special rapporteurs
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 5	Half-day discussion on North America

Date/time	Agenda item/programme	
Friday, 23 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 6	Comprehensive dialogue with six United Nations agencies and funds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity • Report of the annual session of the Inter-Agency Support Group on Indigenous Issues
3 p.m.-6 p.m.		Closed meeting
Second week		
Monday, 26 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 7	Future work of the Permanent Forum, including issues of the Economic and Social Council and emerging issues <p>Presentation and discussion of the following reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Study on the impacts of the global economic crisis on indigenous peoples • Report on indigenous peoples and corporations
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Study on indigenous fishing rights in the seas • Study to determine the impact of climate change adaptation and mitigation measures on reindeer herding • Study on consideration and recognition of Mother Earth rights
Tuesday, 27 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report on indigenous peoples and boarding schools • Study to determine whether climate change policies and projects adhere to the standards in the Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples • Preliminary study on the impact on indigenous peoples of the international legal construct known as the “doctrine of discovery”, which has served as the foundation of the violation of their human rights • Report of the expert group meeting on indigenous youth and children in detention • Consideration of issues relating to Beijing +10
3 p.m.-6 p.m.		Closed meeting
Wednesday, 28 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 7	<i>(continued)</i>
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	Item 7	Half-day discussion on indigenous peoples and forests (E/2008/43-E/C.19/2008/13, para. 123)

Date/time

Agenda item/programme

Thursday, 29 April

10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Item 7 *(continued)*

3 p.m.-6 p.m.

Item 8 Draft agenda for the tenth session of the Forum

Friday, 30 April

10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Item 9 Adoption of the report of the Forum on its ninth session

3 p.m.-6 p.m.

Item 9 *(continued)*
Closing of the session
