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Programme of work of the General Assembly

Schedule of plenary meetings

Note by the President of the General Assembly

1. The present document contains a revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly. Additional scheduling of items will be indicated in addenda to the present document.

Date

Agenda item

Monday, 1 December, p.m.; Question of Palestine [38]

Tuesday, 2 December, a.m.
and p.m.; and **Wednesday,**
3 December, a.m. The situation in the Middle East [37]

Friday, 5 December

a.m. The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security [28]; Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan [40 (f)]; joint debate

Monday, 8 December

a.m. Reports of the First Committee

p.m. Reports of the Sixth Committee

Information and communication technologies for development [49]

* Reissued for technical reasons.



<i>Date</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>
Tuesday, 9 December a.m.	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [19] Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Wednesday, 10 December	Fifty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights [48]: award of human rights prizes in 2003; Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action [117 (d)]: tenth anniversary of the adoption of the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

2. Inscription in the list of speakers, on a first-come, first-served basis, for the items listed in the present document is open. For inscription, please call 963-5063.

3. Representatives are reminded to submit draft resolutions sufficiently in advance so that Member States will have adequate time to examine them. Representatives are further reminded that, should a draft resolution have programme budget implications, sufficient time should be allowed to the Secretary-General to prepare the programme budget implications and additional time would also be required by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions and the Fifth Committee to review those implications before the draft resolution is acted upon by the General Assembly.
