

Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its sixty-seventh session and provisional agenda for its sixty-eighth session

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5 Jun 2024

Plenary meeting

21st plenary meeting

Commission on Narcotic Drugs

At its 21st plenary meeting, on 5 June 2024, the Economic and Social Council:

- (a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its sixty-seventh session;
- (b) Also took note of Commission decision 55/1 of 7 December 2012;
- (c) Approved the provisional agenda for the sixty-eighth session set out below.

Provisional agenda for the sixty-eighth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

- 1. Election of officers.
- 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
- 3. General debate.

Operational segment

- 4. Strategic management, budgetary and administrative questions:
 - (a) Work of the standing open-ended intergovernmental working group on improving the governance and financial situation of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime;
 - (b) Directives on policy and budgetary issues for the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime;
 - (c) Working methods of the Commission;
 - (d) Staff composition of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and other related matters.

Normative segment

- 5. Implementation of the international drug control treaties:
 - (a) Changes in the scope of control of substances;
 - (b) Challenges and future work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the World Health Organization in the review of substances for possible scheduling recommendations;
 - (c) International Narcotics Control Board;
 - (d) International cooperation to ensure the availability of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances for medical and scientific purposes while preventing their diversion;
 - (e) Other matters arising from the international drug control treaties.
- 6. Follow-up to the implementation at the national, regional and international levels of all commitments, as reflected in the Ministerial Declaration of 2019, to address and counter the world drug problem.
- 7. Inter-agency cooperation and coordination of efforts in addressing and countering the world drug problem.
- 8. Recommendations of the subsidiary bodies of the Commission.
- 9. Contributions by the Commission to the work of the Economic and Social Council, including follow-up to and review and implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

- 10. Provisional agenda for the sixty-ninth session of the Commission.
- 11. Other business.
- 12. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its sixty-eighth session.

Ref: E/2024/28 chapter 1, section A, draft decision 1