UNITED NATIONS INTER-AGENCY MEETING ON OUTER SPACE ACTIVITIES

Thirty-second session 7-9 March 2012 Rome, Italy

INDICATIVE SCHEDULE OF WORK

Wednesday, 7 March 2012

09:00 -	12:30
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Item 1 Opening of the Session

- Welcome address by a representative of WFP
- Item 2 Adoption of the agenda (IAM/2012/CRP.1)
- Item 3 (a) Coordination of plans and programmes: Current and future plans
 - Briefing by the Secretary on the work of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (COPUOS) and its subsidiary bodies concerning inter-agency cooperation and coordination
 - Briefing by the participants on highlights of the activities of their organizations in view of promoting inter-agency cooperation and coordination
- Item 3 (b) Coordination of plans and programmes: Draft Report of the Secretary-General
 - Finalization of the draft report (IAM/2012/CRP.4)

14:00 - 17:30

- Item 3 (b) Coordination of plans and programmes: Draft Report of the Secretary-General (cont.-d)
- Item 3 (c) Coordination of plans and programmes: Preparation of a special report and publication
 - Consideration of topic for the 2013 Special report
- Item 3 (d) Coordination of plans and programmes: Means of strengthening further inter-agency coordination and cooperation in space-related activities
 - Discussion on measures to strengthen inter-agency coordination and cooperation
 - Preparations for discussions with representative of Member States during the open informal session.

Thursday, 8 March 2012

09:00 - 12:30

Item 4 Use of spatial data and activities related to the United Nations Geographic Information Working Group and the United Nations Spatial Data

Infrastructure

- Briefing by OOSA on submission of inputs related to space-derived geospatial data to Rio+20 Secretariat
- Briefing by UNGIWG representative on the status of UNSDI
- Briefing by the participants on activities undertaken within the United Nations system directly related to the use of space-derived geospatial information for sustainable development
- Item 5 Space and climate change
- Item 6 Use of space-based technologies for disaster risk reduction and emergency response
- Item 7 Other matters
 - Substantive items on the agenda of the 33rd session in 2013
 - Venue and time of the 33rd session in 2013
 - Any additional matters
- **15:30 17:30** Adoption of the report of the 32nd session of the Inter-Agency Meeting on Outer Space Activities

Friday, 9 March 2012

09:00 - 17:30

Open Informal Session with the participation of Member States and Stakeholders related to the use of space technology for food security