

PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA
(4 - 6 March 2008)

(presented in the order of proceedings)

1. Adoption of the agenda (EC/59/SC/CRP.1/Rev.1)

2. Adoption of the Work Programme of the Standing Committee in 2008

The Work Programme of the Standing Committee in 2008, as approved at the planning meeting held on 13 December 2007, is contained in document EC/59/SC/CRP.2/Rev.1. This programme is presented for adoption by the Standing Committee.

3. Management, financial control, administrative oversight and human resources

The Standing Committee will consider the following sub-items, each of which will be introduced and discussed separately:

- a) *Update on the structural and management change process: progress report on outposting, regionalization and field review (EC/59/SC/CRP.3 and Corr.1);*
- b) *Follow-up to the recommendations of the Board of Auditors on the accounts for 2006 and previous years (EC/59/SC/CRP.4);*
- c) Oral update on the work of the Inspector General's Office.

4. International protection

Oral update on the High Commissioner's Dialogue on Protection Challenges.

5. Regional activities and global programmes

A strategic presentation on activities, including where applicable the analysis of protracted situations and updates on international burden and responsibility sharing in mass influx situations, will precede each discussion on developments in the following regional and global operations:

- a) Africa;
- b) Asia and the Pacific;
- c) Europe;

- d) The Americas;
- e) The Middle East and North Africa;
- f) Global Programmes and Partnerships.

The strategic presentations will be followed by an oral update on emergency response and preparedness.

6. Programme/protection policy

The Standing Committee will consider the following sub-items, each introduced and discussed separately:

a) *UNHCR's role in support of the return and reintegration of displaced populations: Policy framework and implementation strategy (EC/59/SC/CRP.5);*

b) Oral update on protracted situations which would benefit from international support.

7. Programme budgets and funding

The Standing Committee will consider each of the following sub-items in turn:

a) *Programme budgets and funding in 2007 and projections for 2008 (EC/59/SC/CRP.6 and Corr.1) (a draft decision is submitted);*

b) Initial presentation on *assessing the unmet needs of populations of concern: (EC/59/SC/INF.1).*

8. Any other business