Executive Committee of the High Commissioner's Programme

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1. Adoption of the agenda (EC/68/SC/CRP.1)

2. Adoption of the Standing Committee Work Programme for 2017

The *Standing Committee Work Programme for 2017*, as discussed at the planning meeting held on 13 December 2016, is contained in document EC/68/SC/CRP.2. This programme is presented for adoption by the Standing Committee.

3. Regional activities and global programmes

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

- (a) Regional updates:
 - i. Africa;
 - ii. The Middle East and North Africa;
 - iii. The Americas;
 - iv. Asia and the Pacific;
 - v. Europe.
- (b) *Global programmes* (EC/68/SC/CRP.3);

(c) Resilience and self-reliance from a protection and solutions perspective (EC/68/SC/CRP.4);

(d) *Emergency preparedness and response* (EC/68/SC/CRP.5).

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

The following sub-items will be introduced and discussed separately by the Standing Committee:

(a) Funding of after-service health insurance (ASHI) and repatriation benefit liabilities (EC/68/SC/CRP.7);

(b) Follow-up to the recommendations of the Board of Auditors on the financial statements for previous years (EC/68/SC/CRP.6);

(c) Oral update on the work of the Inspector General's Office.

5. Coordination

The following items will also be presented to the Committee:

- (a) Strategic partnerships, including coordination (EC/68/SC/CRP.8);
- (b) Oral update on the comprehensive refugee response framework.

6. International protection

The following oral updates will also be presented to the Standing Committee:

(a) Oral update on the High Commissioner's Dialogues on Protection Challenges;

(b) Oral update on ExCom conclusion(s).

7. Programme budgets and funding

The Standing Committee will consider the *Update on budgets and funding* (EC/68/SC/CRP.9). A draft decision will be submitted for adoption by the Standing Committee.

8. Any other business
