

FIFTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
(6 - 10 October 2008)
Assembly Hall and Conference Room XVII - Palais des Nations
PRELIMINARY ESTIMATED SCHEDULE

10/9/2008 9:56 AM

	Monday 6 October	Tuesday 7 October	Wednesday 8 October	Thursday 9 October	Friday 10 October
0900-1000 (side events)		Upcoming AU Special Summit on Refugees, Returnees and Internally Displaced Persons in Africa (Room XXIII)	ICVA side event on "How should the 1951 Convention be supervised?" (Room XXIII)		NRC/IDMC side event on the International Conference on the Great Lakes protocols relating to internal displacement (Room XXIII)
1000-1300	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Opening of the session and welcoming remarks by the Chairman 2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters Video 3. Statements by the High Commissioner and the guest speaker 4. General Debate 	4. General Debate (cont'd)	4. General Debate (cont'd)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. (a) International Protection (cont'd) (b) Programme budgets, management, financial control and administrative oversight 6. Reports relating to programme and administrative oversight and evaluation. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 12. Election of officers 13. Any other business 14. Adoption of the Draft Report of the 59th session of ExCom, including conclusions and decisions 15. Closing of the Session Remarks by the High Commissioner and the Chairman of the Executive Committee
1300-1500 (side events)		The Humanitarian Challenge: Q&A with Gareth Thomas (DFID) and the High Commissioner (Room XXIII)	Preparation of the Kabul Conference (Room XXIII)	Roll-out of the Global Needs Assessment (Room XXIII)	
1500-1800	4. General Debate (cont'd)	4. General Debate (cont'd)	Chairman's summing up of the General Debate	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Consideration and adoption of the Biennial Programme Budget (Revised) 8. Review of the Annual Consultations with NGOs 9. Other statements 10. Meetings of the Standing Committee in 2009 11. Consideration of the provisional agenda of the 60th session 	
1800-onward	1800-1830 Nansen Refugee Award Ceremony (Assembly Hall) 1845-2000 Reception hosted by the Chairman and the High Commissioner (UNHCR Headquarters)	1730-1800 Consideration/Adoption of the Report of the 43rd meeting of the Standing Committee	5. Consideration of reports on the work of the Standing Committee: (a) International Protection		

Note from the Secretariat: This forecast is merely an estimate, provided for the convenience of the Committee. Actual time spent in debate on any one item may vary from the estimate.