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TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD
Forty-seventh session
9-20 October 2000

UNCTAD CALENDAR OF MEETINGS*

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Calendar of meetings for the remainder of 2000 ¹

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD forty-seventh session	9-20 October
Expert Meeting on National Experiences with Regulations and Liberalization: Examples in the Construction Services Sector and its Contribution to the Development of Developing Countries (A)	23-25 October
Expert Meeting on Systems and National Experiences for the Protection of Traditional Knowledge, Innovations and Practices (A)	30 Oct-1 Nov.
Expert Meeting on Home Country Measures (B)	8-10 November
United Nations Cocoa Conference, 2000	13-24 November
Expert Meeting on Relationships between SMEs and TNCs to Ensure the Competitiveness of SMEs (C)	27-29 November
Expert Meeting on the Impact of Anti-dumping and Countervailing Actions (A)	4-6 December
Expert Meeting on the Human Resources Development and Training in Trade Supporting Services: Key to Growth with Special Potential for LDCs (C)	13-15 December

Calendar of meetings for 2001¹

Working Party on the Medium Term Plan and the Programme Budget, thirty-seventh session	15-19 January
United Nations Commodities Conference	January (2 weeks if required)
Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, fifth session (C)	22 Jan.–26 Jan.

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Second Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee for Least Developed Countries III (New York)	5-9 Feb. (subject to approval by GA)
Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, fifth session (B)	12-16 February
Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities, fifth session (A)	19-23 February
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD Twenty-sixth executive session (Reports of Commissions)	19-21 March
Third Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee for Least Developed Countries III (New York)	2-6 April
<i>Joint Advisory Group on the International Trade Center (UNCTAD/WTO)</i> Thirty-fourth session	30 April-4 May
Third United Nations Conference on Least Developed Countries (Brussels)	14-20 May
Commission on Science and Technology for Development fifth session	21-25 May
Expert Meeting for Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities (A)	30 May-1 June
Expert Meeting for Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues (B)	13-15 June
Expert Meeting for Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development (C)	27-29 June
Intergovernmental Group of Expert on Competition Law and Policy	4-6 July
Expert Meeting of Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities (A)	16-18 July
Fifth Meeting of Governmental Experts on Land-Locked and Transit Developing Countries (New York)	30 July-3 August

Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting	10-12 September
Working Party on the Medium Term Plan and the Programme Budget, thirty-eighth session (Technical Cooperation)	17-21 September
Expert Meeting Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development (C)	26-28 September
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD Forty-eighth session	1-12 October
Expert Meeting Commission on Trade in Goods and Services and Commodities (A)	17-19 October
Expert Meeting Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development (C)	22-24 October
Expert Meeting Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues (B)	5-7 November
Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, sixth session (C)	10-14 December

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Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, sixth session (B)	21-25 January.
Commission on Trade in Goods and Services and Commodities, sixth session (A)	4-8 February
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD executive session (on Reports of Commissions)	25-27 Feb.

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Provision for other meetings per calendar year

Commodities and other Conferences ²	As required up to 30 meetings
Consultations of the President of the TDB and of the Secretary-General of UNCTAD	As required up to 30 meetings
Seminars and study groups	As required up to 20 meetings

² Subject to request from the relevant Commodity body or the General Assembly