Decision

2011/240
Report of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development on its fourteenth session and provisional agenda and documentation for its fifteenth session

At its 44th plenary meeting, on 26 July 2011, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Took note of the report of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development on its fourteenth session;\(^1\)

(b) Approved the provisional agenda and documentation for the fifteenth session of the Commission as set out below:

Provisional agenda and documentation for the fifteenth session of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

2. Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society at the regional and international levels.

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3. Priority themes:

   (a) Innovation, research, technology transfer for mutual advantage, entrepreneurship and collaborative development in the information society;

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   (b) Open access, virtual science libraries, geospatial analysis and other complementary information and communications technology and science, technology, engineering and mathematics assets to address development issues, with particular attention to education.

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4. Presentation of reports on science, technology and innovation policy reviews.

5. Election of the Chair and other officers for the sixteenth session of the Commission.

6. Provisional agenda and documentation for the sixteenth session of the Commission.

7. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifteenth session.