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## **UNCTAD CALENDAR OF MEETINGS**

#### Note

The present note contains the draft calendar of meetings for the remainder of 2004 and the indicative calendar of meetings for 2005.

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# Calendar of meetings for the remainder of $2004^1$

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, fifty-first session	4 - 15 October
Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting, twenty-first session	27 - 29 October
Expert Meeting on Good Governance in Investment Promotion	1 - 3 November
Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy, sixth session	8 - 10 November
Expert Meeting on Financing of Commodity-based Trade and Development	16 - 17 November
Expert Meeting on Design and Implementation of Transit Transport Arrangements	24 - 26 November
Expert Meeting on Promoting the Export Competitiveness of SMEs	8 - 10 December

<b>Indicative calendar of meetings for 2005</b> <sup>1</sup>		
Expert Meeting on Trade and Development Aspects of Professional Services and Regulatory Frameworks	17 - 19 January	
Expert Meeting on the Impact of FDI on Development	24 - 26 January	
Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, forty-fourth session	31 January - 4 February	
Expert Meeting on New and Dynamic Sectors	7 - 9 February	
UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A SUCCESSOR AGREEMENT TO THE INTERNATIONAL TROPICAL TIMBER AGREEMENT, 1994, second part <sup>2</sup>	14 - 18 February	
Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, ninth session	22 - 25 February	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings will be held in Geneva. All meetings listed are subject to a written notification, which is normally dispatched six weeks before the opening date. <sup>2</sup> Includes provision for United Nations commodity and other conferences.

## 2005 cont'd.

Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, ninth session	7 - 11 March
Commission on Trade in Goods and Services and Commodities, ninth session	14 - 18 March
Joint Advisory Group on ITC (UNCTAD/WTO), thirty-eighth session <sup>3</sup>	11 - 15 April
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, executive session	18 - 22 April (1 day)
UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A SUCCESSOR AGREEMENT TO THE INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON OLIVE OIL AND TABLE OLIVES, 1986, AS AMENDED AND EXTENDED, 1993 <sup>2</sup>	25 - 29 April
UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A SUCCESSOR AGREEMENT TO THE INTERNATIONAL TROPICAL TIMBER AGREEMENT, 1994, third part <sup>2</sup>	9 - 13 May
Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, forty-fourth (resumed) session	23 - 27 May (2 days)
Slot for meeting	20 - 24 June (3 days)
Slot for meeting	27 June - 1 July (3 days)
Slot for meeting	4 - 8 July (3 days)
Slot for meeting	18 - 22 July (3 days)
Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, forty-fifth session (technical cooperation)	12 - 16 September
Slot for meeting	19 - 23 September (3 days)
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, fifty-second session	10 - 21 October

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes provision for United Nations commodity and other conferences.
<sup>3</sup> Meeting listed for information only.

2005 cont'd.	
Slot for meeting	31 October - 4 November (3 days)
Slot for meeting	7 - 11 November (3 days)
Slot for meeting	21 - 25 November (3 days)
Slot for meeting	28 November - 2 December (3 days)
Slot for meeting	5 - 9 December (3 days)

## Provisions for other meetings for 2005

As required; up to 12 half-day meetings
As required; up to 60 half-day meetings
As required; up to 20 half-day meetings
As required; up to 30 half-day meetings

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes provision for an executive session of the TDB on the LDC Report 2004.