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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Note by the Secretary-General

Duration and venue of the session

1. The forty-fourth session of the Commission on Human Rights will be held at the United Nations Office at Geneva from 1 February to 11 March 1988. The first meeting will be convened at 11 a.m. on Monday, 1 February 1988.

Provisional agenda

2. The provisional agenda as noted by the Commission at its forty-third session is reproduced below (see E/1987/18, paras. 574-591).

Pre-session working groups

3. In accordance with previous decisions, the forty-fourth session of the Commission is expected to be preceded by meetings of five groups in connection with the following items:

(a) <u>Item 8 (a)</u>: the Working Group of Governmental Experts on the Right to Development (Commission resolution 1987/23, Economic and Social Council decision 1987/145) is expected to meet from 11 to 22 January 1988;

(b) Item 12: an open-ended working group established to draft a declaration on the right and responsibility of individuals, groups and organs of society to promote and protect universally recognized human rights and fundamental freedoms (Commission resolution 1987/52, Council resolution 1987/59) is scheduled to meet from 25 to 29 January 1988;

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