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COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Fiftieth session

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Note by the Secretary-General

Duration and venue of the session

1. The fiftieth session of the Commission on Human Rights will be held at the United Nations Office at Geneva from 31 January to 11 March 1994. The first meeting will be convened at 11 a.m. on Monday, 31 January 1994.

Provisional agenda

2. The provisional agenda, prepared in accordance with rule 5 of the rules of procedure of the functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council, is reproduced below.

Pre-sessional working groups

3. It is expected that the fiftieth session of the Commission will be preceded by meetings of four working groups in connection with the following items:

(a) Item 10 (d): An open-ended working group established to elaborate a draft optional protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and to consider the implications of its adoption and the relationship between the draft optional protocol, regional instruments and the Committee against Torture (Commission resolution 1993/34, Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/46) is scheduled to meet from 25 October to 5 November 1993;

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