



# Human Rights Council

Twelfth session

Geneva, 14 September – 2 October 2009

## Order of the Day

Wednesday, 23 September 2009

### Plenary meetings

14 <sup>th</sup> meeting	10.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.	Room XX
15 <sup>th</sup> meeting	3.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.	

**Item 6: Universal Periodic Review**

➤ **Central African Republic**

[A/HRC/12/2](#)

➤ **Monaco**

[A/HRC/12/3](#)

- Notes:**
- *The deadline for the submission of draft resolution is Friday, 25 September at 1.00 p.m.*
  - *Delegations are requested to be in Room XX at 10.00 a.m.*
  - *All speakers scheduled to take the floor should provide the Secretariat beforehand with 25 copies of their statements. For general distribution, 250 copies are needed.*
  - *The full text of statements, as well as the audio files may be accessed at <http://www.ohchr.org/english/bodies/hrcouncil>*
  - *Identity photo-badges valid for the session may be obtained by all delegations, if needed, from the UNOG Security and Safety Section at the “Pregny Gate” (Palais des Nations, 8-14 avenue de la Paix) from 8.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. upon presentation of a copy of their letter of accreditation and an identity document.*
  - *The confidential files for the closed meetings on the complaint procedure are available for collection by Council members in office E-2072.*
  - *Speaking time arrangements found in annex.*
  - *Draft programme of work (version of 18 September 2009) found in annex*

**Item 6: Universal Periodic Review**

➤ **Belize**

[A/HRC/12/4](#), [A/HRC/12/4/Add.1](#)

➤ **Congo**

[A/HRC/12/6](#)

➤ **Malta**

[A/HRC/12/7](#), [A/HRC/12/7/Add.1/Rev.1](#)

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**Programme of Work for the 12<sup>th</sup> session of the Human Rights Council (14 September – 2 October 2009)**

*Draft version of 18<sup>th</sup> September 2009*

		<i>1st week</i>		<i>2<sup>nd</sup> week</i>		<i>3<sup>rd</sup> week</i>
		<b>14.09</b>		<b>21.09</b>		<b>28.09</b>
<b>M O N D A Y</b>	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 1</i>		<b>UN Holiday</b>	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 8</i> Annual discussion on the integration of gender perspective in the Council's work (with focus on UPR)
	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 1 and 6</i> Drawing of lots for the selection of (i) Order of review for the 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> sessions, and (ii) Troikas for the 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> sessions of the UPR WG			1500 - 1800	<i>Item 3 and 5</i> - Report of Exp. Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples - J. Anaya (SR on indigenous peoples, ID) -- General debate
<b>T U E S D A Y</b>		<b>15.09</b>		<b>22.09</b>		<b>29.09</b>
	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 2</i> Update by the HC  General debate	0900 - 1200  1300 - 1500	<i>Item 3 (cont'd)</i>  <i>Item 4</i> General debate  <i>Item 4 (cont'd)</i>	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 7</i> Follow-up to special session 9/1 - Report of the fact-finding mission (ID)
	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 2 (cont'd)</i> --- <i>Item 3</i> ID with the SRSG on Children in Armed Conflict	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 4 (cont'd)</i> ---- <i>Item 5</i> Complaint procedure (closed meeting)	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 7 (cont'd)</i>  - HC report  General debate
<b>W E D N E S D A Y</b>		<b>16.09</b>		<b>23.09</b>		<b>30.09</b>
	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 3 - ID (cont'd)</i>  - G. Shahinian (SR contemporary forms of slavery) - N. Maala (SR sale of children)	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 6</i> Consideration of the UPR-reports - Central African Republic - Monaco - Belize	0900 - 1200  1200 - 1500	<i>Item 8</i> General debate --- <i>Item 9</i> - G. Muigai, (SR on racism, ID)  General debate  <i>Item 9 (cont'd)</i>
	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 3 - ID (cont'd)</i> - R. Rizki (IE int'l solidarity) - C. de Albuquerque (IE water) - O. Ibeanu (SR toxic wastes)	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 6 (cont'd)</i>  - Chad - Congo - Malta	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 10</i> - S. Bari (IE on Somalia , ID) - S. Subedi, (SR on Cambodia, ID)  <i>HC reports (Item 2)</i> General debate  <i>Item 5</i> Complaint procedure (closed meeting )
<b>T H U R S D A Y</b>		<b>17.09</b>		<b>24.09</b>		<b>01.10</b>
	1000 - 1300	Panel on Human Rights of migrants in detention centers (res. 11/9)	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 6 (cont'd)</i> - New Zealand - Afghanistan - Chile	0900 - 1200  1200 - 1500	<i>Item 10 (Cont'd)</i>  <i>Item 1 (cont'd)</i> Decisions and conclusions
	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 3 (cont'd)</i> - WG on the right to development ----- Follow up to Special sessions (general debate): - Special session on the global food crisis (Res. S-7/1,) with the SR on Food - Special session on financial crisis (Res. S-10/1)	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 6 (cont'd)</i>  - Viet Nam - Uruguay - Yemen	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 1 (cont'd)</i>
<b>F R I D A Y</b>		<b>18.09</b>		<b>25.09</b>		<b>02.10</b>
	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 2 and 3</i> HC/SG reports and JIU report General debate	1000 - 1300	<i>Item 6 (cont'd)</i> - Vanuatu - Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia - Comoros	0900 - 1200  1200 - 1500	<i>Item 1 (cont'd)</i>  <i>Item 1 (cont'd)</i>
	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 3 (cont'd)</i>  General debate	1500 - 1800	<i>Item 6 (cont'd)</i> Slovakia *** General debate	1500 - 1800	- Appointment of mandate-holders - Adoption of the report of the 12 <sup>th</sup> session

**Information note for ease of reference on speaking time arrangements**

**12<sup>th</sup> Human Rights Council (14 September-2 October 2009)**

<b>Type of discussion</b>	<b>Member States</b>	<b>Observer States and other observers</b>	<b>NGOs</b>
Interactive dialogue – thematic (clustered)	5'	3'	3 (maximum 30 minutes – 10 per Rapporteur)
Interactive dialogue – country (one by one) or if one thematic by itself	3'	2'	2 (maximum 10-15 minutes)
General debate	3'	2'	2'
Panels	3'	2'	2'

- For general debates, delegates are requested to inscribe on the list of speakers with the Secretariat. The list is open for all items at the beginning of the session.
- For interactive dialogues and panels, delegates are requested to raise their nameplates.
- For the consideration of UPR outcomes under Item 6, a timetable for the opening of the lists of speakers for countries concerned has been circulated via Note Verbale.
- National human rights institutions and NGOs should always inscribe on the list of speakers for general debates, interactive dialogues and panels.