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NOTICE

(Course of action for consideration of the draft resolution at the Committee meeting

scheduled for September 23)

The secretariat of the Permanent Council presents its compliments to the permanent missions of the OAS member states and, at the request of the Chair of the Committee on Hemispheric Security, encloses herewith the updated course of action that the Chair proposes for the negotiation of the draft resolution (document [CP/CSH-2084/21 rev.](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=CP/CSH&classNum=2084&lang=e) 6), at the meeting of September 23.

In order to make it easier for delegations to follow the negotiations, the Chair wishes to consider the pending paragraphs in chronological order, from paragraph 1 of the Declaration on Security in the Americas (p. 2) to the paragraphs forwarded by CICAD (pp. 16 and 17). The proposed order of the paragraphs to be considered is as follows:

1. Hemispheric multidimensional security outlook and review
2. **Declaration on Security in the Americas** (p. 2): paragraph 1 Open paragraph considered at previous meetings
3. Commitments to peace, disarmament and non-proliferation
4. **The Americas as a zone of peace** (p. 2): paragraph 2 (including alternative) Open paragraph considered at previous meetings
5. Strengthening hemispheric security and defense cooperation
6. **Conference of Defense Ministers of the Americas** (p. 4): paragraph 3 (proposed by the delegation of the United States)
7. **Confidence- and security-building measures in the Americas** (pp. 4 and 5): paragraphs 3 (proposed by the delegation of Ecuador) and 4 (proposed by the delegation of the United States)
8. Public security, justice, and violence and crime prevention
9. **Meeting of Ministers Responsible for Public Security in the Americas (MISPA)** (p. 5): paragraphs 1 to 3 (presented by the delegation of El Salvador)
10. **Preventing violence and crime** (p. 5 and 6): subparagraph 1.e (proposed by the delegation of Argentina);
11. **Information and knowledge with regard to multidimensional security** (p. 6): paragraph 3 (including alternative). Open paragraph considered at previous meetings
12. **Advancing police cooperation** (pp. 6 and 7): paragraphs 3 (presented by the delegation of El Salvador) and 4 (proposed by the delegation of the United States)
13. **Improved coordination for strengthening public security in the Americas** (p. 7): paragraph 4 (proposed by the delegation of Ecuador)
14. **Advancing cybersecurity** (p. 8): paragraphs 3 (deletion requested), 4 (proposed by the delegation of Ecuador), and 5 (proposed by the delegation of the United States)
15. Transnational organized crime
16. **Combatting transnational organized crime** (pp. 9 and 10): paragraph 2 (chapeau and subparagraph a), includes alternative subparagraph 2.a, paragraphs 3 and 4 (proposed by the delegation of Ecuador). Paragraph 2 and the subparagraph are open and were considered at previous meetings
17. **Hemispheric efforts to combat trafficking in persons** (p. 11): subparagraph 3.c (proposed by the delegation of the United States)
18. **Illicit trafficking in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects** (p. 11): paragraph 2 (chapeau) (open paragraph considered during previous meetings)
19. Regional and specialized security concerns and challenges
20. **Special security concerns of the small island and low-lying coastal developing states of the Caribbean** (pp. 11 and 12): paragraphs 1 to 4 (proposed by CARICOM);
21. **Security implications of climate change** (p. 12): paragraph 2 (proposed by the delegation of Ecuador).
22. Disaster response and critical infrastructure protection

* Pages 12 and 13: paragraph 1 [chapeau and subparagraphs a. and b.) and paragraph 3. The chapeau of paragraph 1 is open and was considered at previous meetings.

1. Inter-American instruments and institutions

* Page 13: paragraphs 1 and 2 (proposed by the delegation of the United States).

1. **Inter-American institutions: Observations and recommendations on the annual reports of the organs, agencies, and entities of the Organization (Article 91.f of the OAS Charter)**

Inter-American Defense Board (IADB)

* Pages 14 and 15: paragraphs 2, 3, 4 (chapeau and subparagraphs a, b and c), 5, 6, 7 and 8 (paragraph forwarded by the IADB).

CICAD

* Pages 16 and 17: paragraphs 1 to 8 (including alternative paragraph 5) (paragraph forwarded by the IADB);
* Page 17: two additional paragraphs submitted by CICAD for inclusion in a section expressing appreciation

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