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# NINETY-EIGHTH SESSION

# **AGENDA**

(Adopted at the 500th meeting on 23 November 2009)

### Monday, 23 November 2009

10.00 - 13.00	Item 1:	Opening of the session and credentials of representatives and observers	
	Item 2:	Election of officers	
	Item 3:	Adoption of the agenda	
	Item 4:	Application by the European Youth Forum (YFJ) for representation by an observer	
	Item 5:	Report of the Director General	
	Item 6:	General Debate Statements by Members and observers	
15.00 - 15.30	Address on Migration, Human Rights and the Economic Crisis		
	H.E. Elle	H.E. Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, President of the Republic of Liberia (video)	
15.30 - 18.00	Item 6:	General Debate (continued) Statements by Members and observers	

# Tuesday, 24 November 2009

10.00 - 11.30	Item 7:	IOM Governance (a) IOM Structure Review
11.30 – 13.00	Item 6:	General Debate (continued) Statements by Members and observers
15.00 - 16.30	Item 8:	Global Migration Group (GMG)  Heads of agencies of members of the GMG for an interactive discussion with the IOM membership on the economic crisis and the GMG's priority areas of focus
Panellists:		<ul> <li>William Lacy Swing, Director General, IOM</li> <li>Carlos Lopes, Executive Director, UNITAR, Current Chair of the GMG</li> <li>Antonio Guterres, High Commissioner, UNHCR</li> <li>Sha Zukang, Under-Secretary-General, UN-DESA</li> </ul>
16.30 - 17.00	Item 7:	<ul><li>IOM Governance (continued)</li><li>(b) Irregular Migration and Mixed Flows: IOM's approach Presentation by the Administration and discussion</li></ul>
17.00 - 18.00	Item 6:	General Debate (continued) Statements by Members and observers
		Wednesday, 25 November 2009
10.00 - 11.30	Item 7:	<ul><li>IOM Governance (continued)</li><li>(c) Programme and Budget for 2010</li></ul>
11.30 - 13.00	Item 6:	General Debate (continued) Statements by Members and observers

#### **15.00 - 18.00** Item 9: **International Dialogue on Migration**

Human Rights and Migration: Working together for safe, dignified and secure migration

High-level plenary presentations and discussion on human rights and migration

- (i) Presentation by the Administration
- (ii) High-level presentations and discussion

Panellists:

- Fatima Mohammed Al-Balooshi, Minister of Social Development, Kingdom of Bahrain
- **Jean-Louis de Brouwer**, Director, Immigration, Asylum and Borders, European Commission
- **Kyung-wha Kang**, Deputy High Commissioner for Human Rights, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
- **Drazen Maravic**, Head of Bureau, Bureau for International Cooperation and European Integration, Ministry of Interior, Republic of Serbia
- Elly Anita, Trafficking in Persons Report hero of the year 2009, Migrant CARE, Indonesia

Moderator:

Robin Oakley, former CNN European Political Editor

#### Thursday, 26 November 2009

**10.00 - 11.00** Item 7: **IOM Governance** (continued)

(d) Appointment of an External Auditor

**11.00 - 13.00** Item 9: **International Dialogue on Migration** (continued)

Highlights of Global and Regional Migration Dialogues

High-level plenary presentations and discussion of selected recent and forthcoming migration dialogues

Panellists:

• Global Forum on Migration and Development (GFMD) –

**George Kaklikis**, Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations Office at Geneva and Specialized Institutions in Switzerland (GFMD 2009)

**Alejandro Poiré**, Under-Secretary for Population, Migration and Religious Affairs, Ministry of the Interior, Mexico (GFMD 2010)

#### **11.00 - 13.00** Item 9: **International Dialogue on Migration** (continued)

#### Highlights of Global and Regional Migration Dialogues (continued)

- Global Meeting of Chairs and Secretariats of Regional Consultative Processes on Migration
  - **Sihasak Phuangketkeow**, Permanent Representative of Thailand to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations in Geneva
- Migration Dialogue for Southern Africa (MIDSA) –
   Malusi Knowledge Nkanyezi Gigaba, Deputy Minister of Home Affairs, South Africa
- Presidency of the European Union (EU) –
   Minna Ljunggren, State Secretary, Migration and Asylum Policy, Ministry of Justice, Sweden

#### **15.00** - **18.00** Item 7: **IOM Governance** (continued)

- (e) Draft reports on the Ninety-sixth Session and the Ninety-seventh (Special) Session of the Council
- (f) Report on the Hundred and sixth Session of the Executive Committee
- (g) Summary update on the Programme and Budget for 2009
- (h) Status report on outstanding contributions to the Administrative Part of the Budget
- (i) Other items arising from the Report of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance
- (j) Election of the Executive Committee
- (k) Any other business
- (1) Date and place of the next session