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### STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMMES AND FINANCE

# **Thirty-third Session**

### PROVISIONAL WORKPLAN FOR THE IOM GOVERNING BODIES

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#### Provisional workplan for 2024

1. In 2021, Member States, through the Working Group on IOM Partnerships, Governance and Organizational Priorities, suggested that, in order to increase efficiency and enable Member States to better prepare for IOM governing bodies sessions, the Administration should provide an annual overview of the items to be considered by the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance and the Council for the coming year.

2. As a result, in September of each year, the Administration prepares an overview of the regular agenda items of the Standing Committee and the Council that will be covered during the following year, as well as related decisions to be taken. The overview for 2024 is presented in the Annex to this document.

3. Additionally, should Member States wish the Administration to present information on a particular subject, they may make the request when this document is discussed by the Standing Committee, or at any other point.

4. In addition to the regular items on the agendas of both the Standing Committee and Council, in 2024, a special session of the Council will be held during the first half of the year to enable the Director General to inform Member States of her selections for the positions of Deputy Director General for Operations and Deputy Director General for Management and Reform. Moreover, during the 115th Session of the Council, an election will be held to appoint the External Auditor for the years 2025, 2026 and 2027.

#### Action required by the Standing Committee

5. The Standing Committee is invited to take note of the provisional workplan.

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Area of work	Seventh Special Session of the Council (First half of the year - TBD)	Thirty-fourth Session of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance June 2024	Thirty-fifth Session of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance October 2024	115th Session of the Council November/December 2024
Senior leadership	Report on the process for the appointment of the two Deputy Directors General			
Programme and budget		Revision of the Programme and Budget for 2024 (Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution)	Summary Update on the Programme and Budget for 2024	Summary Update on the Programme and Budget for 2024
			Programme and Budget for 2025	Programme and Budget for 2025 (Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution)
Financial and governance issues		Status report on the outstanding contributions to the Administrative Part of the Budget and Member State voting rights	Status report on the outstanding contributions to the Administrative Part of the Budget and Member State voting rights	Status report on the outstanding contributions to the Administrative Part of the Budget and Member State voting rights
		Financial Report for the year ended 31 December 2023 ( <i>Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution</i> ) Assessment scale for 2025 Internal Governance Framework: summary of progress to date	Progress report on the implementation of the External Auditor's recommendations Appointment of an External Auditor Report on the work of the Office of the Inspector General Report of the IOM Audit and Oversight Advisory	Report of the Chairperson of the Council Election of officers (Bureau) Admission of new Member States and observers (Consideration and adoption of relevant draft resolutions) Appointment of an External Auditor
		Update on plans for the IOM Headquarters building Update on human resources management Statement by the Chairperson of the Global Staff Association Committee Report of the Chairperson of the Working Group on Budget Reform (as required) Report of the Chairperson of the Working Group on IOM Partnerships, Governance and Organizational Priorities (as required) Update on IOM partnerships with the private sector	Committee Internal Governance Framework: summary of progress to date Update on risk management Update on plans for the IOM Headquarters building Report on the privileges and immunities granted to the Organization by States Report of the Chairperson of the Working Group on Budget Reform (as required) Report of the Chairperson of the Working Group on IOM Partnerships, Governance and Organizational	(Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution) Date and place of the next sessions (Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution) Report on matters discussed at the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Sessions of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance (Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution) General debate
			Priorities (as required) Plan of work of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance and Council for 2025	

Operational activities	Presentation on IOM activities in 2023 (Annual Report) (Consideration and adoption of a draft resolution)	Exchange of views Topic 1 – to be decided Topic 2 – to be decided	Panel discussions Migrants' voices
	Update on IOM's response to migration crises		
	Report on the IOM Development Fund		
	Exchange of views: Topic 1 – to be decided Topic 2 – to be decided		