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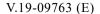
Addendum

Organization of the fifty-fifth session of the Subcommission

- 1. At its seventh meeting on 26 September 2019, the Subcommission considered agenda item 7 entitled "Organization of the fifty-fifth session of the Subcommission".
- 2. For its consideration of item 7, the Subcommission had before it a draft provisional agenda for its fifty-fifth session (UNODC/SUBCOM/54/5, annex). The Secretary made an introductory statement outlining action to be taken for the organization of that session.
- 3. The Chair invited delegations of States interested in hosting the fifty-fifth session to contact the Secretariat in order to determine the venue as early as possible and thus facilitate preparations.
- 4. The Subcommission held a discussion on possible topics to be considered by the working groups at its fifty-fifth session, under item 5 of the draft provisional agenda. A number of topics were proposed, including: Drug prevention in the educational system, particularly in schools and academic institutions; treatment and rehabilitation, particularly for youth and women; effective implementation of legal provisions as a deterrence of illicit drugs.
- 5. The Meeting took note of the proposals and requested the Secretariat to finalize the issues to be discussed by working groups prior to the fifty-fifth session. The Subcommission approved the following draft provisional agenda for its fifty-fifth session:
 - 1. Election of officers.
 - 2. Adoption of the agenda.
 - 3. Current situation with respect to regional and subregional cooperation.

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- 4. Implementation of the recommendations adopted by the Subcommission at its fifty-third session.
- 5. Consideration of topics by working groups [to be determined].
- 6. Follow-up on the implementation at the national, regional and international levels of all commitments, as reflected in the ministerial declaration of 2019, to address and counter the world drug problem.
- 7. Organization of the fifty-sixth session of the Subcommission.
- 8. Other business.
- 9. Adoption of the report of the Subcommission on its fifty-fifth session.

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