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Introduction

1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 12 April 2010, the Congress allocated to Committee II the following programme of work, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 63/193, in which the Assembly approved the provisional agenda for the Congress, finalized by the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, the preparatory body for the Congress, at its seventeenth session, and decided on the issues to be considered in workshops within the framework of the Congress, as reflected in the annotated agenda and organization of work adopted by the Congress (A/CONF.213/1):

(a) Agenda item 8, entitled “Recent developments in the use of science and technology by offenders and by competent authorities in fighting crime, including the case of cybercrime”;

(b) Workshop 2: Workshop on the Survey of United Nations and Other Best Practices in the Treatment of Prisoners in the Criminal Justice System.

2. At the same meeting, the Congress elected by acclamation Mr. Matti Joutsen (Finland) as Chair of Committee II.

