Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

Sixty-seventh session
Bangkok, 19-25 May 2011

Provisional agenda

Senior officials segment

1. Opening of the session:
   (a) Opening addresses;
   (b) Election of officers;
   (c) Adoption of the agenda.

2. Special Body on Least Developed and Landlocked Developing Countries:
   (a) Addressing development gaps, including the implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action;
   (b) Other matters.

3. Review of issues pertinent to the subsidiary structure of the Commission, including the work of the ESCAP regional institutions:
   (a) Macroeconomic policy, poverty reduction and inclusive development;
   (b) Trade and investment;
   (c) Transport;
   (d) Environment and development;
   (e) Information and communications technology;
   (f) Disaster risk reduction;
   (g) Social development;
   (h) Statistics;
   (i) Subregional activities for development.
4. Management issues:
   (a) Draft programme of work for the biennium 2012-2013;
   (b) Programme changes for the biennium 2010-2011;
   (c) Midterm review of the functioning of the conference structure of the Commission;
   (d) Technical cooperation activities of ESCAP and announcement of intended contributions.

5. Activities of the Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission.

6. Dates, venue and theme topic for the sixty-eighth session of the Commission.

Ministerial segment

7. Policy issues for the Asia-Pacific region:
   (a) Key challenges to inclusive and sustainable economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific;
   (b) Economic and Social Survey of Asia and the Pacific 2011.

8. Theme topic for the sixty-seventh session: “Beyond the crises: long-term perspectives on social protection and development in Asia and the Pacific”.

9. Other matters.

10. Adoption of the report of the Commission.