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Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session:
 - (a) Election of officers;
 - (b) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (c) Opening addresses on the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Commission.
2. Theme topic, “A common agenda to advance sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific”:
 - (a) General debate;
 - (b) Subregional perspectives.
3. Special Body on Least Developed, Landlocked Developing and Pacific Island Developing Countries.
4. Review of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Asia and the Pacific:
 - (a) Asia-Pacific Forum on Sustainable Development;
 - (b) Social development;
 - (c) Environment and development;
 - (d) Disaster risk reduction;
 - (e) Energy;
 - (f) Transport;
 - (g) Macroeconomic policy, poverty reduction and financing for development;
 - (h) Trade and investment;
 - (i) Information and communications technology, science, technology and innovation;
 - (j) Statistics.

5. Management issues:
 - (a) Proposed programme plan for 2023;
 - (b) Overview of partnerships, extrabudgetary contributions and capacity development;
 - (c) Report on the evaluation activities of the Commission during the biennium 2020–2021.
 6. Review of the conference structure of the Commission pursuant to resolution 73/1.
 7. Activities of the Advisory Committee of Permanent Representatives and Other Representatives Designated by Members of the Commission.
 8. Dates and venue of and theme topic for the seventy-ninth session of the Commission (2023).
 9. Other matters.
 10. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its seventy-eighth session.
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