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**Executive Board of the United Nations  
Human Settlements Programme**

**First session of 2021**

Online, 7 and 8 April 2021

Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda

**Organizational matters: adoption of the agenda  
and the workplan for the first session of 2021**

**Provisional agenda for the first session of 2021 of the Executive Board**

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
  - (a) Adoption of the agenda and the workplan for the first session of 2021;
  - (b) Adoption of the report of the Executive Board on the work of its second session of 2020.
3. Reports by the chairs of the ad hoc working groups.
4. Financial, budgetary and administrative matters, including the implementation of the resource mobilization strategy in accordance with the strategic plan and a proposal on geographical and gender balance.
5. Reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions relevant to the work of UN-Habitat, issued since the last session of the Executive Board.
6. Status of and discussion on the draft annual work programme of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme and draft budget of the United Nations Habitat and Human Settlements Foundation for 2022.
7. Implementation of the normative and operational activities of UN-Habitat, including reporting on the programmatic activities of UN-Habitat in 2020 and the implementation of subprogrammes, flagship programmes and technical cooperation activities, and update on the UN-Habitat response to the coronavirus disease pandemic.
8. Implementation of the resolutions and decisions adopted by the United Nations Habitat Assembly of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme.
9. Progress made by UN-Habitat in the implementation of the United Nations development system reform.
10. Annual report on action by UN-Habitat to strengthen protection against sexual and any other type of exploitation and abuse and sexual harassment in the workplace.
11. Annual report on action by the Executive Director to update and improve the internal management, policies and procedures of UN-Habitat.
12. Election of officers.
13. Provisional agenda for the next session of the Executive Board.
14. Other matters.
15. Closure of the session.