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Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda

**Organizational matters: adoption of the agenda and the
workplan for the second session of 2026**

Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda and the workplan for the second session of 2026;
 - (b) Adoption of the report of the Executive Board on the work of its first session of 2026.
3. Reports of the chairs of working groups:
 - (a) Report of the chair of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters
 - (b) Report of the co-Chairs of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Expert Working Group on Adequate Housing for All
4. Financial, budgetary and administrative matters:
 - (a) Financial Status including an update on resource mobilization.
 - (b) Recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions and matters.
 - (c) Update on the implications of the UN80 initiative for the structure, staffing, budgetary planning and work of UN-Habitat.
5. Consideration and possible approval of the draft work programme and draft budget for 2027.
6. Update on normative and operational activities of UN-Habitat including an update on activities in areas affected by conflict and disasters.
7. Outcomes of the thirteenth session of the World Urban Forum.
8. Outcomes of the high-level meeting of the General Assembly on the midterm review of the implementation of the New Urban Agenda.
9. Reports from relevant United Nations oversight bodies:
 - (a) Report of Office of Internal Oversight Services,
 - (b) Report of the Ethics Office
10. Consideration and adoption of outcomes of the session, including on the dates and provisional agenda of the first session of 2027.
11. Other matters.
12. Closure of the session.

NOTES ON THE PROPOSED PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SECOND SESSION OF 2026

Note 1: The Provisional Agenda has been prepared on the basis of paragraph 9 of **Decision 2026/4** of the Executive Board as well as the **Annex** to that decision which determined:

- under part B, the “Standing provisional agenda items for the last session of the Executive Board in any given year”, and
- under part C, “Examples of possible additional non-recurrent agenda items that may be added to the agenda, as relevant (non-exhaustive list)”.

Note 2: Agenda item 4 (c) has been added based on the request by the Executive Board in paragraph 7 of decision 2026 /1 which states as follows:

“Recalls paragraph 8 of its decision 2025/6, takes note of the information provided by the Executive Director on the **implications of the UN80 initiative for the structure, staffing, budgetary planning and work of UN-Habitat**, and requests further updates at the next session of the Executive Board”.

Note 3: Agenda item 6 will include updates on the basis of paragraphs 2 and 3 of decision 2026/ 2 which are as follows:

*Para 2: “Takes note of the revised and updated report by the Executive Director on efforts to reconstruct human settlements in Ukraine affected by the conflict,¹ and requests the Executive Director to provide an update to the Executive Board at its next session **on the status of funding to sustain the UN-Habitat presence in Ukraine after April 2026**;*

*Para 3 “Also takes note of the report by the Executive Director on the status of the development of the **efforts to reconstruct the human settlements in the Gaza Strip**,² and requests the Executive Director to complete **the comprehensive report** once conditions permit”*

Note 4: Agenda items 7 and 8 on the **outcomes of the thirteenth session of the World Urban Forum and the high-level meeting of the General Assembly on the midterm review of the implementation of the New Urban Agenda**, respectively, have been included on the basis of part C of the Annex of decision 2026/4 which lists possible non re-current agenda items.

The decisions of the Executive Board adopted at its first session of 2026 are available in document [HSP/EB.2026/16](#).

¹ HSP/EB.2025/INF/17/Rev.2.

² HSP/EB.2026/INF/6.