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Thursday, 23 July		General segment	
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	Item 6 (a)	Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development	Summary by the President of the Economic and Social Council of the special high-level meeting of the Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (A/64/76-E/2009/60)
	Item 8	Implementation of General	Updated report of the Secretary-General on

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			Report of the Secretary-General on the theme of the coordination segment: the role of the United Nations system in implementing the internationally agreed goals and commitments in regard to sustainable development (E/2009/56) (see also under agenda item 4)
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			Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination on its forty-ninth session (A/64/16)
	Item 7 (b)	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011	Relevant sections of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 (see relevant fascicles of A/64/6)
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			Non-Governmental Organizations on its resumed 2009 session (E/2009/32 (Part II))
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			Report of the Council of the United Nations University
			Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (E/2009/57)
Tuesday, 28 July			
10 a.m1 p.m.	Item 9	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations	Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Palestinian people (A/64/78-E/2009/66)
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			Summary of the survey of economic and social developments in the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia region, 2008-2009 (E/2009/20)
			Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Executive Secretaries of the Economic Commission for Africa and the Economic Commission for Europe on the project for a Europe-Africa permanent link through the Strait of Gibraltar (E/2009/63)
	Item 11	Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including Jerusalem, and the Arab population in the	Note by the Secretary-General on the economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the Arab population in the

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		occupied Syrian Golan	occupied Syrian Golan (A/64/77-
		Introduction and general discussion	E/2009/13)
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	Item 14 (a)	Advancement of women Introduction and general discussion	Report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its fifty-third session (E/2009/27)
			Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
			Report of the Executive Board of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women on its sixtieth session (E/2009/62)
Wednesday, 29 July			
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			Report of the Committee for Development Policy on its eleventh session (E/2009/33)
			Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Public-Private Alliance for Rural Development (E/2009/72)
	Item 13 (c)	Statistics	Report of the Statistical Commission on its fortieth session (E/2009/24)
	Item 13 (d)	Human settlements	Report of the Secretary-General on the coordinated implementation of the Habitat Agenda (E/2009/80)
			Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) on its twenty-second session (A/64/8)
	Item 13 (e)	Environment	Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme

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	Item 13 (h)	International cooperation in tax matters	Report of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters on its fourth session (E/2008/45)
	Item 13 (i)	United Nations Forum on Forests	Report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on its eighth session (E/2009/42)
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			Report of the Ninth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas
			Report of the Eighteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific
	Item 13 (m)	Transport of dangerous goods	Report of the Secretary-General on the
		Introduction and general discussion	work of the Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemical (E/2009/55)
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	Item 14 (c)	Crime prevention and criminal justice	Report of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on its eighteenth session (E/2009/30)

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	Item 14 (f)	Comprehensive implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action	
	Item 14 (g)	Human rights	Report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its fortieth and forty-first sessions (E/2009/22)
			Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
			Report of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on violence against children
	Item 14 (h)	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues Introduction and general discussion	Report of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues on its eighth session (E/2009/43)
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10 a.m1 p.m.		Action on outstanding draft proposals	
3-6 p.m.		Action on outstanding draft proposals	
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