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**CONVENTION CONCERNING THE PROTECTION OF  
THE WORLD CULTURAL AND NATURAL HERITAGE**

**WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE**

**Extended forty-fourth session**

**Fuzhou (China) / Online meeting  
16 - 31 July 2021**

**Item 3 of the Provisional Agenda: Adoption of the Agenda and Timetable of the extended 44th session of the World Heritage Committee (Fuzhou/online, 2021)**

**3A. Provisional Agenda of the extended 44th session of the World Heritage Committee (Fuzhou/online, 2021)**

## **SUMMARY**

This document contains the Provisional Agenda of the extended 44th session of the World Heritage Committee (Fuzhou/online, 2021). It had been previously adopted by Decision **43 COM 17** of the Committee (Baku, 2019) and further amended by the Committee during its 14th Extraordinary session (online, November 2020, Decision **14 EXT.COM.4**)

**Draft Decision: 44 COM 3A**, see Point II

## **I. PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE EXTENDED 44TH SESSION OF THE WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE (2021)**

### **OPENING SESSION**

1. Opening session
2. Admission of Observers
3. Adoption of the Agenda and the Timetable
  - 3A. Adoption of the Agenda
  - 3B. Adoption of the Timetable

### **REPORTS**

4. Report of the Rapporteur of the 43rd session of the World Heritage Committee (Baku, 2019)
5. Reports of the World Heritage Centre and the Advisory Bodies
  - 5A. Report of the World Heritage Centre on its activities and the implementation of the World Heritage Committee's decisions
  - 5B. Reports of the Advisory Bodies
  - 5C. Progress report on Priority Africa, Sustainable Development and World Heritage
  - 5D. World Heritage Convention and Sustainable Development
6. Follow-up to the World Heritage Capacity-Building Strategy and Progress report on the World Heritage-related category 2 centres

### **EXAMINATION OF THE STATE OF CONSERVATION**

7. State of conservation of World Heritage properties
  - 7A. State of conservation of World Heritage properties inscribed on the List of World Heritage in Danger
  - 7B. State of conservation of World Heritage properties inscribed on the World Heritage List
  - 7C. Draft Updated Policy Document on the impacts of Climate Change on World Heritage properties

### **ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORLD HERITAGE LIST AND OF THE LIST OF WORLD HERITAGE IN DANGER**

8. Nomination process
  - 8A. Tentative Lists submitted by States Parties as of 15 April 2021

- 8B. Nominations to the World Heritage List
- 8C. Update of the World Heritage List and of the List of World Heritage in Danger
- 8D. Clarifications of property boundaries and areas by States Parties
- 8E. Review and approval of retrospective Statements of Outstanding Universal Value

### **GLOBAL STRATEGY FOR A REPRESENTATIVE, BALANCED AND CREDIBLE WORLD HERITAGE LIST**

- 9. Global Strategy for a representative, balanced and credible World Heritage List
  - 9A. Upstream Process

### **PERIODIC REPORTS**

- 10. Periodic Reports
  - 10A. Report on the results of the Third Cycle of the Periodic Reporting exercise in the Arab States
  - 10B. Report on the results of the Third Cycle of the Periodic Reporting exercise in Africa
  - 10C. Progress report on the implementation of the Action Plans for the Second Cycle of Periodic Reporting in all regions
  - 10D. Progress report on the Third Cycle of Periodic Reporting in the other regions

### **WORKING METHODS AND TOOLS**

- 11. Follow-up to Recommendations of Evaluations and Audits on Working Methods and outcomes of the ad-hoc working group
- 12. Revision of the *Operational Guidelines*

### **FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES**

- 13. International Assistance
- 14. Presentation of the final accounts of the World Heritage Fund for 2018-2019, Report on the execution of the budget for the biennium 2020-2021, Budget proposal of the World Heritage Fund under the biennium 2022-2023 and follow-up to Decision **43 COM 14**
- 15. Other business

### **CLOSING SESSION**

- 16. Election of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteur of the 45th session of the World Heritage Committee

17. Provisional Agenda of the 45th session of the World Heritage Committee
18. Adoption of Decisions
19. Closing session

## II. DRAFT DECISION

### **Draft Decision: 44 COM 3A**

*The World Heritage Committee,*

1. Having examined Document WHC/21/44.COM/3A,
2. Adopts the Agenda contained in the above-mentioned document.