Item 17 on the Provisional Agenda: Provisional agenda of the twentieth session of the Bureau of the World Heritage Committee

1. Opening of the session

2. Adoption of the agenda and the timetable

3. Report by the Secretary of the World Heritage Committee

4. State of conservation of properties inscribed on the World Heritage List:
   4.1 Methodology and Procedures for the state of conservation
   4.2 Reports on the state of conservation of specific properties

5. Information on tentative lists and the examination of nominations of cultural and natural properties to the World Heritage List and the List of World Heritage in Danger

6. Progress report on thematic and comparative studies

7. Synoptic presentation of the budget, including full information on World Heritage activities within the UNESCO Secretariat

8. Decentralization of World Heritage activities

9. Requests for International Assistance

10. Draft agenda for the extraordinary session of the Bureau (December 1996)
11. Preparation of the twentieth session of the World Heritage Committee, including the draft agenda (December 1996)

12. Other business

13. Closure of the session.