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

BUREAU OF THE WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE

**Twenty-fifth session
Paris, UNESCO Headquarters, Room X
25 –30 June 2001**

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND TIMETABLE

1. Opening of the session by the Director-General of UNESCO
2. Adoption of the agenda and the timetable
3. Report on the activities undertaken by the Secretariat since the twenty-fourth session of the Committee
4. Preparation of the thirteenth General Assembly of States Parties (November 2001)
 - 4.1 Information concerning the thirteenth General Assembly of States Parties (November 2001)
 - 4.2 Approval of the Committee's report on its activities for 2000-2001 to be submitted to the thirty-first session of the General Conference of UNESCO
5. State of conservation of properties inscribed on List of World Heritage in Danger and on the World Heritage List
 - 5.1 State of conservation of properties inscribed on the List of World Heritage in Danger
 - 5.2 Reports on state of conservation of properties inscribed on the World Heritage List

6. Information on tentative lists and examination of nominations of cultural and natural properties to the List of World Heritage in Danger and the World Heritage List
7. Requests for international assistance
8. Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth extraordinary session of the Bureau of the World Heritage Committee
9. Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth session of the World Heritage Committee
10. Other business
11. Adoption of the report of the session
12. Closure of the session

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE
25TH SESSION OF THE BUREAU OF THE WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE (UNESCO Headquarters, 25 –30 June 2001)

| Monday, 25 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| 10:00 to 13:00 | 1. Opening of the session by the Director-General of UNESCO | | | | The opening session will be extended to include a discussion on the destruction of the Buddha statues of Bamyan in Afghanistan. <u>Main speakers:</u> Koichiro Matsuura, Director-General of UNESCO, H.E.Mr Pierre Lafrance, UNESCO Special Envoy to Afghanistan, Peter King, Chairman of the WH Committee |
| 13:00 to 15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | | | | |
| Adoption of the Agenda and timetable | | | | | |
| 15:00 to 15:10 | 2. Adoption of the agenda and the timetable | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ 2 (Provisional Agenda and Timetable) | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ INF.1. (List of Documents) | | WHC-2001/CONF.205/2 will be updated, if necessary, and be made available as WHC - 2001/CONF.205/ 2 Rev Action required: The Bureau is requested to adopt the Agenda and timetable. |
| Report on the activities undertaken by the Secretariat since the twenty-fourth session of the Committee | | | | | |
| 15:10 to 16:30 | 3. Report on the activities undertaken by the Secretariat since the twenty-fourth session of the Committee, including a progress report on the revision of the <i>Operational Guidelines</i> , as well as a follow-up to the Indigenous People's Forum and the Pacific Youth Forum | | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ INF.3 Report on the activities undertaken by the Secretariat since the twenty-fourth session of the Committee | | A written report will be provided as WHC-2001/CONF.205/ INF.3. An oral presentation will be given by the Secretary of the Committee. |
| 16:30 to 16:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |

| General Assembly of States Parties and UNESCO General Conference | | | | | |
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| 16:45 to 17:00 | 4.1 Information concerning the thirteenth General Assembly of States Parties (November 2001) | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ 3A . Information on the preparation of the thirteenth General Assembly of States Parties (November 2001) | | | Action required: The Bureau is requested to approve the documents. |
| 17:00 to 18:00 | 4.2 Approval of the Committee's report on its activities for 2000-2001 to be submitted to the thirty-first session of the General Conference of UNESCO | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ 3B World Heritage Committee's report on its activities to be submitted to the thirty-first session of the General Conference of UNESCO | | | Action required: The Bureau is requested to approve the report. |
| 18:15 COCKTAIL OFFERED BY THE WORLD HERITAGE CENTRE | | | | | |

| Tuesday, 26 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| Protection of World Heritage | | | | | |
| 10:00 to 13:00 | 5. State of conservation of properties inscribed on the List of World Heritage in Danger 5.1 State of conservation of properties inscribed on the World Heritage List | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ 4 Reports on the state of conservation of properties inscribed on the List of World Heritage in Danger WHC-2001/CONF.205/ 5 Reports on the state of conservation of properties inscribed on the World Heritage List | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ INF.6 Report on the Interdisciplinary mission to Manovo-Gounda St Floris National Park, Central African Republic WHC-2001/CONF.205/ INF.7 Report on the WHC/IUCN mission to Simen National Park, Ethiopia | WHC-2001/CONF.205/ Web.1 Report on the mission undertaken to Butrint, Albania WHC-2001/CONF.205/ Web.2 Programme de lutte biologique contre la <i>Salvinia molesta</i> dans le Parc National des Oiseaux du Djoudj et sa périphérie 2001-2003". | Action required: as indicated in document WHC-2001/CONF.205/4 and WHC-2001/CONF.205/5 |
| 11:30 to 11:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |

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| 11:45 to 13:00 | 5. (continued) | | | | |
| 13:00 to 15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | | | | |
| 15:00 to 16:30 | 5. (continued) | | | | |
| 16:30 to 16:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| 16:45 to 18:00 | 5. (continued) | | | | |

| Wednesday, 27 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| Global Strategy for a Balanced and Representative World Heritage List | | | | | |
| 10:00 to 13:00 | 6. Information on tentative lists and examination of nominations of cultural and natural properties to the List of World Heritage in Danger and the World Heritage List | WHC-2001/CONF.205/6 Information on Tentative Lists and examination of nominations of cultural and natural properties to the List of World Heritage in Danger and the World Heritage List | WHC-2001/CONF.205/INF.4 ICOMOS evaluations of nominations of cultural and mixed properties to the World Heritage List WHC-2001/CONF.205/INF.5 IUCN evaluations of nominations of natural and mixed properties to the World Heritage List | | Action required : As requested in document WHC-2001/CONF.205/6 |
| 11:30 to 11:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| 11:45 to 13:00 | 6. (continued) | | | | |
| 13:00 to 15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | | | | |
| 15:00 to 16:30 | 6. (continued) | | | | |
| 16:30 to 16:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| 16:45 to 18:00 | 6. (continued) | | | | |
| 18:15 to 20:00 EVENING SESSION TO DISCUSS THE APPLICATION OF CULTURAL CRITERION (VI) as required by the Committee at it's 24th session | | | | | |

| Thursday, 28 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| 10:00 to 13:00 | 6. (continued) | | | | |
| 11:30 to 11:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| 11:45 to 13:00 | 6. (continued) | | | | |
| 13:00 to 15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | | | | |

| International Assistance | | | | | |
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| 15:00 to 16:30 | 7. Requests for international assistance | WHC-2001/CONF.205/7 Requests for International Assistance | | | Action required : As requested in document WHC-2001/CONF.205/7 |
| 16:30 to 16:45 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| 16:45 to 18:00 | 7. (continued) | | | | |

| Friday, 29 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| Adoption of Provisional Agendas | | | | | |
| 10:00 to 10:30 | 8. Adoption of the Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth extraordinary session of the Bureau of the World Heritage Committee | WHC-2001/CONF.205/8 Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth extraordinary session of the Bureau of the World Heritage Committee | | | |
| 10:30 to 11:00 | 9. Adoption of the Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth session of the World Heritage Committee | WHC-2001/CONF.205/9 Provisional agenda of the twenty-fifth session of the World Heritage Committee | | | |
| 11:00 to 11:15 COFFEE BREAK | | | | | |
| Other business | | | | | |
| 11:15 to 13:00 | 10. Other business | | | | |
| 15:00 - | | | | | Preparation of the report of the Rapporteur by the UNESCO Secretariat |

| Saturday, 30 June 2001 | Agenda item | Working documents | Information documents | Web documents | Remarks |
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| - 15:00 | | | | | Preparation of the report of the Rapporteur by the UNESCO Secretariat |

| Adoption of the Report | | | | | |
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| 15:00 to 17:30 | 11. Adoption of the Report of the session | WHC-2001/CONF.205/10 | | | |
| 17:30 to 18:00 | 12. Closure of the session | | | | |