PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE 32ND SESSION OF THE WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE

OPENING SESSION

- 1. Opening session
- 2. Requests for Observer status
- Adoption of the Agenda and the Timetable
 3A Adoption of the Agenda
 3B Adoption of the Timetable

REPORTS

- 4. Report of the Rapporteurs
 - 4A Report of the Rapporteur of the 31st session of the World Heritage Committee (Christchurch, 2007)
 - 4B Report of the Rapporteur of the 16th session of the General Assembly of States Parties to the *World Heritage Convention* (UNESCO, 2007)
- 5. Report of the World Heritage Centre on its activities and the implementation of the World Heritage Committee's Decisions
- 6. Progress reports on Funding initiatives
 - 6. A Progress report on the African World Heritage Fund
 - 6. B Progress report on the creation of the Pacific World Heritage Fund

EXAMINATION OF THE STATE OF CONSERVATION

- 7. Examination of the State of conservation of World Heritage properties7.1 Presentation of the Results of the Experts Meeting on Buffer Zones
 - 7.2 Proposal for the Preparation of a Revised Recommendation concerning the safeguarding and contemporary role of historic areas
 - 7.3 Report on the reinforced monitoring mechanism
 - 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

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

- 8. Establishment of the World Heritage List and of the List of World Heritage in Danger
 - 8A Tentative Lists submitted by States Parties as of 15 May 2008, in conformity with the *Operational Guidelines*
 - 8B Nominations to the World Heritage List
 - 8C Update of the World Heritage List and the List of World Heritage in Danger

8D Clarifications of property boundaries and sizes by States Parties in response to the Retrospective Inventory

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

- 9. Discussion on outstanding universal value
- 10A. Progress report on Thematic Studies
- 10B. Point of information on the preparation of serial transnational nominations

PERIODIC REPORTS

- 11. Periodic Reports
 - 11A Follow-up on the Periodic Report for Africa
 - 11B Follow up on the Periodic Report for Arab States
 - 11C Follow up on the Periodic Report for Europe
 - 11D Follow up on the Periodic Report for Latin America and the Caribbean
 - 11E Reflection on the preparation of the next cycle of Periodic Reporting

SPECIAL REPORTS

12. Protection of the Palestinian cultural and natural heritage

WORKING METHODS AND TOOLS

- 13. Revision of the Operational Guidelines
- 14. Continuation of the reflection on the elections of the members of the World Heritage Committee

FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES

- 15. International Assistance
- 16. Report on the execution of the 2006-2007 Budget and adjustments to the 2008-2009 Budget
- 17. Progress report on the implementation of the recommendations of the 2007 Audit
- 18. Other business

CLOSING SESSION

- 19. Election of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteur of the 33rd session of the World Heritage Committee (June-July 2009)
- 20. Provisional Agenda of the 33rd session of the World Heritage Committee (June-July 2009)
- 21. Adoption of Decisions
- 22. Closing ceremony