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## Programme of Meetings and Agenda for Tuesday, 1 April 2014

10.00 a.m.-1.00 p.m.	890 <sup>th</sup> meeting	Board Room D
	<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Item No.</i>
	General exchange of information and views on legal mechanisms relating to space debris mitigation measures, taking into account the work of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee	[11]
	General exchange of information on non-legally binding United Nations instruments on outer space	[12]
	Review of international mechanisms for cooperation in the peaceful exploration and use of outer space	[13]
	Proposals to the Committee on new items for consideration by the Subcommittee	[14]
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3.00 p.m.-6.00 p.m.	891 <sup>st</sup> meeting	Board Room D
	<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Item No.</i>
	Capacity-building in space law	[9]
	Review and possible revision of the Principles Relevant to the Use of Nuclear Power Sources in Outer Space	[10]
	General exchange of information and views on legal mechanisms relating to space debris mitigation measures, taking into account the work of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee	[11]



## **Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities**

At the end of the afternoon session (891<sup>st</sup>) of the Legal Subcommittee of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, *today*, 1 April 2014, there will be two presentations on the “Education Curriculum on Space Law” by the Office for Outer Space Affairs and on “Developing a Provisional Draft of the Brazilian National Legislation for Space Activities: a non-governmental initiative” by Ms. A.C. van Oijhuizen Galhego Rosa and Ms. J. Macedo Scavuzzi dos Santos of Brazil”, in the Board Room D.

### **WORKING GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL MECHANISMS FOR COOPERATION**

Afternoon\*\*

(Closed)

Board Room D

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\*\* Following the adjournment of the 891<sup>st</sup> meeting

### **SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS**

888<sup>th</sup> meeting

#### *General exchange of views [4]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item.

#### *General exchange of information on non-legally binding United Nations instruments on outer space [12]*

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Japan, South Africa and the United States of America.

#### *Review of international mechanisms for cooperation in the peaceful exploration and use of outer space [13]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of China, Germany and Mexico.

#### *Special presentations*

Presentations were made by the representative of Japan on “Japanese contribution to the General Exchange of Information on Non-legally binding UN instruments on Outer Space” and by the representative of the European Space Agency on “The European Space Agency as mechanism and actor of international cooperation”.

**WORKING GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL  
MECHANISMS FOR COOPERATION**

The Working Group held a closed meeting in the morning.

889<sup>th</sup> meeting

*Information on the activities of international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations relating to space law [5]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item with a statement by the observer for the International Institute for the Unification of Private Law (UNIDROIT).

*General exchange of information and views on legal mechanisms relating to space debris mitigation measures, taking into account the work of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee [11]*

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Canada, Chile the Czech Republic, Germany, Mexico, the Netherlands and the United States of America.

The observer for the European Space Agency (ESA) also made a statement.

*General exchange of information on non-legally binding United Nations instruments on outer space [12]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of China, France and the Russian Federation.

*Review of international mechanisms for cooperation in the peaceful exploration and use of outer space [13]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Italy and Japan.

**WORKING GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL  
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The Working Group held a closed meeting in the afternoon.