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Programme of Meetings and Schedule for Thursday, 12 June 2014

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities

At the end of the morning meeting (677th) of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, *today*, 12 June 2014, there will be two technical presentations on “The Science Data Centre of the Italian Space Agency (ASI) as a modern multi-discipline data centre supporting long-experienced as well as emerging countries in the field of space science” by Mr. P. Giommi of Italy and on “Results from two capacity-building workshops on the prevention of, and response to natural disasters in Mesoamerica” by Mr. R. Williamson of the Secure World Foundation, in the Board Room D.

3:00-6:00 p.m.

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

675th meeting

Opening of the session [1]

The session was opened at its 675th meeting.

Adoption of the agenda [2]

The provisional agenda (A/AC.105/L.289) was adopted.

Election of officers [3]

Mr. Azzedine Oussedik of Algeria was elected to the office of Chair of the Committee, Mr. Diego Stacey Moreno of Ecuador was elected to the office of First Vice-Chair of the Committee; and Mr. Samir Mohammed Raouf of Iraq and Mr. Xinmin Ma of China, were elected to the office of Second Vice-Chair/Rapporteur of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space for the period 2014 and 2015, respectively

Statement by the Chair [4]

The Chair made a statement outlining the work of the Committee.

General exchange of views [5]

The Committee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Nicaragua on behalf of the Latin America and the Caribbean Group, Morocco on behalf of the African Group, Greece and the observer for the European Union on behalf of the European Union, Austria, China, Colombia, Indonesia, Poland, the Republic of Korea and the Russian Federation.

The observer for the International Astronautical Federation (IAF) also made a statement.

The Director of the Office for Outer Space Affairs made a statement on the work of the Office.

Organization of work

The Committee decided to invite the representatives of the Côte d’Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, the Holy See, Israel, Luxembourg, Oman, Panama, the United Arab Emirates and the Sovereign Military Order of Malta to participate in the session as observers.

The Committee decided to invite the representatives for the European Union to participate in the session as observers.

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General exchange of views [5]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Ecuador, Germany, India, Japan, Malaysia, Romania, South Africa, Thailand and Tunisia.

The observers for the Asia-Pacific Space Cooperation Organization (APSCO) and the European Space Agency (ESA) also made statements.

Ways and means of maintaining outer space for peaceful purposes [6]

The Committee began its consideration of this item.

Report of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee on its fifty-first session [7]

The Committee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Germany and the Republic of Korea.

The United Nations Expert on Space Applications made a statement on the work of the United Nations Programme on Space Applications.

Special presentations

A presentation was made by the representative of Thailand on “Future of space industry business in Thailand and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)”.
