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**Programme of Meetings and Agenda for
Thursday, 26 March 2009**

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

789th meeting

Conference
Room III

Agenda Item

Item No.

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

[5]

Matters relating to:

[6]

- (a) The definition and delimitation of outer space
- (b) The character and utilization of the geostationary orbit, including consideration of ways and means to ensure the rational and equitable use of the geostationary orbit without prejudice to the role of the International Telecommunication Union

Review and possible revision of the Principles Relevant to
the Use of Nuclear Power Sources in Outer Space

[7]

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3:00 p.m.-
6:00 p.m.

790th meeting

Conference
Room III

Agenda Item

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Matters relating to:

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- (c) The definition and delimitation of outer space
- (d) The character and utilization of the geostationary orbit, including consideration of ways and means to ensure the rational and equitable use of the geostationary orbit without prejudice to the role of the International Telecommunication Union

Review and possible revision of the Principles Relevant to the Use of Nuclear Power Sources in Outer Space

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Examination and review of the developments concerning the draft protocol on matters specific to space assets to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment

[8]

Capacity-building in space law

[9]

**WORKING GROUP ON THE DEFINITION
AND DELIMITATION OF OUTER SPACE**

Morning*/
Afternoon**

(Closed)

Conference
Room III

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- * Following the adjournment of the 789th meeting.
 - ** Following the adjournment of the 790th meeting.

**WORKING GROUP ON THE STATUS AND APPLICATION OF
THE FIVE UNITED NATIONS TREATIES ON OUTER SPACE**

Afternoon**

(Closed)

Conference
Room III

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- * Following the adjournment of the Working Group on the Definition and Delimitation of Outer Space.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

787th meeting

General exchange of views [3]

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Ecuador, Greece, India, Iran (the Islamic Republic of), Italy and Venezuela (the Bolivarian Republic of).

Status and application of the five United Nations treaties on outer space [4]

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representative of the United States of America.

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

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with a statement by the observer for International Law Association (ILA).

788th meeting

Status and application of the five United Nations treaties on outer space [4]

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item.

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

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Greece and the United States of America.

The observers for the International Law Association (ILA) and the International Organization of Space Communications (INTERSPUTNIK) also made statements.

Matters relating to the definition and delimitation of outer space [6]

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Colombia and Greece.

Review and possible revision of the Principles Relevant to the Use of Nuclear Power Sources in Outer Space [7]

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representative of Canada.

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