THURSDAY, 29 MARCH 2012

Programme of Meetings and Agenda for Thursday, 29 March 2012

10.00 a.m.-1.00 p.m. 855th meeting Room M1

Agenda Item Item No.

Proposals to the Committee on new items for consideration by the Subcommittee [13]
The definition and delimitation of outer space [7a]

Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities

At the end of the morning session (855th) of the Legal Subcommittee of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, today, 29 March 2012, there will be one special presentation on “Digital recordings and English script” by Mr. Imre Karbuczky of Conference Management Service, in Conference Room M1.

WORKING GROUP ON THE DEFINITION AND DELIMITATION OF OUTER SPACE

Morning** (Closed) Room M1

** Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Working Group on National Space Legislation
3.00 p.m.-6.00 p.m. 856th meeting Room M1

Agenda Item

Proposals to the Committee on new items for consideration by the Subcommittee [13]

Status and application of the five United Nations treaties on outer space [5]

Adoption of the report of the Legal Subcommittee

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

Afternoon* (Closed) Room M1

* Following the adjournment of the 856th meeting

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

853rd meeting

Capacity-building in space law [10]

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

General exchange of information on national mechanisms relating to space debris mitigation measures [11]

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with a statement by the representative of Japan.

Proposals to the Committee on new items for consideration by the Subcommittee [13]

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Algeria, Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, the Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, the Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, the United Kingdom, the United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

The representative of Peru also made a statement on behalf of Algeria, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, China, Cuba, Ecuador, Indonesia, Iraq, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, the Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, South Africa and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Special presentation

A presentation was made by the representative of France on “Overview of Space Debris Activities in France”.

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

The Working Group held its fourth meeting in the morning.

854th meeting

*Information on the activities of international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations relating to space law [6]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Belgium and Brazil.

The observer for the Permanent Court of Arbitration also made a statement.

*General exchange of information on national mechanisms relating to space debris mitigation measures [11]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item.

*Proposals to the Committee on new items for consideration by the Subcommittee [13]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Belgium, Brazil, China, the Czech Republic, France, Germany, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Saudi Arabia, Spain, the United Kingdom, the United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

*Special presentation*

A presentation was made by the representative of the United Kingdom on “Reflections on Orbital Debris Mitigation Measures”.

WORKING GROUP ON NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATION

The Working Group held its eighth meeting in the afternoon.