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## Programme of Meetings and Agenda for Tuesday, 14 April 2015

10.00 a.m.-1.00 p.m.	899 <sup>th</sup> meeting	Board Room D
	<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Item No.</i>
	General exchange of views	[3]
	Information on the activities of international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations relating to space law	[4]
	Status and application of the five United Nations treaties on outer space	[5]

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

Morning\* (Closed) Board Room D

\* Following the adjournment of the 899<sup>th</sup> meeting

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3.00 p.m.-6.00 p.m.	900 <sup>th</sup> meeting	Board Room D
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### **Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities**

At the end of the afternoon meeting (900<sup>th</sup>) of the Legal Subcommittee of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, *today*, 14 April, 2015, there will be one special presentation on “Space object registration by the European Space Agency: current policy and practice” by Mr. Alexander Soucek of the European Space Agency (ESA), in the Board Room D.

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

Afternoon\* (Closed) Board Room D

\* Following the adjournment of the 900<sup>th</sup> meeting

### **SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS**

897<sup>th</sup> meeting

*Opening of the session and adoption of the agenda [1]*

The session was opened at its 897<sup>th</sup> meeting.

The provisional agenda (A/AC.105/C.2/L.295) was adopted.

*Statement by the Chair [2]*

The Chair made an opening statement outlining the work of the Subcommittee.

*General exchange of views [3]*

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Chile on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, Colombia on behalf of the Latin America and the Caribbean Group, Austria, Bulgaria, China, Germany, Japan, Mexico, Ukraine and the United States of America.

The observer of El Salvador 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 Subcommittee decided to invite the representatives of the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Israel, Oman, Panama, Qatar, Sri Lanka and the United Arab Emirates to participate in the session as observers.

The Subcommittee also decided to invite the representative of the European Union to participate in the session as observer.

898<sup>th</sup> meeting

**Symposium**

A symposium on the theme “Space Traffic Management” co-organized by the International Institute of Space Law (IISL) and the European Centre for Space Law (ECSL), was held during the 898<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Legal Subcommittee.

The Symposium was co-chaired by the Presidents of the International Institute of Space Law (IISL) and the European Center for Space Law (ECSL).

Presentations were made by Mr. Alexander Soucek, Advancing Space, Mr. Stephan Hobe, University of Cologne, Ms. Isabelle Rongier, International Association for the Advancement of Space Safety, Mr. Yvon Henri, International Telecommunication Union, Mr. Guoyu Wang, Beijing Institute of Technology/Chatham House, Ms. Simonetta Di Pippo/Mr. Niklas Hedman, OOSA and Ms. Diane Howard, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University.

Concluding remarks were made by the Chair of the Legal Subcommittee and by the Co-Chairs of the Symposium.