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Addendum

Annex I

Workplan of the Action Team on Lunar Activities Consultation

1. In accordance with its mandate, the work of the Action Team on Lunar Activities Consultation is to be without prejudice to the consultations stipulated in article IX of the Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies, and to relevant ongoing efforts within the framework of the Committee and its subcommittees. The workplan of the Action Team is structured over three years, from 2025 to 2027. The list of potential priority topics could be updated until 2026.

- 2025: Establishment of the workplan
 - Objective: define and agree upon a multi-year workplan as well as consider a list of potential priority topics.
 - Expected outcome: endorsement of the workplan and an initial list of potential priority topics by the Committee at its sixty-eighth session.
- 2026: Elaboration of draft recommendations
 - Objective: conduct focused, expert-level exchanges to develop recommendations aimed at improving consultations related to lunar activities, considering different options, including, for instance, whether to recommend the establishment of an international mechanism. Report on progress made at the sixty-ninth session of the Committee.
 - Expected outcome: consolidated draft recommendations. Further guidance is to be provided by the Committee based on the report of the Action Team.
- 2027: Finalization of recommendations
 - Objective: finalize recommendations on consultations related to lunar activities for consideration and endorsement by the Committee.





• Expected outcome: endorsement of final recommendations by the Committee at its seventieth session.

Action Team priority topics

2. The Action Team will focus on considering modalities for potential international consultation mechanisms, with a view to facilitating the exchange of information on lunar exploration activities, including actors, programmes, methods and tools envisaged for all phases of lunar missions. In that frame, the Action Team could recommend the establishment of an international mechanism that includes but is not limited to information-sharing on lunar exploration missions, with the view to fostering international cooperation, as well as capacity-building, and avoiding harmful interference in the interest of peaceful, safe and sustainable lunar activities for the benefit of all humankind.