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**Programme of Meetings and Agenda for  
Tuesday, 17 June 2008**

10.00 a.m. -  
1.00 p.m.

590<sup>th</sup> meeting

Conference  
Room III

*Agenda Item*

*Item No.*

Other matters

[14]

Report of the Scientific and Technical  
Subcommittee on its forty-fifth session

[8]

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seventh session

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Spin-off benefits of space technology: review of  
current status

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Space and society

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3.00 p.m.-  
6.00 p.m.

591<sup>st</sup> meeting

Conference  
Room III

Space and society	[11]
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International cooperation in promoting the use of space-derived geospatial data for sustainable development	[13]

### **Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities**

At the end of the morning meeting (590<sup>th</sup>) of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, *today*, 17 June 2008, there will be four special presentations on “The Draft Treaty on the Prevention of the Placement of Weapons in Outer Space, the Threat or Use of Force against Outer Space Objects” by Mr. Dmitry V. Gonchar of the Russian Federation, on “Space for Societal Applications – Indian Context” by Mr. A. Bhaskaranarayana of India, on “JAXA Industrial Collaboration Programme” by Mr. Tetsuya Nagatomi of Japan, and on “Space Perspective on Ocean and Inland Waters” by Mr. Andreas Neumann of Germany, in Conference Room III.

At the end of the afternoon meeting (591<sup>st</sup>) of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, *today*, 17 June 2008, there will be three special presentations on “Space and Education” by the representative of Indonesia, on “UNGIWG UNSDI” by Mr. Suha Ulgen of the United Nations Geographic Information Working Group Secretariat (UNGIWG), and on “Use of Geospatial Data for Sustainable Development – Indian Context” by Mr. K. Radhakrishnan of India, in Conference Room III.

## **SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS**

### **588<sup>th</sup> meeting**

#### *General exchange of views [5]*

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Saudi Arabia and Algeria.

#### *Implementation of the recommendations of the Third United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (UNISPACE III) [7]*

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item with a statement by the representative of the Czech Republic.

#### *Report of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee on its forty-fifth session [8]*

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of the United States of America, Japan, Saudi Arabia, China, Germany, and Indonesia.

#### *Report of the Legal Subcommittee on its forty-seventh session [9]*

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of the United States of America, Indonesia, and Japan.

#### *Spin-off benefits of space technology: review of current status [10]*

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with a statement by the representative of the United States of America.

#### *Space and society [11]*

The Committee began its consideration of this item.

#### *Special presentations*

Presentations were by the representative of Japan on “Disaster management” by the representative of Germany, on “Rapid mapping services and applications for emergency response” by the observer for the Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC), and on “Youth views on the capacity building for community-based disaster management in context of the recent disasters in the Asia-Pacific region”.

## 589<sup>th</sup> meeting

### *Report of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee on its forty-fifth session [8]*

The Committee suspended its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Italy, India, the Russian Federation, Mexico, Brazil, and Chile.

### *Report of the Legal Subcommittee on its forty-seventh session [9]*

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Nigeria, the Russian Federation, China, and Chile.

### *Spin-off benefits of space technology: review of current status [10]*

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Japan and Colombia.

### *Other matters [14]*

The Committee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Mexico, Bolivia, and the Czech Republic.

### *Special presentations*

Presentations were made on “Space and society” by the representative of the International Astronautical Federation (IAF), on “Near-Earth Objects” by the observer for the Association of Space Explorers (ASE), and on “Introducing a New Framework for Space Traffic Management (STM)” by the observer for the Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC).