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ON TRADE AND EMPLOYMENT

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

(As revised at the Third Executive Session of
the Preparatory Committee.)

1. Opening of the Session by the temporary President.
2. Remarks by the representative of the host Government.
3. Adoption of the provisional rules of procedure.
4. Election of the Chairman.
5. Election of the first Vice-Chairman.
6. Election of the second Vice-Chairman.
7. Adoption of the Provisional Agenda.
8. General discussion of the scope of the work of the Preparatory Committee.
9. Establishment of Committees.
10. (a) International agreement relating to the achievement and maintenance of high and steadily rising levels of effective demand, employment and economic activity.
(b) International agreement relating to industrial development.
(c) International agreement relating to regulations, restrictions and discriminations affecting international trade.
(d) International agreement relating to restrictive business practices.
(e) International agreement relating to inter-governmental commodity arrangements.
(f) Establishment of an international trade organization, as a specialized agency of the United Nations, having appropriate responsibilities in the above fields. (Article 3 of the Council

....Resolution).

11. Elaboration of annotated draft agenda, including a draft Convention, for consideration by the International Conference on Trade and Employment. (Article 2 of the Council Resolution).
 12. Date and place of the International Conference on Trade and Employment. (Article 5 of the Council Resolution).
 13. Determination of what States, if any, not Members of the United Nations, should be invited to the Conference on Trade and Employment. (Article 5 of the Council Resolution).
 14. Final consideration and adoption of reports of Committees.
 15. Adoption of the report of the Preparatory Committee for submission to the Economic and Social Council on agenda items 10, 11, 12 and 13 in accordance with the Economic and Social Council's Resolution of 18 February 1946, setting up the Preparatory Committee.
 16. Other items.
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