Draft Provisional Agenda

1. Opening of the Session
2. Credentials of Representatives
3. Election of Officebearers
4. Adoption of the Agenda
5. Key addresses and report on the Work of WHO
   5.1 Introduction to the Regional Director’s Annual Report on the Work of WHO in the South-East Asia Region covering the period 1 January 2016–31 December 2016
   5.2 Address by the Director-General
6. Ministerial Roundtable
   6.1 Building health systems resilience to climate change
7. Programme Budget matters:
   7.1 Programme Budget 2016–2017: Implementation and mid-term review
   7.2 Programme Budget 2018–2019
   7.3 Transparency, accountability, monitoring and evaluation
   7.4 Draft Concept Note on the Thirteenth WHO General Programme of Work
8. Policy and technical matters:
   8.1 Hepatitis
   8.2 TB: ‘Bending the Curve’
   8.3 Access to medicines
   8.4 Vector control
   8.5 Road safety
8.6 SDGs and progress towards universal health coverage:
   i. Strengthening PHC and health workforce
   ii. Annual progress monitoring of UHC and SDGs

9. Progress reports on selected Regional Committee resolutions

9.1 Expanding the scope of the South-East Asia Regional Health Emergency Fund (SEARHEF) (SEA/RC69/R6)

9.2 Challenges in polio eradication (SEA/RC60/R8)

9.3 Measles elimination and rubella/congenital rubella syndrome control (SEA/RC66/R5)

9.4 Antimicrobial resistance (SEA/RC68/R3)

9.5 Patient safety contributing to sustainable universal health coverage (SEA/RC68/R4)


9.7 Capacity-building of Member States in global health (SEA/RC63/R6)

9.8 Consultative Expert Working Group on Research and Development (CEWG): Financing and Coordination (SEA/RC65/R3)

10. Governing Body matters

10.1 Key issues arising out of the Seventieth World Health Assembly and the 140th and 141st Sessions of the WHO Executive Board

10.2 Review of the Draft Provisional Agenda of the 142nd Session of the WHO Executive Board

10.3 Elective posts for Governing Body meetings (WHA, EB and PBAC)

11. Management and Governance matters: Status of the SEA Regional Office Building

12. Special Programmes


13  Time and place of future Sessions of the Regional Committee  SEA/RC70/19

14  Adoption of resolutions

15  Adoption of the Report of the Seventieth Session of the Regional Committee  SEA/RC70/20

16  Closing session