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Room 2000 A

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Friday, 26 October 2012		
Time	Meeting	Place
9 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Special Gender Partnership Session (conclusion) Gender-sensitive parliaments	Room 200 B
	 Consideration of reports from break-out groups Gender-sensitive self-assessment Adoption of the Plan of action for gender-sensitive parliaments 	
9 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.	Panel session	Room 2000 C
	Peak oil: What prospects for energy security?	
	The invited experts will offer an in-depth look at how the world's changing energy situation will affect consumption and sustainable development. Delegates will have the opportunity to examine and ask questions about problems and policies related to the decrease in fossil fuel production following peak oil, and the consequences for future energy security. Moderator/ Mr. S. Alhusseini, MP (Saudi Arabia), discussant: President of the IPU's Second Standing Committee	
	Panellists: Mr. Kjell Aleklett, President of the Association for the Study of	

Peak Oil and Gas (Sweden)

Ms. Anne Korin, Co-Director of the Institute for the Analysis of Global Security (IAGS) and Adviser to the United States Energy

Security Council

9 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.

Joint IPU-ASGP session

Parliamentary representation and communication, and the role of social media

Many parliaments are experimenting with social media to reach out to citizens. The session's objective is to exchange experience on the risks and benefits, and contribute to effective parliamentary use of social media.

- Social media and parliamentarians: risks and benefits for representation
- Practical workshop on using social media
- Social media and citizens: are parliaments ready?
- Review of draft Guidelines/key questions on parliaments and social

Members of parliament, Secretaries General and parliamentary staff are encouraged to attend.

Information as at 25 October, at 6 p.m.

1 p.m. – 2.30 p.m.

Getting there: Towards the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and beyond 2015

Room 202

An informal briefing by the IPU and the United Nations Millennium Campaign (UNMC), reviewing ongoing cooperation to support the implementation of the MDGs and introducing current global processes to define a new set of goals to succeed the MDGs after 2015. Participants will be invited to share their stories and help plan for the future.

Hosts: Ms. Corinne Woods, Director, UNMC

Mr. Martin Chungong, Director, Division of Programmes, IPU

Chair: Mr. Alhassan Ado Garba, MP

Chair of the Specialized Committee on the MDGs (Nigeria)

A light lunch will be provided.

2 p.m. – 4 p.m. Assembly – Closing sitting

Room 200 C

 Item 6 – Emergency item: The institutional and security situation in Mali

Rapporteur: Mr. Philippe Mahoux, MP (Belgium)

Item 5 – Outcome of:

(a) Special debate on Citizenship, identity and linguistic and cultural diversity in a globalized world –

Quebec City Declaration

Rapporteur: Mr. Epiphane Quenum (Benin)

(b) Special gender partnership session on gender-sensitive

parliaments –

Plan of action for gender-sensitive parliaments Rapporteurs: Ms. Rebecca Kadaga (Uganda)

Mr. Franklin Drilon (Philippines)

(c) IPU Committee on United Nations Affairs –

Report

Rapporteur: Ms. Katri Komi (Finland)

OTHER INFORMATION

- List of delegates: The final List of Delegates will be made available on the IPU website.
- **Results of the Assembly and related meetings:** All delegations will receive two printed copies of the Results of the 127th Assembly. IPU Members are also reminded that the different sections of the brochure are accessible from the IPU website (**http://www.ipu.org**) two weeks after the close of the Assembly. In addition, a complete electronic version of the Results may be downloaded from the IPU website in PDF format.
- Summary records:
 - **Summary records of the Assembly and of the Standing Committees** will be made available to all IPU Members no later than four months after the close of the Assembly;
 - **Summary records of the Governing Council** will be made available to all IPU Members after the Assembly.