

130th IPU ASSEMBLY AND RELATED MEETINGS

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FORUM OF YOUNG PARLIAMENTARIANS OF THE IPU

Monday, 17 March 2014, 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. *Room A, CCV Annexe, CICG*

Provisional agenda

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- 2. Contribution to the work of the 130th Assembly

Members of the Forum will share their views from a youth perspective on the draft resolutions under consideration during the 130th Assembly, on the following themes:

- Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world: The contribution of parliaments (Subject item before the Standing Committee on Peace and International Security);
- Towards risk-resilient development: Taking into consideration demographic trends and natural constraints (Subject item before the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development, Finance and Trade);
- The role of parliaments in protecting the rights of children, in particular unaccompanied migrant children, and in preventing their exploitation in situations of war and conflict (Subject item before the Standing Committee on Democracy and Human Rights).

Members may wish to draw up a set of recommendations to make to the Standing Committees.

3. Implementation of the Rules and Modalities of the Forum at the 131st Assembly in October 2014

The Forum's Rules and Modalities will be implemented for the first time at the 131st Assembly. Members will prepare for the next meeting of the Forum, including by:

- Selecting rapporteurs to prepare "youth overview reports" on main areas of work of IPU Committees; and
- Preparing for the elections to the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians.
- 4. Update and discussion on the Forum's activities in 2014

Members will exchange views on a series of activities planned in 2014 to support youth participation, among which is the First IPU Conference of Young Parliamentarians.

- 5. Q & A with the candidates for the post of Secretary General of the IPU
 - A Q-&-A session will allow the members of the Forum to put their questions to the candidates for the post of IPU Secretary General.
- 6. Any other business