

Journal

1 December 2011

**INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT
TENTH SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY OF STATES PARTIES
NEW YORK, 12 – 21 DECEMBER 2011**

Forthcoming official meetings

Monday, 12 December 2011

First plenary meeting

- Opening of the session
- Silent prayer or meditation
- Adoption of the agenda
- Election of the President of the Assembly
- Election of two Vice-Presidents and 18 members of the Bureau
- Appointment of the Credentials Committee
- Organization of work
- States in arrears
- Report on the activities of the Court
- Report of the Board of Directors of the Trust Fund for Victims
- Report on the activities of the Bureau
- Report of the Oversight Committee on the permanent premises
- Election of six members of the Committee on Budget and Finance
- Meeting of the Credentials Committee

10:00 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Second plenary meeting

- Election of the Prosecutor
- Election of six judges

15:00 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Tuesday, 13 December 2011

Second plenary meeting

- Election of six judges

10:00 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Second plenary meeting**- Election of six judges**

15:00 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Wednesday, 14 December 2011**Third plenary meeting****General debate**

10:00 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Fourth plenary meeting**General debate**

15:00 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Thursday, 15 December 2011**Fifth plenary meeting*****- Consideration of the budget: Presentations by the Registrar of the International Criminal Court and the Chair of the Committee on Budget and Finance****- Consideration of the Audit reports**

11:30 – 13:30.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on amendments

15:00 – 16:30.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution

16:30 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Friday, 16 December 2011**Sixth plenary meeting****Progress report by the Coordinators**

10:00 – 11:00.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on amendments

11:00 – 12:00.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on Study Group on Governance

12:00 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on the budget

15:00 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

* From 10:00 to 11:15, delegations are invited to attend the report of the Prosecutor on the situation in Darfur to the UN Security Council.

Monday, 19 December 2011**Informal consultations on non-cooperation**

10:00 – 10:30.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on cooperation

10:30 – 11:00.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution

11:00 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on the budget

15:00 – 16:30.....Conference Room 2

Reserved

16:30 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Tuesday, 20 December 2011**Interim report of the Credentials Committee**

10:00 – 10:30.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on permanent premises

10:30 – 11:30.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on the budget

11:30 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Working Group on the budget

15:00 – 16:30.....Conference Room 2

Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution

16:30 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Wednesday, 21 December 2011**Reserved**

10:00 – 11:30.....Conference Room 2

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11:30 – 13:00.....Conference Room 2

Seventh plenary meeting

- Consideration of reports
- Report of the Credentials Committee
- Oral report of the Rapporteur
- Adoption of the report
- Closure of the session

15:00 – 18:00.....Conference Room 2

Other forthcoming meetings

Thursday, 8 December 2011

"Supporting Complementarity at the National Level, an Integrated Approach to the Rule of Law" (Co-hosted by Permanent Missions of Denmark and South Africa, UNDP and ICTJ)
09:00 – 19:00 (*By invitation only*).....Greentree Estate¹

Friday, 9 December 2011

"Supporting Complementarity at the National Level, an Integrated Approach to the Rule of Law" (Co-hosted by Permanent Missions of Denmark and South Africa, UNDP and ICTJ)
09:00 – 17:30 (*By invitation only*).....Greentree Estate

Mock election for six judges (organized by the Secretariat of the Assembly)
13:00 – 14:00.....Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Sunday, 11 December 2011

"The Justice Gala" (Hosted by Cinema for Peace Foundation and the Office of the Prosecutor)
18:00 – 21:00 (*By invitation only*).....Harvard Club²

Monday, 12 December 2011

Side-Event on the Crime of Aggression, including book launch of the "Travaux Préparatoires of the Crime of Aggression", in collaboration with Cambridge University Press, the Global Institute for the Prevention of Aggression, and Parliamentarians for Global Action (hosted by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein)
13:15 – 14:00.....Conference Room 4 (NLB)

"A complementarity-tool: assisting international criminal investigations - launch of a handbook for the international field worker as well as the occasional practitioner" (Co-hosted by the Permanent Mission of Sweden and Folke Bernadotte Academy)
13:15 - 14:30..... Conference Room 7 (NLB)

CICC Meeting with Europe Regional Governments
13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

Side Event on Complementarity (Hosted by the Coalition for the International Criminal Court)
13:15 – 14:30..... Venue t.b.d.

"Reception" (Co-hosted by the Permanent Mission of Sweden and the Trust Fund for Victims)
19:00 – 21:00.....Permanent Mission of Sweden³

¹ 220 Community Drive, Manhasset, New York.

² 35 West 44th Street.

³ One Dag Hammarskjöld Plaza, 885 Second Avenue, 46th floor.

Tuesday, 13 December 2011

"Complementarity and inter State cooperation in criminal matters in the investigation and prosecution of ICC core crimes at the national level: presentation of the expert meeting held in The Hague on November 22." (Co-hosted by the Permanent Missions of Belgium, the Netherlands and Slovenia)

13:15 – 14:30.....Conference Room A (NLB)

"Victims, Reparations and the ICC" (Hosted by the Permanent Mission of Finland)

13:15 – 14:15.....Conference Room 2 (NLB)

CICC Meeting with Africa Regional Governments

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

CICC Meeting with Asia & Pacific Regional Governments

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

Launch of the Gender Report Card on the International Criminal Court 2011 (Hosted by Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice)

13:30 – 15:00.....UN Millenium Plaza Hotel

"NGO Coalition for the International Criminal Court Reception honoring the election of the new President of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute and honoring the work of the outgoing President of the Assembly, with the presence of the United Nations Secretary - General"

18:30 – 20:30.....Church Center⁴

Wednesday, 14 December 2011

CICC Meeting with Middle East and North Africa Regional Governments

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

CICC Meeting with Ibero-American Regional Governments

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

"Witness protection" (Co-hosted by Permanent Missions of Denmark and the United States of America)

13:15 – 14:30.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Thursday, 15 December 2011

"Report of the ICC Prosecutor on the situation in Darfur"

10:00 – 10:30.....Security Council (General Assembly building, basement)

"Between the Courtroom and the Field: A strategic and practical approach to Registry's operations" (Organized by the Registry)

13:00 – 15:00.....Conference Room 2 (NLB)

⁴ 777 UN Plaza, 2nd floor.

“Use of National Experiences in Complementarity Capacity Building: Examples from Serbia” (Hosted by the Permanent Mission of Serbia)

13:15 – 14:30.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Side - event on Preliminary Examinations (Hosted by the Coalition for the International Criminal Court)

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

Media event on Children and Armed Conflict (Hosted by the UN Office of the Special Representative for Children and Armed Conflict)

14:00 – 14:30.....Dag Hammarskjold Auditorium

High-level round-table on “The ICC and international crimes against children” (Hosted by the UN Office of the Special Representative for Children and Armed Conflict)

15:00 – 17:30.....Dag Hammarskjold Auditorium

Book launch: *All the Missing Souls* by Mr. David Scheffer” (hosted by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein)

18:00.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Friday, 16 December 2011**“Complementarity and rule of law” (Co-hosted by the Permanent Missions of Denmark and South Africa, UNDP and ICTJ)**

13:15 – 14:45.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Side - event on Outreach (Hosted by the Coalition for the International Criminal Court)

13:15 – 14:30.....Venue t.b.d.

“Strategic Consultations on the role of International Organisations in Enhancing Law Enforcement and State Cooperation with the ICC” (Hosted by the Permanent Mission of Switzerland and Parliamentarians for Global Action)

13:00 – 15:00.....Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Monday, 19 December 2011**Plan of Action: Universalization and implementing legislation, developments and resources (Hosted by the Permanent Mission of Romania and the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties)**

13:15 – 14:30.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011**ICC Permanent Premises, presentation on the status of the project (Hosted by the Oversight Committee on Permanent Premises)**

13:00 – 15:00.....Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Challenges for the next ICC prosecutor (Co-hosted by the Permanent Mission of Norway and Human Rights Watch)

13:00 – 15:00.....Conference Room 7 (NLB)

“Justice Rapid Response (JRR) Group of Participants meeting”

14:00 – 15:00.....Conference Room A (NLB)

Announcements

Prepared statements

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 20 copies for minimum distribution to the podium and relevant services, and 250 additional copies for general distribution in the Conference Room 2 (NLB).

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