

# Journal

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**INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT  
NINTH SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY OF STATES PARTIES  
NEW YORK, 6 – 10 DECEMBER 2010**

**Forthcoming official meetings\***

**Monday, 6 December 2010**

**First plenary meeting**

- Opening of the session
- Silent prayer or meditation
- Adoption of the agenda
- 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
  
- Election of six members of the Committee on Budget and Finance

10 a.m.–11:30 a.m.....Conference Room 1

**General debate**

11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Credentials Committee meeting**

12:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.....Conference Room A

**Second plenary meeting**

**General debate**

3 p.m.–6 p.m.....Conference Room 1

\*All Assembly of States Parties official meetings are held in North Lawn Building (NLB). Some side events are held in Conference Room 8 of the General Assembly Building.

**Tuesday, 7 December 2010****Third plenary meeting**

10 a.m.–11:30 a.m.....Conference Room 1

- **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**

**Fourth plenary meeting****General debate**

11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Working Group on the budget**

3 p.m. – 4 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Working Group on amendments**

4 p.m. – 5 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution**

5 p.m. – 6 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Wednesday, 8 December 2010****Working Group on the budget (informal consultations)**

10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on the Independent Oversight Mechanism**

10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.....Conference Room 1

**Working Group on amendments**

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 a.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on cooperation**

Noon – 1:00 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on Review Conference follow-up**

3 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on cooperation**

4:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.....Conference Room 1

**Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution**

5:15 p.m. – 6 p.m.....Conference Room 1

## Thursday, 9 December 2010

### Fifth plenary meeting

#### Progress report by the Coordinators

10 a.m.–10:30 a.m.....Conference Room  
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#### Working Group on amendments (adoption of the report)

10:30 a.m.–11 a.m.....Conference Room  
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#### Working Group on the budget (informal consultations)

11 a.m.–1 p.m.....Conference Room 1

#### Credentials Committee meeting

12:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.....Conference Room A

#### Informal consultations on the premises of the Court

3 p.m. – 4 p.m.....Conference Room  
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#### Informal consultations on the omnibus resolution

4 p.m. – 5:30p.m.....Conference Room 1

#### Reserved

5:30 p.m. – 6 p.m.....Conference Room 1

## Friday, 10 December 2010

#### Working Group on the budget (adoption of the report)

10 a.m.–11 a.m.....Conference Room 1

#### Reserved

11 a.m. – 1 p.m.....Conference Room 1

### Sixth plenary meeting

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

3 p.m.–6 p.m.....Conference Room 1

### Other forthcoming meetings

#### Monday, 6 December 2010

- EU coordination meeting on the Assembly of States Parties**  
9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.....Conference Room 6 (NLB)
- "Reflections of a Trial Judge at the International Criminal Court" (speaker Judge Sir Adrian Fulford) (organized by the Court)**  
1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.....Conference Room 8
- Event on Victim's Participation (organized by the Victims' Rights Working Group)**  
1.15 p.m. – 3 p.m.....Conference Room D (NLB)
- "How to Eliminate the Setbacks in the Proceedings Before the International Criminal Tribunals" - Remarks by the ICTR Judge Mr. Robert Fremr, Candidate of the Czech Republic for the Judge of the International Criminal Court for the period 2012-2021 (organized by the Czech Republic)**  
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m..... Bohemian National Hall<sup>1</sup>

#### Tuesday, 7 December 2010

- EU coordination meeting on the Assembly of States Parties**  
9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m..... Conference Room 6 (NLB)
- Press conference by the President of the Assembly of States Parties, President of the ICC and the ICC Prosecutor**  
1 p.m – 1:45 p.m.....Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium<sup>2</sup>
- Meeting of the Policy Group of Justice Rapid Response participants (co-organized by Belgium and Canada)**  
1:15 p.m – 2.30 p.m.....Conference Room 6 (NLB)
- Presentation of outreach report and public information strategy (organized by Public Information and Documentation Section of the Court)**  
1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.....Conference Room 8
- Plan of Action panel for Caribbean States (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Slovakia and Trinidad and Tobago)**  
1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.....Permanent Mission of Trinidad and Tobago to the United Nations<sup>3</sup>
- Event on Cooperation (organized by the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom, the Coalition for the ICC and Parliamentarians for Global Action)**

<sup>1</sup> 321 East 73rd Street

<sup>2</sup> UN Secretariat Main Library Building, Basement floor

<sup>3</sup> 122 East 42nd Street.

1.15 p.m. – 3 p.m.....Conference Room 5 (NLB)

### Wednesday, 8 December 2010

#### EU coordination meeting on the Assembly of States Parties

9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m..... Conference Room 6 (NLB)

#### “Implementation of ICC Agreements on the enforcement of sentences: Maintaining family links and ICRC visits to detainees” / ‘Mise en oeuvre des accords CPI d’exécution des peines: maintien des liens familiaux et visites du CICR aux détenus’ (organized by Belgium)

1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.....Conference Room 6 (NLB)

#### “Presentation on preliminary examination activities” (organized by the Office of the Prosecutor of the Court)

1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.....Conference Room 8

#### Launch of the Trust Fund for Victims Fall 2010 Programme Progress Report (co-organized by the Trust Fund for Victims and the Permanent Missions of Germany and South Africa)<sup>4</sup>

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.....Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations<sup>5</sup>

### Thursday, 9 December 2010

#### Bureau meeting

8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.....Conference Room 7 (NLB)

#### EU coordination meeting on the Assembly of States Parties

9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.....Conference Room 6 (NLB)

#### “Making Complementarity Work: The Way Forward” (co-organized by the International Center for Transitional Justice and the Permanent Missions of Denmark and South Africa)

1:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.....Conference Room 8

#### Reception on the occasion of the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties (organized by H.E. Mr. Paul Seger, Permanent Representative of Switzerland to the United Nations)<sup>6</sup>

6:30 p.m.....Swiss Residence

### Friday, 10 December 2010

#### EU coordination meeting on the Assembly of States Parties

9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m..... Conference Room 6 (NLB)

<sup>4</sup> Lunch and light refreshments will be served.

<sup>5</sup> 871 United Nations Plaza.

<sup>6</sup> By invitation only.

**Briefing on “The impact of the International Criminal Court in Uganda” - Presentation of the report and findings from Assembly of States Parties Delegates' Visits (co-hosted by the Argentina, Botswana, Finland and South Africa, and by HURINET, No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) and the Uganda Coalition on the International Criminal Court (UCICC))**

1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.....Conference Room 8

**Briefing on the Capacity Building Platform “Legal Tools Project” (organised by the Case Matrix Network)**

1.15 p.m. – 2.30 p.m.....Conference Room C (NLB)

## Announcements

### Prepared statements

Speakers at the Assembly of States Parties are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Assembly greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Although interpretations rely upon the statement actually delivered, copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Conference Room 1 (NLB).

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 1 (NLB).

Delegations are also invited to send by e-mail an electronic copy of their statement(s), in one or more of the six official languages, to ensure timely posting of the text on the Assembly web site and as a step to reducing paper usage. Statements should be sent to: [asp@icc-cpi.int](mailto:asp@icc-cpi.int).

### Office of the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties

The suite of office of the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties is located in NL1033 across from the conference room 3. The Secretariat can be contacted via telephone at the direct phone lines: +1 917 367 5276 or +1 917 367 5308.

### Documentation

All necessary documents for the ninth session of the Assembly of States Parties can be electronically retrieved at:

<http://www.icc-cpi.int/Menus/ASP/Sessions/Documentation/9th+Session/Ninth+session+of+the+Assembly+of+States+Parties.htm>

In accordance with the Bureau's decision on pursuing a paper-light approach to documentation for the ninth session, only one hardcopy set of pre-session documentation will be made available to each delegation in its preferred language, along with one set in English.

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