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Annotated provisional agenda

The present document contains the provisional agenda for the twenty-first session of the Governing Council of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific (sect. I) and the annotations thereto (sect. II).

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II. Annotations

1. Opening of the session

(a) Opening addresses

Opening addresses will be delivered by the Executive Secretary, other senior officials and government representatives.

(b) Election of officers

In accordance with the statute of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific (see Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific resolution 67/13, annex, para. 15), the Governing Council will elect a Chair and a Vice-Chair.

(c) Adoption of the agenda**Documentation**

Annotated provisional agenda (SIAP/GC(21)/1)

Annotation

The Governing Council will consider and adopt the provisional agenda, subject to such changes as may be necessary.

The programme for the session and the list of participants will be made available online in due course.

2. Matters arising from the twentieth session of the Governing Council**Documentation**

Matters arising from the twentieth session of the Governing Council (SIAP/GC(21)/2)

Annotation

The document contains a summary of the actions taken by the Institute in response to the matters arising from the twentieth session of the Governing Council.

3. Activities and financial status of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific**Documentation**

Activities and financial status of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific (SIAP/GC(21)/3)

Annotation

The Director will report to the Governing Council on the activities and financial status, including the administrative status, of the Institute in 2025.

4. Work programme and financial plan for 2026**Documentation**

Work programme and financial plan of the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific for 2026 (SIAP/GC(21)/4)

Annotation

The Director will present the document on the work programme and financial plan of the Institute, which the Governing Council is invited to review and adopt, subject to such changes as may be necessary.

5. Dates and venue of the twenty-second session of the Governing Council**Documentation**

Proposed dates and venue of the twenty-second session of the Governing Council (SIAP/GC(21)/5)

Annotation

The Governing Council may wish to consider proposals for the dates and venue of its twenty-second session.

6. Other matters

The Governing Council may wish to consider other matters brought to its attention.

7. Adoption of the report of the Governing Council on its twenty-first session**Documentation**

Draft report

Annotation

The Governing Council will consider and adopt the report on its twenty-first session. In accordance with the statute of the Institute (see Commission resolution 67/13, annex, para. 16), the adopted report will be submitted to the Commission for its consideration at its eighty-second session, to be held in 2026.
