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Provisional agenda of the 215th session of the Governing Council

Tashkent, Uzbekistan, 6 and 9 April 2025

1. **Adoption of the agenda**
2. **Approval of the summary records of the 214th session of the Governing Council**
3. **Election of the President of the 150th Assembly**
4. **Report of the President**
 - (a) On her activities since the 214th session of the Governing Council
 - (b) On the activities of the Executive Committee
5. **Presentation by the Secretary General of the IPU Impact Report for 2024**

The Governing Council will be apprised of the IPU Impact Report for 2024 and progress with implementation of the 2022-2026 IPU Strategy.
6. **Financial results for 2024 and financial situation of the IPU**
7. **Amendments to the IPU Statutes and Rules**

The Governing Council will be called upon to examine a new round of proposed amendments to the IPU Statutes and Rules.
8. **Questions relating to IPU membership and observer status**
 - (a) Consideration of requests relating to IPU membership and observer status
 - (b) Situation of certain parliaments
 - (c) Consideration of the situation of Member Parliaments in arrears
9. **IPU priority theme for 2025 – advancing gender equality**

The Governing Council will be apprised of activities in progress relating to the IPU priority theme for 2025. The IPU membership will be invited to submit nominations through their geopolitical groups for the 2025 Cremer-Passy Prize, which will be awarded to a parliamentarian with an outstanding record in the advancement of gender equality.

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10. Regional offices

The Governing Council will receive an update on the latest developments with the establishment of regional offices in Uruguay and Egypt.

11. Future inter-parliamentary meetings

The Governing Council will be called upon to approve the list of future inter-parliamentary meetings, as recommended by the Executive Committee.

12. Sixth World Conference of Speakers of Parliament

The Governing Council will receive an update on the preparations for the Sixth World Conference of Speakers of Parliament (Geneva, July 2025) and for the Summit of Women Speakers of Parliament (Bern, July 2025).

13. Elections to the Executive Committee

(cf. Article 21(k) of the Statutes and Rules 36, 37 and 38 of the Governing Council)

The Governing Council will elect one member of the Executive Committee to replace Mr. A.R. Al Nuaimi (United Arab Emirates) whose term ends at the 215th session of the Governing Council, and one member to replace Mr. F. Zon (Indonesia) who is no longer a member of parliament.

14. Activities of committees and other bodies

- (a) Committee on the Human Rights of Parliamentarians
- (b) Forum of Women Parliamentarians
- (c) Forum of Young Parliamentarians
- (d) Task Force on the peaceful resolution of the war in Ukraine
- (e) Committee on Middle East Questions
- (f) Committee to Promote Respect for International Humanitarian Law
- (g) Gender Partnership Group
- (h) Committee on Health
- (i) High-Level Advisory Group on Countering Terrorism and Violent Extremism (HLAG)
- (j) Group of Facilitators for Cyprus
- (k) Working Group on Science and Technology

15. Reports on recent IPU specialized meetings

16. Other business