



MECHANISM FOR FOLLOW-UP ON
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AGENDA

1. Report of the Technical Secretariat.
2. Presentation of candidates for Chair and Vice-Chair of the Committee.^{1/}
3. Consideration of country report for Uruguay.^{2/}
4. Special Session: Corruption and Gender.
 - 4.1. Panel with representatives from international anticorruption mechanisms and non-governmental organizations.
 - 4.2. Voluntary presentations by States Parties.
5. Voluntary presentations by States Parties on Best Practices.
6. Consideration of the revised version of the “Proposed Indicators to Prevent, Detect, and Reduce Impunity related to results in the Protection of Whistleblowers and Witnesses of Acts of Corruption in Criminal Matters”.^{3/}
7. Reports from States Parties on progress made in implementing recommendations made to them by the Committee.^{4/}

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1. This item is included in the Agenda as agreed upon during the Committee’s Fifteenth Meeting.
 2. Article 25 of the Rules of Procedure provides the procedure for consideration and adoption of the country reports in the Committee’s plenary session.
 3. In relation to this item, the Technical Secretariat has prepared the revised version of the “*Proposed Indicators to Prevent, Detect, and Reduce Impunity related to Results in the Protection of Whistleblowers and Witnesses of Acts of Corruption in Criminal Matters*”, document OEA/Ser.L.SG/MESICIC/doc.624 Rev.1.
 4. This item in the agenda refers to the reports that each of the States Parties should present as provided in Article 31 of the Rules of Procedure, which reads as follows: “*Article 31. Reports within the framework of the Committee Meetings. At the first Committee meeting of each year, each State Party shall submit a brief verbal report on the measures it has adopted since the first meeting of the previous year with respect to the*

8. Elections of Committee Chair and Vice-Chair.^{5/}
9. Other matters.
10. Consideration and approval of the Meeting Minutes.

recommendations made by the Committee. Similarly, each State Party may inform on the difficulties that it has faced with respect to the implementation of those recommendations as well as on other progress related to the implementation of the Convention during that time period. An electronic copy of these reports, which shall be drafted in a standard format approved by the Committee and shall not exceed five pages in length, shall be published on the Internet web page of the Mechanism.”

5. Article 4 of the Committee’s Rules of Procedure provides the procedure to be followed when electing the Committee’s Chair and Vice-Chair.