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Agenda of the Council

1. Opening of the session.
2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Election of the President.
4. Election of the Vice-Presidents.
5. Report of the Secretary-General on the credentials of members of the Council.
6. Issues relating to the election in 2021 of members of the Legal and Technical Commission.
7. Election to fill a vacancy on the Legal and Technical Commission in accordance with article 163, paragraph 7, of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, if any.
8. Status of contracts for exploration and related matters, including information on the periodic review of the implementation of approved plans of work for exploration.
9. Report of the Secretary-General on the status of national legislation relating to deep seabed mining and related matters.¹
10. Consideration, with a view to approval, of applications for a plan of work for exploration, if any.
11. Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the decision of the Council in 2019 relating to the reports of the Chair of the Legal and Technical Commission.
12. Draft regulations for exploitation of mineral resources in the Area.
13. Report of the Chair of the Legal and Technical Commission on the work of the Commission at its twenty-sixth session.¹
14. Report of the Finance Committee.¹
15. Budget of the International Seabed Authority.¹

¹ To be considered in part II of the session, in July.



16. Scale of assessment for contributions to the budget of the International Seabed Authority.¹
 17. Report on matters relating to the Enterprise.¹
 18. Cooperation with other relevant international organizations.¹
 19. Dates of the next session.¹
 20. Other matters.
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