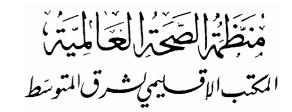
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Provisional Agenda

1.	Opening of the Session	
2.	Election of Officers	
3.	Adoption of the Agenda	EM/RC53/1-Rev.2
4.	The Work of the World Health Organization in the Eastern Mediterranean Region – Annual Report of the Regional Director 2005	EM/RC53/2
	(a) Progress report on HIV/AIDS and the 3x5 Initiative	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.1
	(b) Progress report on eradication of poliomyelitis	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.2
	(c) Progress report on the Tobacco-Free Initiative	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.3
	(d) Progress report on achievement of the Millennium Development Goals relating to maternal and child health	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.4
	(e) Progress report on emergency preparedness and response: implementation of resolution EM/RC52/R.6	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.5
	(f) Progress report on strengthening primary health care and the achievement of health for all	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.6
	(g) Progress report on globally targeted diseases for elimination: tuberculosis, measles, leprosy, and neonatal tetanus	EM/RC53/INF.DOC.7
5.	Review of proposed programme budget for the financial period 2008-2009	
	(a) Draft Medium-Term Strategic Plan 2008-2013 Draft Proposed Programme Budget 2008-2009	RC/2006/1
	(b) Draft Proposed Programme Budget for the Eastern Mediterranean Region	EM/RC53/3
6.	Nomination of the Regional Director	EM/RC53/WP.1

7. **Technical Discussions**:

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(a) The role of government in health development EM/RC53/Tech.Disc.1 (b) Medical devices and equipment in contemporary EM/RC53/Tech.Disc.2 health care systems and services 8. **Technical Papers:** (a) Public health problems of alcohol consumption in the Region EM/RC53/4 (b) Regional strategy on preparedness and response for human EM/RC53/5 pandemic influenza (c) Regional strategy for knowledge management to support EM/RC53/6 public health 9. Integration of Medical Education and Health Services: The EM/RC53/7 experience of the Islamic Republic of Iran 10. Report of the Regional Consultative Committee (thirtieth meeting) EM/RC53/8 11. Report on the outcome of the Joint Government/WHO Programme EM/RC53/9 Review and Planning Missions in 2005, including the utilization of Country Cooperation Strategies 12. (a) Resolutions and decisions of regional interest adopted by the EM/RC53/10 Fifty-ninth World Health Assembly and by the Executive Board at its 117th and 118th sessions (b) Review of the draft provisional agenda of EB120 EM/RC53/10-Annex I Nomination of a Member State to the Joint Coordinating Board of 13. EM/RC53/11 the Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases Award of the Dr A.T. Shousha Foundation Prize for 2006 14. EM/RC53/INF.DOC.8 15. Award of the Down Syndrome Research Prize EM/RC53/INF.DOC.9 16. Place and date of future sessions of the Regional Committee EM/RC53/INF.DOC.10 17. Draft regional guidelines on stability testing of active substances EM/RC53/12 and pharmaceutical products (a) Report on the Health conditions in the Occupied Palestinian 18. EM/RC53/INF.DOC.11 **Territory** (b) Update on the health emergency in Lebanon EM/RC53/INF.DOC.12 19. Other business