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**Programme of Meetings and Agenda for
Thursday, 8 June 2023**

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	814 th meeting	Board Room D
	<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Item No.</i>
	Space exploration and innovation	[14]
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Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities

At the end of the morning meeting (814th) of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space on 8 June 2023, there will be three technical presentations: by Ms. Chung Soyoung of the Republic of Korea on “Result of the UN-ROK Space4Women expert Meeting in 2022”, by Mr. Zhang Haifeng of China on “Promote the Modernization of Aerospace Industry System through Open, Shared and Inclusive Development: Introduction to the Ninth China (International) Commercial Aerospace Forum”, and by Ms. Suyoung Park of the Republic of Korea on “Satellite-based Disaster Response and Land Management” in Board Room D.

3 p.m.–6 p.m.	815 th meeting	Board Room D
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Special Presentations on Outer Space Activities

At the end of the afternoon meeting (815th) of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space on 8 June 2023, there will be two technical presentations: by Ms. Marcela Tobar of Chile on “Chilean Space Governance” and by Ms. Catherine Koerner of the United States on “For All Humanity: Implementing NASA’s Artemis Missions” in Board Room D.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

812th meeting

General exchange of views [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with a statement by the representative of Argentina.

The observers for the Asia-Pacific Space Cooperation Organization (APSCO) and the Secure World Foundation (SWF) also made statements.

Report of the Legal Subcommittee on its sixty-second session [7]

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item.

Use of space technology in the United Nations system [12]

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Italy and Mexico.

Future role and method of work of the Committee [13]

The Committee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of South Africa on behalf of the African Group, Algeria, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Denmark, France, Germany, Guatemala, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Mexico, Netherlands (Kingdom of the), New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Portugal, the Russian Federation, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, the United States and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

The observers for the International Academy of Astronautics (IAA) and the Secure World Foundation (SWF) also made statements.

Special presentations

Presentations were made by the member of the United Nations Office of Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA) on “The missing D in Diversity: Addressing disability inclusion through the UNOOSA Space for Persons with Disabilities project”, by the observer for the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) on “Integration of geospatial information for sustainable development: practices of ESCAP”, and by the observer for the International Academy of Astronautics (IAA) on “IAA activities in support of future COPUOS and its subcommittees’ agendas”.

WORKING GROUP ON LEGAL ASPECTS OF SPACE RESOURCE ACTIVITIES

The Working Group held a closed meeting this morning.

General exchange of views [4]

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item.

Report of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee on its sixtieth session [6]

The Committee concluded its consideration of this item.

Future role and method of work of the Committee [13]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of South Africa on behalf of the African Group, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, France, Germany, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Paraguay, Peru, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, the United Arab Emirates, the United Kingdom and the United States.

A statement was made by the representative of the United States in the exercise of the right of reply.

A statement was also made by the Acting Director of the United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA).

Space exploration and innovation [14]

The Committee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Canada, France, Japan, Luxembourg, Romania and the Russian Federation.

The observer for the European Union also made a statement.

Special presentations

Presentations were made by the representative of Chile on “Space Law for New Space Actors Project in Chile”, by the observer for the Asia-Pacific Space Cooperation Organization (APSCO) on “APSCO’s Initiatives in Space Exploration – Moon and Beyond”, and by the observer for the National Space Society (NSS) on “Space4All Research & Capacity Building: Space Renaissance, EuroMoonMars and Eurospacehub highlights”.

WORKING GROUP ON THE LONG-TERM SUSTAINABILITY OF OUTER SPACE ACTIVITIES

The Working Group held a closed meeting this afternoon.
