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No. 5

**Programme of Meetings and Agenda for**  
**Thursday, 23 March 2023**

11 a.m.–1 p.m.

1040<sup>th</sup> meeting

Board Room D

*Agenda Item*

*Item No.*

General exchange of views

[3]

Information on the activities of international  
intergovernmental and non-governmental  
organizations relating to space law

[4]

General exchange of views on the application of  
international law to small-satellite activities

[14]

General exchange of views on potential legal  
models for activities in the exploration,  
exploitation and utilization of space resources

[10]

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3 p.m.–5 p.m.

1041<sup>st</sup> meeting

Board Room D

*Agenda Item*

*Item No.*

General exchange of views

[3]

National legislation relevant to the peaceful  
exploration and use of outer space

[7]

Capacity-building in space law

[8]

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## WORKING GROUP ON LEGAL ASPECTS OF SPACE RESOURCE ACTIVITIES

Afternoon\*

(Closed)

Board Room D

\* Following the consideration of agenda items at the 1041<sup>st</sup> meeting.

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### SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

1038<sup>th</sup> meeting

*General exchange of views [3]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Algeria, Australia, Azerbaijan, Israel, Mexico, Peru, the Russian Federation and the United Kingdom.

*The definition and delimitation of outer space [6(a)]*

The Subcommittee suspended its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Colombia and Indonesia.

*The character and utilization of the geostationary orbit [6(b)]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Colombia, Indonesia and Ukraine.

*General exchange of views on the legal aspects of space traffic management [13]*

The Subcommittee concluded its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Austria, Greece, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Russian Federation and the United States.

The observer for the International Institute of Space Law (IISL) also made a statement.

## WORKING GROUP ON THE ON THE DEFINITION AND DELIMITATION OF OUTER SPACE

The Working Group held a closed meeting this afternoon.

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1039<sup>th</sup> meeting

*General exchange of views [3]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Chile, China, Paraguay, Portugal, Switzerland and the United Arab Emirates.

The observer for the Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC) also made a statement.

*Information on the activities of international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations relating to space law [4]*

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with a statement by the representative of Paraguay.

The observers for the European Centre for Space Law (ECSL), the International Institute of Space Law (IISL) and the Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC) also made statements.

*General exchange of views on the application of international law to small-satellite activities [14]*

The Subcommittee began its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Pakistan on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, China, Japan, Mexico and the Russian Federation.

*General exchange of views on potential legal models for activities in the exploration, exploitation and utilization of space resources [10]*

The Subcommittee continued its consideration of this item with statements by the representatives of Australia and Japan.

#### **WORKING GROUP ON THE STATUS AND APPLICATION OF THE FIVE UNITED NATIONS TREATIES ON OUTER SPACE**

The Working Group held a closed meeting this afternoon.

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