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## **Provisional agenda**

- 1. Opening of the session.
- 2. Adoption of the agenda and programme of work.
- 3. General debate.
- Coordination meeting with other United Nations mechanisms on the right to development.
- 5. Implementation of the mandate and programme of work:
  - (a) Focused thematic discussions and interactive dialogues:
  - (i) Business and the right to development;
  - (ii) Engaging the unengaged: building inclusive development through meaningful civil society participation;
  - (iii) Artificial intelligence, cultural rights and the right to development;
  - (iv) Trade, biodiversity and the right to development: an equation to be constructed;
  - (v) Bilateral, regional and multilateral trade: friends or enemies of the right to development;
  - (vi) The future of international cooperation.
  - (b) Consideration of thematic studies:
  - (i) Individual and collective dimensions of the right to development (A/HRC/57/40);
  - (ii) Right to development in international development cooperation.
- 6. Conclusion of the session.

