Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference to Review Progress Made in the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects
New York, 19-23 March 2012

Draft Provisional programme of work

Monday, 19 March

10 a.m.-1 p.m.  Opening of the meeting.
Election of the Chairperson of the Preparatory Committee.
Election of other officers.
Adoption of the rules of procedure of the Preparatory Committee.
Adoption of the agenda of the Preparatory Committee.
Organization of work.

Thematic debate on progress made in the implementation of:

a. Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects.

i. Preventing, combating and eradicating the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects at the national, regional and global level.

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Tuesday, 20 March
10 a.m.-1 p.m.  (continued)

3-6 p.m.  ii. Implementation, international cooperation and assistance.

**Wednesday, 21 March**

10 a.m.-1 p.m.  iii. Follow-up to the United Nations Conference on the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects.

3-6 p.m.  b. International Instrument to Enable States to Identify and Trace, in a Timely and Reliable Manner, Illicit Small Arms and Light Weapons.

**Thursday, 22 March**

10 a.m.-1 p.m.  (continued)

Statements by intergovernmental organizations.

Statements by non-governmental organizations

3-6 p.m.  Recommendations to the Conference on all relevant matters, including the draft agenda, draft rules of procedure, draft final documents, background documentation, and nominations for President and Secretary-General of the Conference.

**Friday, 23 March**

10 a.m.-1 p.m.  (continued)

3-6 p.m.  (continued)

Other matters.

Adoption of the report of the Preparatory Committee.