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# FAO REGIONAL CONFERENCE FOR THE NEAR EAST

<b>Thirty-fifth Session</b>
<b>21-22 September 2020<sup>1</sup></b>
<b>Provisional Timetable</b>

## MINISTERIAL MEETING

(All hours are Rome time, GMT+ 2)

### Day 1: 21 September 2020

Agenda Item	Item No.	Document No.
10:00 hours Adoption of the Agenda and Timetable	1	NERC/20/1 Rev.3 NERC/20/INF/2
Appointment of the Rapporteur	2	Rev.2
<b>Inaugural Ceremony</b>		
10:10 hours Statement by the FAO Director-General	3	NERC/20/INF/4
Statement by the Independent Chairperson of the FAO Council	4	NERC/20/INF/12
Statement by the Chairperson of the 35th Session of the Regional Conference for the Near East	5	NERC/20/INF/11

<sup>1</sup> Rescheduled from 2-4 March 2020, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman.

<b>Regional and Global Policy and Regulatory Matters</b>			
11:00 hours	Ministerial Round Table: Transforming food systems to achieve the SDGs and respond to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic	6	NERC/20/3 NERC/20/5 NERC/20/6 NERC/20/7 NERC/20/8 NERC/20/INF/6 NERC/20/INF/13 NERC/20/INF/18 Rev.1 NERC/20/INF/21
12:30 hours	Break		
13:00 hours	FAO's Hand-in-Hand Initiative: A New Approach	7	NERC/20/INF/20 Rev.2
14:00 hours	Adoption of the Ministerial Declaration		
14:30 hours	Adjournment of the session		

## **Day 2: 22 September 2020**

<b>Programmatic Matters</b>			
10:00 hours	Statement by the Spokesperson of the Civil Society Consultation	8	NERC/20/INF/14
	Summary presentation of the reports of the First and Second Regional Consultative Technical Meeting for the 35th Session of FAO Regional Conference for the Near East (NERC35) by the rapporteur	9	NERC/20/INF/22 NERC/20/INF/23
	Date and Place of the 36th Session of the Regional Conference for the Near East	10	
	Election of Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the 36th Session of the Regional Conference for the Near East	11	
11:30 hours	Review and adoption of the Report	12	
13:00 hours	Closure of the Regional Conference		