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**First Extraordinary Session
Paris, UNESCO Headquarters
24 – 27 June 2008**

Provisional Timetable

Tuesday 24 June 2008

8.45 a.m.

Registration of participants

10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the Agenda
- 2bis.** Adoption of the Summary records of the first ordinary session of the Committee
3. Preparation of operational guidelines for the implementation and application of the provisions of the Convention: measures to promote and to protect cultural expressions (Art. 7, 8 and 17 of the Convention)

Lunch break

2.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

3. Preparation of operational guidelines for the implementation and application of the provisions of the Convention: measures to promote and to protect cultural expressions (Art. 7, 8 and 17 of the Convention) (continuation of the debate)

Reception offered by the Director-General of UNESCO

Wednesday 26 June 2008

9.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.

4. Operational guidelines: concept and modalities for partnerships (Art. 15 of the Convention)

Lunch break

2.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

5. Operational guidelines on the role and participation of civil society (Art. 11 and related articles)

Thursday 26 June 2008

9.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.

5. Operational guidelines on the role and participation of civil society (Art. 11 and related articles) (continuation of the debate)
6. Operational guidelines on the use of the resources of the International Fund for Cultural Diversity: interim report

Lunch break

2.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

6. Operational guidelines on the use of the resources of the International Fund for Cultural Diversity: interim report (continuation of the debate)

Friday 27 June 2008

9.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.

7. Selection of experts and terms of reference for the reports on preferential treatment (Art. 16 of the Convention): interim report
8. Closing session
 - 8A. Oral report by the Rapporteur
 - 8B. Closure by the Chairperson