

**Economic and Social Council decision 2020/228
adopted 21 July 2020**

Dates and provisional agenda of the twentieth session of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration

The Economic and Social Council:

(a) Decides that the twentieth session of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration will be held at United Nations Headquarters from 12 to 16 April 2021;

(b) Approves the provisional agenda of the twentieth session of the Committee as set out below:

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Governance and public administration aspects of the theme of the 2021 session of the Economic and Social Council and the 2021 high-level political forum on sustainable development.
4. Dialogue with voluntary national review countries on institutional aspects of Sustainable Development Goal 16.
5. Strengthening the analytical basis for reform policies based on the principles of effective governance for sustainable development.
6. Integrating the Sustainable Development Goals into national and subnational budgeting and financial management.
7. Sustainable public procurement in the decade of action and delivery for sustainable development.
8. Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on essential workers in the public sector.
9. Building strong institutions for sustainable development in conflict-affected countries.
10. Provisional agenda of the twenty-first session of the Committee.
11. Adoption of the report of the Committee on its twentieth session.

(c) Decides that documentation in support of the provisional agenda should continue to be prepared through the established working methods of the Committee.