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**Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for an  
International Legally Binding Instrument for  
the Application of the Prior Informed Consent  
Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and  
Pesticides in International Trade**

Tenth session

Geneva, 17-21 November 2003

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
  - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
  - (b) Organization of work.
3. Activities of the secretariat and review of the situation as regards extrabudgetary funds.
4. Implementation of the interim prior informed consent procedure:
  - (a) Status of implementation;
  - (b) Confirmation of experts designated for the Interim Chemical Review Committee;
  - (c) Presentation of the report of the Interim Chemical Review Committee on the work of its fourth session;
  - (d) Inclusion of chemicals:
    - (i) Asbestos;
    - (ii) DNOC;
    - (iii) Dustable powder formulations of benomyl, carbofuran and thiram;
    - (iv) Issues related to inclusion of other chemicals;

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- (e) Issues arising out of the fourth session of the Interim Chemical Review Committee:
  - (i) Maleic Hydrazide - Status of implementation of decision INC8/3;
  - (ii) Possible inconsistencies in Annex III of the Convention;
  - (iii) Achievements by the Interim Chemical Review Committee;
  - (iv) Other issues.
- 5. Preparations for the Conference of the Parties:
  - (a) Draft rules of procedure;
  - (b) Draft financial rules and provisions;
  - (c) Settlement of disputes;
  - (d) Non-compliance.
- 6. Issues arising out of the Conference of Plenipotentiaries:
  - (a) Support for implementation.
- 7. Assignment of Harmonized System customs codes.
- 8. Status of signature and ratification of the Convention.
- 9. Other matters.
- 10. Adoption of the report.
- 11. Closure of the session.

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