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Item 3 of the provisional agenda

**Organizational matters:****(b) Adoption of the agenda and programme of work****Provisional agenda**

1. Opening of the session.
2. High-level panel on transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: action, solutions and the role of technology
3. Organizational matters:
  - (a) Overview and election of the Bureau;
  - (b) Adoption of the agenda and programme of work.
4. Implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and Agenda 2063: support and progress made at regional and subregional levels.
5. Round table on peer learning, focusing on solutions, good practices and lessons learned in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda and Agenda 2063.
6. Parallel panel meetings on the subthemes of the session:
  - (a) Clean water and sanitation;
  - (b) Affordable and clean energy;
  - (c) Sustainable cities and communities;
  - (d) Responsible consumption and production;
  - (e) Life on land;
  - (f) Strengthening the means of implementation and the partnership for sustainable development.
7. Presentations and discussions of outcomes and proposed key messages, including policy recommendations emanating from the parallel panel meetings.
8. Consideration and adoption of key messages.
9. Theme, dates and venue of the fifth session of the Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development, in 2019.
10. Other matters.
11. Closing of the session.