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Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session.
2. Presentation and adoption of the agenda and programme of work.
3. High-level panel discussion on strengthening the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa and its subregional coordination mechanisms in the context of the African Union and United Nations reforms.
4. High-level panel discussions on the theme of the session:
 - (a) Addressing the root causes of refugees and internally displaced persons;
 - (b) Upscaling durable solutions, including addressing the forced displacement-development nexus;
 - (c) Coordinating the work under the compacts on migration, and on refugees;
 - (d) Support of the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa to the African Union agenda on refugees, returnees and internally displaced persons.
5. African Union-United Nations progress report of the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa and its subregional coordination mechanisms.
6. Aligning the work of the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa with the Joint United Nations-African Union Framework for an Enhanced Partnership in Peace and Security and the African Union-United Nations Framework for the Integrated Implementation of Agenda 2063 and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.
7. Consideration and adoption of the African Union-United Nations workplan for 2019–2020 of the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa.
8. Update on the Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development in preparation for the 2019 High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development.

9. Other matters.
 10. Consideration and adoption of the report of the twentieth session of the Regional Coordination Mechanism for Africa.
 11. Closing of the session.
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