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GROUP ON REVISION OF THE
INTERNATIONAL HEALTH REGULATIONS
Second session (resumed)**

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Guide for delegates to the Intergovernmental Working Group on Revision of the International Health Regulations

ADDENDUM

The resumed second session of the Intergovernmental Working Group on Revision of the International Health Regulations will meet at WHO headquarters in Geneva on Thursday, 12 May 2005, at 10:00; it will close on Friday, 13 May 2005. Meetings will be held in the Executive Board room.

CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION

Credentials submitted for the second session of the Intergovernmental Working Group on Revision of the International Health Regulations (Geneva, 21-26 February 2005), which was suspended, remain valid for the resumed session. Thus, delegates for whom credentials were submitted for the suspended session do not need to submit new credentials for the resumed session. However, any modifications to delegations that have already submitted credentials, as well as all credentials for delegations that did not attend the suspended session, should be communicated to WHO in Geneva, if possible, before 28 April 2005; these new credentials should be delivered to WHO not less than one day before the opening day of the resumed session. Credentials must be issued by the Head of State, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Minister of Health, or other appropriate authority. An advance copy may be sent to the Department of Governance by fax; the number is (0041) 22 791 41 73.

Delegates are requested to register at the registration desk located at WHO headquarters. Upon registration, badges allowing entry into the Executive Board room will be issued to delegates and other participants. Seating capacity in the Executive Board room is limited, and it is expected that Member States will be restricted to two seats at their nameplate. Additional members of delegations will be accommodated elsewhere in the room.

The registration desk will be at the entrance of the Executive Board room; its working hours are as follows:

Wednesday to Friday 11-13 May 2005 08:00-17:00

Only delegates and other participants wearing the appropriate badges issued by the registration desk will be allowed access to the meeting rooms. Members of the Secretariat wearing their WHO security badges will also be allowed access.

PARKING FACILITIES

Parking P.15 will be reserved for delegates and participants of the resumed session.

REGIONAL CONSULTATIONS

A series of regional consultations will take place on Wednesday, 11 May 2005 at WHO headquarters. The consultations will be organized in accordance with the following schedule:

Morning sessions

Africa	09:30-12:30	Room D
Eastern Mediterranean	09:30-12:30	Room A
Western Pacific	09:30-12:30	Room C

Afternoon sessions

The Americas	14:00-17:00	Room C
South-East Asia	14:00-17:00	Room E.110
Europe	14:00-17:00	Room A

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For information about facilities at WHO headquarters and for advice on personal security, delegates are invited to refer to the Guide for delegates to the Intergovernmental Working Group on Revision of the International Health Regulations (document A/IHR/IGWG/2/DIV/2), which was produced for the suspended second session.

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