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## Organization of the General Debate

### Sunday, 18 October

#### 11:00 - 13:00

- 11:00 Opening of the Assembly
- 11:15 – 11:45 Introduction of the General Debate theme *The moral and economic imperative for fairer, smarter and more humane migration*
  - Mr. William Lacy Swing, IOM Director General
  - Mr. Guy Ryder, ILO Director-General
  - Ms. K. Kyenge, Vice-President of the ACP-EU Joint Parliamentary Assembly
- 11:45 – 13:00 General Debate

**14:00** Screening of the OHCHR documentary film "I am not here"

#### 14:30 - 18:30

- 14:30 – 17:30 General Debate
- 17:30 – 18:30 Vote on the emergency item

### Monday, 19 October

#### 09:00 - 13:00

- 09:00 – 10:30 Debate on the emergency item
- 10:30 – 10:45 Special segment on the humanitarian dimension of migration
  - Ms. Christine Beerli, ICRC Vice-President
  - Mr. Volker Türk, Assistant UN High Commissioner for Refugees
- 10:45 – 12:30 General Debate
- 12:30 – 13:00 Launch of the Handbook on Migration, human rights and governance

#### 14:30 - 18:30

- 14:30 – 15:00 General Debate
- 15:00 – 15:30 Interactive debate with Ms. Margaret Chan, WHO Director-General
- 15:30 – 18:30 General Debate

### Tuesday, 20 October

#### 14:30 - 18:30

- 14:30 – 14:45 Adoption of the resolution on the emergency item
- 14:45 – 15:15 Special segment on counter-terrorism
  - Mr. Yury Fedotov, UNODC Executive Director
  - Mr. Jean-Paul Laborde, Executive Director of the UN Counter-Terrorism Committee
- 15:15 – 18:30 Conclusion of the General Debate

### Wednesday, 21 October

#### 16:30 - 18:00 (tentative schedule, depending on the end of the Council session)

- 16:30 – 17:30 Adoption of draft resolutions, reports and other documents
- 17:00 – 18:00 Concluding statements by geopolitical groups and IPU President

