



PROVISIONAL AGENDA 559th MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

The 559th Meeting of the Standing Committee will be held on 4 April 2019, at 10:00 am at the office of the ICAC Secretariat (1629 K Street, NW, Suite 702, Washington DC 20006)

Provisional Agenda (as of 3 April 2019):

1. Adoption of the Agenda
2. Matters Arising from last SC Meeting
3. Report from the Secretariat
 - a. World Cotton Situation
4. Cotton Debate – ‘Fertilisers and Cotton Yields’
 - a. Discussion/questions
5. Report from the Sub Committee on Budget
 - a. ICAC Performance Against Budget
6. Draft Budget 2019/20
7. Countries in Arrears in the Payment of Assessments
 - a. Schedule of Uncollected Assessments
8. Preparations for the 78th Plenary Meeting
 - a. Draft Agenda
 - b. Number of free PM registration per delegation
9. Administrative Matters
 - a. Nominating Committee to propose officers for the Standing Committee 2019/20
 - b. Announcement of the Research Associate Program 2019
 - c. Confirmation of transfer of United Bank Credit Cards, Vanguard and Intuit/Quickbooks signatory from previous Executive Director to the current one, Mr. Kai Hughes
10. Any Other Business
11. Future Meetings

22 May	Nominating Committee: Draft Report on Production and Trade Subsidies
June	560 th SCM: Draft Report on Production and Trade Subsidies Affecting the Cotton Industry

Approval of the Nominations of the PSAP
Approval of the Secretariat's Budget
Approval of the Provisional Agenda for the 78th PM
Approval of the Standing Committee Officers

July

Strategic Away Day

September

561st SCM:

Approval of the Final Agenda for the 78th PM

October/Nov

562nd SCM

Summary of the Research Associate Program 2019

December

78th Plenary Meeting (Brisbane, Australia,
1-5 December 2019)

- Meetings on the Sub Committee on Budget will meet approximately two weeks before each SCM.
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