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Provisional agenda

1. **Adoption of the agenda**
2. **Approval of the summary records of the Committee's session held at the 148th IPU Assembly in Geneva (March 2024)**
3. **Expert hearing on the theme *The role of parliaments in advancing a two-State solution in Palestine***

At a time when violence between Palestinians and Israelis is at its highest level for decades, voices have once again been raised in favour of a two-State solution, underlining that establishing peace and setting in motion a process for a mutually negotiated two-State solution requires political will, commitment and initiative on the part of the international community. It has also become clear that, before any political settlement can be reached, good governance, which gives priority to security, dignity, natural rights and the needs of the population, must take precedence over self-interest. In preparation for a resolution on the subject to be discussed and adopted at the 150th IPU Assembly, the Committee will organize an expert hearing to inform members about the history and different meanings of the term “two-State solution”, as well as the opportunities for parliaments to contribute to the advancement of lasting peace in the region. The co-Rapporteurs will draw on the hearing and the ensuing debate to draft the preliminary resolution.

4. **Panel discussion [Theme TBD]**
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6. **Elections to the Bureau of the Standing Committee**
The Committee will fill the vacancies on the Bureau based on proposals received from the geopolitical groups.
7. **Any other business**

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