UNICEF Executive Board
2007 Second Regular Session (5-7 September 2007)

Special focus session on child protection

Friday, 7 September 2007
10 am – 1 pm, Conference Room 2
UN Secretariat, New York

DRAFT PROGRAMME  (30 August 2007)

10:00-10:05  Opening of the morning session
             President of the Executive Board

10:05-10:10  Introduction to the special focus session
             Ms. Ann M. Veneman, Executive Director

10:10-10:15  UNICEF Follow-up to the UN study on violence against children (Agenda item 13)
             Ms. Karin Landgren, Chief of Child Protection, Programme Division

10:15-10:25  Presentation on the partnership between IPU and UNICEF to address violence against children, and on cooperation related to child protection issues more broadly
             Mr. Anders Johnsson, Secretary-General of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU)

10:25-10:45  Performance by Sarah Jones: “What Parliamentarians Can Do About Violence Against Children”

10:45-11:10  Discussion

11:10-11:25  Presentation of the main elements from the visit of the Bureau of the Executive Board to Kyrgyzstan (Agenda item 17)
             H.E. Mr. Robert Hill, Vice-President of the Executive Board

11:25 – 11:35  Overview of the child protection related issues in the Central and Eastern European countries and the Commonwealth of Independent States region
             Ms. Maria Calivis, Regional Director, CEE/CIS

11:35-12:00  Discussion

12:00-12:10  UNICEF child protection strategy: oral report (Agenda item 14)
             Ms. Karin Landgren, Chief of Child Protection, Programme Division

12:10-12:55  Discussion

12:55-1:00   Concluding remarks