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COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS  
Sub-Commission on the Promotion and  
Protection of Human Rights  
Working Group on Indigenous Populations  
Nineteenth session  
23-27 July 2001

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

1. Election of officers
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Organization of the work of the session
4. Review of developments pertaining to the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people:  

Principal theme: "Indigenous peoples and their right to development, including their right to participate in development affecting them"
5. Review of recent developments pertaining to the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people:  

General statements, including on land issues, education and health
6. Standard-setting activities, including a review of indigenous peoples' relationship with natural resource, energy and mining companies

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7. World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, *INCLUDING THE PARTICIPATION OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AT THE CONFERENCE.*
8. International Decade of the World's Indigenous People, including information relating to the Voluntary Fund for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People and the report of the Advisory Group
9. Other matters:
  - (a) Meeting and seminars;
  - (b) Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations
10. Adoption of the report of the Working Group on its nineteenth session.