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Agenda item 71

Rights of indigenous peoples

Draft decision submitted by the President of the General Assembly*

Informal interactive hearing with indigenous peoples

The General Assembly, recalling its resolution [71/321](#) of 8 September 2017, in which it requested the President of the General Assembly to organize and preside over an informal interactive hearing and to prepare a summary of the hearing, during its seventy-fourth session, on the margins of the session of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, with indigenous peoples, ensuring, to the extent possible, balanced regional representation, recalling also its decisions 74/565 of 12 August 2020 and 75/561 of 16 April 2021, by which it postponed to its seventy-fifth and seventy-sixth sessions, respectively, the organization of an informal interactive hearing with indigenous peoples, and noting with concern the ongoing situation arising out of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19), decides to postpone to its seventy-seventh session the request to the President of the General Assembly to organize and preside over an informal interactive hearing with indigenous peoples and to prepare a summary of the hearing.

* In order for the General Assembly to take action on the present proposal, it will be necessary to reopen consideration of agenda item 71 and to consider it directly in plenary meeting.

