

**ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (ESCAP)  
WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION  
TYPHOON COMMITTEE FORTY-FOURTH SESSION  
06-11 February 2012 - Hangzhou, China  
Venue: Dahua Hotel, Hangzhou, China**

**TENTATIVE PROGRAMME**

<b>1<sup>ST</sup> DAY - 06 FEBRUARY (MONDAY)</b>	
<b>Morning</b> 08:00- 12:30	<p><b>Registration (08:00-09:00)</b></p> <p><b>1. OPENING CEREMONY (09:00-10:00)</b> Speeches; Dr. Kintanar Award Delivery Ceremony Group Photo</p> <p><b>Coffee break (10:00-10:15)</b></p> <p><b>2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Election of Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson of TC and Chairperson of Drafting Committee</li> </ul> <p><b>3. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA (IDD/TC.44/L.1)</b></p> <p><b>4. TECHNICAL CONFERENCE (TECO)</b> 4.1 Activities of RSMC Tokyo 2011 (WRD/TC44/4.1 Add.1) and Review of the Typhoon Season (WRD/TC44/4.1 Add.2) by the RSMC Tokyo 4.2 Member Reports - activities of the Members during 2011 (WRD/TC44/4.2)</p>
<b>(12:30-14:00)</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>Afternoon</b> 14:00-17:30	Member Reports (continuation) 4.3 Presentations and Scientific Lectures on Pertinent Technical Issues
18:30-20:30	<b>Coffee break (15:45-16:00)</b> <b>Welcome Reception by CMA</b>
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> DAY - 07 FEBRUARY (TUESDAY)</b>	
<b>Morning</b> 08:30- 12:30	(Continuation of 4.3) Presentations and Scientific Lectures on Pertinent Technical Issues
<b>(12:30-14:00)</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>Afternoon</b> 14:00- 17:30	4.4 Assessment Report on the Impact of Climate Change on Tropical Cyclone Track and Impact Areas in TC Region 4.5 Urban Flood Risk Management (UFRM) Project
18:30-20:30	<b>Coffee break (15:45-16:00)</b> 4.6 Typhoon Committee Operational Manual –TOM (WRD/TC44/4.6) 4.7 Progress Report for the North Western Pacific Tropical Cyclone Ensemble Forecast Project (WRD/TC44/4.7)
	<b>Dinner offered by the Bureau of Hydrology, Ministry of Water Resources</b>

3 <sup>RD</sup> DAY - 08 FEBRUARY (WEDNESDAY)	
<p><b>Morning</b> 08:30- 12:30</p>	<p><b>5. PARALLEL WORKING SESSIONS OF THE WGM, WGH, WGD RR</b></p> <p>WGM, WGH and WGD RR will convene three separate working sessions in parallel aiming at:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Enhancing the level of advancement and capacity of various National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHSs),</li> <li>b) Sharing the experiences among the Members, and</li> <li>c) Promoting better linkages with requirements and activities of other TC Working Groups and the Training and Research Coordinating Group.</li> </ol> <p><b>Coffee break (10:30-10:45)</b></p>
<p><b>12:30-14:00</b></p>	<p><b>Lunch</b></p>
<p><b>Afternoon</b> 14:00- 16:30</p>	<p><b>(PLENARY SESSION)</b></p>
<p><b>6. REPORTS OF THE WGM, WGH AND WGD RR</b></p> <p><b>7. REPORTS OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE TRCG, TCS AND AWG</b> TRCG (WRD/TC44/7.1); TCS (WRD/TC44/7.2); AWG (WRD/TC44/7.3) <b>(In this item information will also be given by a representative of the WMO Nanjing Regional Training Center)</b></p>	
4 <sup>TH</sup> DAY - 09 FEBRUARY (THURSDAY)	
<p><b>Morning</b> 08:30- 12:30</p>	<p><b>8. PROGRAMME FOR 2012 AND BEYOND WITH FOCUS ON KEY CROSS-CUTTING INITIATIVES AND STRATEGIC PLAN 2012-2016</b></p> <p><b>Discussion on:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Strategic Plan 2012-2016 as submitted by AWG (WRD/TC.44/8.1)</li> <li>8.2 AOP-2011-status and Proposal for AOP-2012 (WRD/TC.44/8.2)</li> <li>8.3 Rule No 6 of Rules of Procedure in what concerns the substitution of the Chairperson of TC in case of impediment; (WRD/TC.44/8.3)</li> <li>8.4 Theme and dates for the seventh Integrated Workshop. Members may wish to make an offer to host this workshop;</li> <li>8.5 New names of the tropical cyclones as replacement of names removed from the list;</li> <li>8.6 Feasibility of holding a future joint session of the Panel on Tropical Cyclones (PTC) and Typhoon Committee.</li> </ol> <p><b>Coffee break (10:30-10:45)</b></p>
<p><b>12:30-14:00</b></p>	<p><b>Lunch</b></p>
<p><b>Afternoon</b> 14:00- 16:30</p>	<p><b>9. PUBLICATIONS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1 Launching of the first issue of the Tropical Cyclone Research &amp; Review</li> <li>9.2 Report of the Expert Mission on the Web-based GIS Typhoon Committee Disaster Information System -WGTCDIS</li> <li>9.3 Typhoon Committee Annual Review -TCAR (WRD/TC44/9.3) - Following decision of TC at its 43<sup>rd</sup> Session, the Committee will decide on the discontinuation of the TCAR.</li> <li>9.4 Typhoon Committee Newsletter 2011 (WRD/TC44/9.4)- Following decision of TC at its 43<sup>rd</sup> Session, the Committee will decide on the change of frequency of the Newsletter.</li> </ol>



<b>5<sup>TH</sup> DAY - 10 FEBRUARY (FRIDAY)</b>	
<p><b>Morning</b> 08:30- 12:30</p>	<p><b>10. COORDINATION WITH OTHER ACTIVITIES OF THE WMO TROPICAL CYCLONE PROGRAMME</b> Activity Report on Implementation of WMO TCP – by WMO (<i>WRD/TC.44/10</i>)</p> <p><b>11. SUPPORT REQUIRED FOR THE COMMITTEE'S PROGRAMME</b></p> <p>a) <b>Technical Cooperation</b> (<i>WRD/TC44/11.a</i>)</p> <p>b) <b>In-kind Contributions</b> (<i>WRD/TC44/11.b</i>)</p> <p>c) <b>Typhoon Committee Trust Fund</b> - statement of account of TCTF for the period 1 January to 31 December 2010 and provisional statement for 1 January to 31 December 2011-by WMO Secretariat (<i>WRD/TC.44/11.c</i>);</p> <p>d) <b>Typhoon Committee Trust Fund</b> summary of income and expenditure from 1 January to 31 December 2011 related to the execution of the Work Plan 2011 by TCS (<i>WRD/TC.44/11.d</i>)</p> <p><b>12. APPROVAL OF TCTF-2012 ( submitted by AWG)</b> The Committee will approve, after discussion, the TCTF proposal for 2012 to be submitted by the AWG - (<i>WRD/TC44/12</i>)</p> <p><b>13. OTHER BUSINESS</b></p>
<b>12:30-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<p><b>Afternoon</b> 14:00- 16:30 18:30-20:30</p>	<p><b>Visit to the local Meteorological Service</b> <b>Farewell dinner</b></p>
<b>6<sup>TH</sup> DAY - 11 FEBRUARY (SATURDAY)</b>	
<p><b>Morning</b> 08:30- 12:30</p>	<p><b>14. DATE AND PLACE OF THE 45<sup>TH</sup> TC SESSION</b> (The Members may wish to make an offer to host the forty-fifth session of TC)</p> <p><b>15. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT</b></p> <p><b>16. CLOSURE OF THE SESSION</b></p>