

Asian Parliamentary Assembly

Standing Committee on Political Affairs

Mashhad, Iran
17-20 June 2025



Draft Annotated Agenda

1- Adoption of the Agenda

Participants are invited to adopt the draft Agenda.

2- Election of the Bureau

The host country will chair the meeting. Participants are encouraged to volunteer for the positions of Vice-Chair and Rapporteur of the meeting.

3- Opening Remarks by Chairperson

Chair will present his/her opening remarks

4- Report of APA Secretary General

APA S.G. will present s summary report on the work of Standing Committee.

5- General Debates

Participants are requested to address the content of the draft resolutions being considered by the Standing Committee.

Based on the letter of APA Secretary General, dated 21 April 2025, delegations may also present the impact of the Best Practices of their parliaments on application of the resolutions of the Standing Committee on Political Affairs in the National Laws of their respective countries.

6- Consideration of Draft Resolutions on:

- Good Governance.
- Rule of Law and Judicial Empowerment.
- Good Parliamentary Practices.
- Building Prosperity in Asia through Friendship and Cooperation.
- Asian Parliaments and Governments Together for Prosperity in Asia.
- Harmonious Development through Democracy.
- Enhancing Cooperation among the Members of the Asian Parliamentary assembly to Protect and Promote Multilateralism.

Participants are requested to consider above 7 draft resolutions and offer their amendments in written form to APA Secretariat prior to the set deadline. Under this item the Chair will introduce the draft resolutions before the Committee and will

invite authors of the amendments to present their proposed texts. The Chair will rule on each amendments and the draft resolution in question is adopted.

7- Sub-Committee on Palestine:

At its meeting dated 12 January 2025 in Baghdad, the Standing Committee on Political Affairs decided that Draft Resolution on “Asian parliament’s Unwavering Support of the Palestinian People” be considered by the Committee on Palestine.

Note: Under Rule 15 of the APA Rules of Procedure, the Committee on Palestine has been renamed as the Sub-Committee on Palestine during the 15th Plenary held in Baku.

8- Any other matters

9- Closing Session.

As of 26 May 2025