



DRAFT TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS AND EVENTS

SIXTIETH ANNUAL SESSION OF

THE ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION (AALCO)¹

NEW DELHI (REPUBLIC OF INDIA)

HEADQUARTER SESSION

VENUE

LE MERIDIEN HOTEL, NEW DELHI

25 SEPTEMBER–28 SEPTEMBER 2022

(All times in Indian Standard time (IST) (+5:30 GMT))

City	Time Zone	Local Time
New Delhi	IST	12:00 PM
Bangkok	THA	01:30 PM
Beijing	CST	02:30 PM
Tokyo	JST	03:30 PM
Riyadh	SAST	09:30 AM
Nairobi	EAT	09:30 AM
Accra	GMT	06:30 AM

¹ Due to the risk posed by the Covid-19 pandemic, the Sixtieth Annual Session will be held in hybrid (online & physical) format and its duration is shortened. .

SUNDAY, 25 September 2022

10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration at the Lobby of the Hotel
04:00 PM-6:00 PM	Meeting of the Secretary-General with the Heads of Delegations (In hybrid format) at Inspire Hall
06:30 PM Onwards	Dinner/Reception hosted by H.E. Dr. Kamalinne Pinitpuvadol, Secretary-General, Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO) for the Heads of Delegations, at Inspire Hall

MONDAY, 26 September 2022

10:00 AM- 12:00 PM	Registration (Contd.) ²
12:00 PM - 01:00PM	INAUGURAL SESSION³ at Sovereign Hall
12:00 PM-12:10 PM	Welcome Remarks of H.E Dr. Kamalinne Pinitpuvadol, Secretary-General of AALCO
12:10 PM-12:20 PM	Opening Statement on behalf of the President of the Fifty-Ninth Annual Session (the People's Republic of China) by Madam Jia

² All the Meetings, Lunches and Dinners from 26-28 September 2022 will be held at Sovereign Hall.

³ Open to Member States, Non-Member States and Observers as well as to other invited dignitaries and guests including media.

Ma, Minister, Embassy of the People's Republic of China in New Delhi.

12:20 PM-12:40 PM Inaugural Statement by the Chief Guest Hon'ble Ms. Meenakshi Lekhi, Minister of State for External Affairs & Culture, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India

12:40 PM-12:50 PM Vote of Thanks by Hon. Mr. Geophrey Mizengo Pinda, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs, the United Republic of Tanzania

Group Photo of Heads of Delegations (*Offline and Online*)

01:00 PM-02:00 PM *Lunch at Sovereign Hall*

ORGANIZATIONAL, ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL MATTERS⁴

02:00 PM - 2:50 PM **FIRST MEETING OF DELEGATIONS OF THE AALCO MEMBER STATES⁵**

- Adoption of the Provisional Agenda and Tentative Schedule of Meetings and Events
- Admission of New Member States
- Admission of Observers
- Election of the President and Vice-President for the Current Session
- Opening Statement by the President of the Sixtieth Annual Session

⁴ Open to Member States, Non-Member States and Observers.

⁵ Participation of Heads of Delegations is necessary in the Meeting of Delegations. This meeting is also open to Member States, Non-Member States and Observers.

02:50 PM- 03:00 PM *Coffee/Tea Break*

FIRST GENERAL MEETING⁶

03:00 PM-03:10 PM Release of AALCO Publications

03:10 PM-4:00 PM **SECOND MEETING OF THE DELEGATIONS OF THE
AALCO MEMBER STATES⁷**

- Report of the Secretary-General on the Work of the Organization and Financial Matters of AALCO
- AALCO's Budget for the Year 2023

04:00 PM-6:30 PM **SECOND GENERAL MEETING⁸**

- General Statements

07:00 PM-09:00 PM Dinner hosted by Ms. Uma Sekhar, Additional Secretary, Legal and Treaties Division, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India at Sovereign Hall

TUESDAY, 27 September 2022

11:00 AM -12:00 PM **SECOND GENERAL MEETING (Contd.)**

- General Statements (Contd.)

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⁷ Open only to Member States.

⁸ Open to Member States, Non-Member States and Observers.

SUBSTANTIVE AGENDA ITEMS FOR DELIBERATION

THIRD GENERAL MEETING⁹

12:00 PM-01:00 PM	Violations of International Law in Palestine and Other Occupied Territories by Israel and Other International Legal Issues related to the Question of Palestine
01:00 PM -02:00 PM	<i>Lunch at Sovereign Hall</i>
02:00 PM-04:00 PM	Selected Items on the Agenda of the International Law Commission (ILC)
04:00 PM-04:15 PM	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
04:15 PM- 05:30 PM	International Trade and Investment Law
06:30 PM Onwards	Dinner hosted by H.E. Dr. Kamalinne Pinitpuvadol, Secretary-General of AALCO at Sovereign Hall

WEDNESDAY, 28 September 2022

THIRD GENERAL MEETING (CONTD.)

11:00 AM -12:00 PM	The Status and Treatment of Refugees
12:00 PM-01:00 PM	Environment and Sustainable Development

⁹ Open to Member States, Non-Member States and Observers.

1:00 PM-02:00 PM *Lunch at Sovereign Hall*

THIRD MEETING OF DELEGATIONS OF THE AALCO MEMBER STATES¹⁰

02:00 PM- 02:45 PM Report on the work of the AALCO's Regional Arbitration
Centers

02:45 PM- 04:00 PM **FOURTH GENERAL MEETING AND CONCLUDING
SESSION**

- Adoption of Message of Thanks to the Host Government
- Adoption of Resolutions (Organizational, Administrative and Financial Matters)
- Report of the Secretary-General on the Work of the Organization and Financial Matters of AALCO;
- Budget of the year 2023;
- Regional Arbitration Centres
- Venue of AALCO's Sixty-First Annual Session
- Adoption of Summary Report of the Session, and General Recommendations (Substantive Matters)
- Vote of Thanks by Asia, Africa and International Organizations
- Closing Remarks by President of the Sixtieth Annual Session of AALCO
- Sixtieth Annual Session of AALCO adjourned

¹⁰ Open only to Member States.