

## CFS 52 – DRAFT PROVISIONAL AGENDA

### I. ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

- a) Adoption of the Agenda and Timetable (*for decision*)
- b) Membership of the Committee (*for information*)
- c) Drafting Committee composition (*for decision*)
- d) Modalities for the preparation of the CFS 52 Final Report (*for decision*)

### II. STRENGTHENING COORDINATED POLICY RESPONSES TO THE FOOD CRISIS –THE STATE OF FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION IN THE WORLD 2024 (*for information and discussion*)

- a) Opening statements by the following, or their delegates (which will be posted on the CFS 52 Session document webpage):
  - The UN Secretary-General;
  - The Director-General, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO);
  - The President, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD);
  - The Executive Director, World Food Programme (WFP);
  - The President of the United Nations General Assembly;
  - The President of the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC);
  - The Chairperson of the High-Level Panel of Experts on Food Security and Nutrition (HLPE-FSN);
  - The CFS Chairperson.
- b) Presentation of the State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World (SOFI) 2024;
- c) Presentation of the CFS summary report on Collaborative governance for coordinated policy responses to emerging global food crises towards sustainable agriculture and food systems transformation;
- d) Delegate statements on coordinated policy responses to the global food crisis.

### III. ADDRESSING MULTIPLE DIMENSIONS OF INEQUALITIES: ENDORSEMENT AND UPTAKE OF THE CFS POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS ON REDUCING INEQUALITIES FOR FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION (*for decision*)

The final version of the CFS Policy Recommendations on Reducing Inequalities for Food Security and Nutrition, resulting from an inclusive multi-stakeholder negotiation process within an Open-Ended Working Group, will be presented for consideration and endorsement by CFS Plenary. The session will also represent an opportunity for highlighting the most significant elements of the Policy Recommendations, and the opportunities for advancing and accelerating their uptake and implementation at global, regional, country, and local levels.

**IV. PROMOTING FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION ACROSS THE RURAL-URBAN CONTINUUM: STRENGTHENING URBAN AND PERI-URBAN FOOD SYSTEMS TO ACHIEVE FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION IN THE CONTEXT OF URBANIZATION AND RURAL TRANSFORMATION** *(for discussion)*

- a) Presentation of the HLPE-FSN Report on Strengthening urban and peri-urban food systems to achieve food security and nutrition in the context of urbanization and rural transformation;
- b) CFS stakeholders will be given the opportunity to provide feedback and inputs on the content of the report in view of the CFS policy convergence process on Strengthening urban and peri-urban food systems to achieve food security and nutrition in the context of urbanization and rural transformation.

**V. STRENGTHENING THE IMPACT OF CFS POLICY AGREEMENTS: ENDORSEMENT OF AN ACTION PLAN TO INCREASE AWARENESS, OWNERSHIP, USE AND USEFULNESS OF CFS POLICY OUTCOMES** *(for decision)*

The final version of the CFS Action Plan to increase awareness, ownership, use and usefulness of CFS policy outcomes, resulting from an inclusive multi-stakeholder negotiation process within an Open-Ended Working Group, will be presented for consideration and endorsement by CFS Plenary.

**VI. GLOBAL THEMATIC EVENT ON ADVANCING THE UPTAKE OF THE CFS VOLUNTARY GUIDELINES ON THE PROGRESSIVE REALIZATION OF THE RIGHT TO ADEQUATE FOOD IN THE CONTEXT OF NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY** *(for information and discussion)*

The session provides an opportunity to monitor progress on the use and application of the CFS Voluntary Guidelines on the Progressive Realization of the Right to Adequate Food in the context of National Food Security on the occasion of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their endorsement.

**VII. FORUM ON THE UPTAKE OF THE CFS VOLUNTARY GUIDELINES ON GENDER EQUALITY AND WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' EMPOWERMENT IN THE CONTEXT OF FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION** *(for information and discussion)*

The forum is intended to provide CFS stakeholders with an opportunity to discuss the implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines on Gender Equality and Women's and Girls' Empowerment in the context of Food Security and Nutrition and mobilize political commitment from governments, donors, civil society, private sector and the UN system.

**VIII. CFS STRATEGIC DIRECTION TOWARD 2030** *(for decision)*

The updated version of the Rolling Section of the CFS Multi-Year Programme of Work (MYPoW) 2024-2027 will be presented for consideration and endorsement by the Committee.

**IX. PROMOTING DECENT WORK IN AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SYSTEMS** *(for information and discussion)*

This session is intended to provide a space to discuss the key role of decent work in agriculture and food systems from a Right to Food perspective and to discuss potential synergies and similarities between CFS and the International Labour Organization (ILO) policy convergence work, and in particular how existing



CFS policy guidance could support the utilization at country level of the ILO Policy Guidelines for the Promotion of Decent Work in the Agri-Food Sector.

**X. OTHER MATTERS**

- a) CFS Bureau and Alternate Members (*for decision*)
- b) Date of the Fifty-third Session of CFS (*for decision*)
- c) Adoption of the Final Report (*for decision*)