

Suggestions to Draft SLM Concept Note

Submitted by the Inter-Parliamentary Union

With reference to the SLM concept note, my only advice on behalf of the IPU is to simplify and mainstream the objectives (Section 3 of the paper) which appear to cover way too much ground than can reasonably be handled.

Point III, in particular, points in too many directions.

The meeting needs to be in a “problem solving key” that takes the cue from the results of the monitoring exercise.

A point that might be added to objective 4C is to use the SLM to strengthen coherence between the GPEDC and the GPIs at global and country levels.

On the dates of the meeting we are inclined to accept your recommendation for the weekend immediately before the ministerial segment.

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