## 1997/208. Distribution of the work of the fortieth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 7 February 1997, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolution 1996/17 of 23 July 1996, in which it requested the Commission on Narcotic Drugs to act as the preparatory body for the special session of the General Assembly, to be held in 1998, decided that the Commission, at its fortieth session, should devote two days of its eight-day session to preparing for the special session of the Assembly.