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- 1. In November 2012, the IASB had an education session on the reporting entity issues.
- 2. At this meeting, the IASB will continue having education sessions on the following topics:
 - (a) Agenda paper 3A: Measurement this is an Education session that provides some background information on the concepts in the *Conceptual Framework*. We also include a discussion on whether there should be a mixed-measurement or a single-measurement approach.
 - (b) Agenda paper 3B: Liabilities/Equity this is an Education session that provides some background information on the definitions of liabilities and equity in the *Conceptual Framework* and the IASB's and FASB's joint project on the Financial Instruments with Characteristics of Equity (FICE). We also include a discussion on the possible approaches to addressing the liabilities/equity boundary at a conceptual level.
- 3. We expect to continue more education sessions in January 2013 on the definition of an asset and the definition of a liability.
- 4. In Agenda paper 3C: Project plan, we seek the IASB's feedback on the staff's proposed approach to the *Conceptual Framework* project.