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### **COMMUNICATION**

#### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject:	Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Biosafety) ( <b><u>morning only</u></b> )
Date:	23 March 2021
Time:	10.30
Venue:	Videoconference

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1. Updated table of notifications under the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity  
= *Information from the Presidency*
2. Recent and upcoming meetings and activities
  - a) 24th meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (informal SBSTTA-24 session, 17-19, 24-26 February 2021, virtual)
  - b) 3rd meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (informal SBI-3 session, 8-12, 14 March 2021, virtual)
  - c) Joint COP and SBSTTA Bureaux meeting (18 March 2021, virtual)  
= *Information from the Presidency, members of the Bureau, delegations and discussion*
3. Preparations for 24th meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (formal SBSTTA-24 session, date tbc, 2021)
  - a) Organisation of work
  - b) Revised draft EU and its Member States' orientation lines  
= *Information from the Presidency, discussion and way forward*

4. Preparations for 3rd meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (formal SBI-3 session, date tbc, 2021)
  - a) Organisation of work
  - b) Revised draft EU and its Member States' position papers
  - = *Information from the Presidency, discussion and way forward*
5. Any other business

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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.