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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on International Environment Issues (CITES) (Attachés and experts)
Date:	19 September 2025
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Preparations for the 20th meeting of the Conference of the Parties (CoP 20) to the CITES Convention (Samarkand, Uzbekistan, 24 November - 5 December 2025)
 - a) Reports from relevant meetings, including SRG106 (16-17/9) and ExGr38 (18/9) and outreach activities
= *information by the Commission*
 - b) Organizational matters
= *information by the Presidency and the Commission*
 - c) The Commission proposal for the Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union at the CITES CoP20
= *presentation by the Commission and first discussion*
2. Any other business

- NB1: Delegations are informed that the meeting is formal and is held in Brussels in attachés and experts format (without interpretation).
- NB2: Delegations are reminded to register their presence in the delegates portal.
- NB3: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.