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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues (Biodiversity)

Date: 5 October 2022

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1+2 (Presidency 2+2)

1. Updated roadmap for the work under the Czech Presidency
= *Information from the Presidency*
2. Outcomes of the 8th Meeting of the Parties to the Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds (AEWA MOP 8)
(Budapest, Hungary, 26–30 September 2022)
= *Information from the Presidency*
3. 42nd meeting of the Standing Committee of the Convention on the Conservation of European Wildlife and Natural Habitats (Bern Convention)
(Strasbourg, France, 28 November – 2 December 2022):
 - a) Organisation of work
= *Information from the Presidency*

- b) Proposal for a Council Decision on the Position to be taken on behalf of the European Union with regard to amendments to Appendices II and III of the Convention (Wolf) and to amendments to the Rules of Procedure of the Standing Committee
= *Information from the Commission and discussion on the possible contents of the proposal*
 - c) Financing of the Bern Convention: outcome of the GR-C meeting on 4 October
= *Information from the Commission and Presidency and discussion*
- 4. 14th Meeting of the Conference of the Contracting Parties to the Ramsar Convention on Wetlands (COP 14) (Geneva, Switzerland, 5–13 November): Draft Wuhan Declaration
= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*
 - 5. Updated table of notifications
= *Information from the Presidency*
 - 6. Reports from the Bureau members of CBD COP / SBSTTA / SBI / IPBES
= *Information from the Bureau members and discussion*
 - 7. Preparation of the 15th session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 15) to the Convention on Biological Diversity, the 10th session of the Conference of the Parties serving as Meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol (COP-MOP 10) and the 4th session of the Conference of the Parties serving as Meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol (COP-MOP 4)
 - a) Intersessional work: Informal Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
 - b) Organisation of work
= *Information from the Presidency*
 - c) Draft EU and its Member States position papers
= *Discussion*
 - 8. Outreach activities
= *Exchange of information*
 - 9. Any Other Business

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.