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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Int. Chemicals/Synergies) (morning only)
Date:	5 November 2024
Time:	10:00
Venue:	Videoconference

Synergies

1. Preparation for the next meeting to establish a science-policy panel (SPP) to contribute further to the sound management of chemicals and waste and to prevent pollution
 - a) Road to OEWG3.2: Information from the Secretariat
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
 - b) Mapping out the current EU and its Member States positions
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
 - c) Update on the outreach strategy
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*

2. Global Framework on Chemicals – For a Planet Free of Harm from Chemicals and Waste
 - a) State of Play
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission*
 - b) Preparation for the fifth meeting of the Bureau of the Global Framework on Chemicals (12 November 2024)
= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*
 - c) Road to 79th UNGA – Draft proposal of a possible follow-up resolution to endorse Global Framework on Chemicals resolution
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

International Chemicals

3. Rotterdam Convention
 - Intersessional work
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission*
4. Stockholm Convention
 - Submission of the EU position on the request from Korea to extend the specific exemptions for PFOA and PFOS
= *Information from the Commission*
5. Minamata Convention
 - Submission of EU and its Member States information on mercury waste
= *Information from the Commission*
6. Any other business

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