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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on International Environment Issues (Global)
Date:	13 November 2024
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Morning part (from 10h00 to 13h00)

1. Towards INC-5: EU + MS positions for INC-5
 - 1.1 Debriefing from the INC Bureau meetings
= *Information by the Bureau members*
 - 1.2 Debriefing from EU HoDs and the INC HoDs on 11 November
= *Information by the Presidency and the Commission*
 - 1.3 Information from other relevant international events
 - a) HAC workshop (Stockholm)
 - b) CBD COP16 (Cali)
= *Information by the Presidency and the Commission*

- 1.4 Report back from the plastic workshop (on 12 November), including presentation of different scenarios and other EU+MS positions
= *Information by the Presidency, followed by discussion and possible adoption*
- 1.5 Outreach activities
= *Information by the Commission, the Presidency and Member States*
- 1.6 Update by the Chair of the INC, Ambassador Luis Vayas Valdivieso, on the latest developments in view of INC-5 preparations¹
= *Information by Ambassador Luis Vayas Valdivieso, followed by questions & answers*
- 1.7 AOB

Afternoon part (from 2:30 pm)

2. UNEP related issues

- 2.1 Debriefing from recent and upcoming meetings of UNEP/UNEA related bodies
 - a) Debriefing on CPR Subcommittee meetings (29 October and 5 and 8 November)
 - b) Discussion on forthcoming 168th meeting of the CPR (17 December)
 - c) Debriefing on the third consultation on the theme for UNEA-7 (22 October) and UNEA Bureau meeting (7 November) and discussion on the forthcoming joint meeting of the Bureau of UNEA-7 and of the CPR Bureau (11 December)
 - d) Discussion on next steps regarding the UNEP 2026-2029 medium-term strategy and 2026-2027 programme of work
 - e) CPR Subcommittee meeting (14 November)
 - f) UNEP Digital Day (19.11. 2024) and UNEP Global Environmental Data Strategy
= *Information by the EU Delegation in Nairobi, the Presidency and the Commission followed by discussion*
- 2.2 Global water issues
 - a) COP29 Baku Dialog on a Water and Climate Action Declaration
 - b) Water Convention MOP10
 - c) One Water summit
= *Information by the Presidency, the concerned Member States and the Commission*

¹ This agenda item will be taken in the afternoon between 16.15 -16.45.

2.3 Information on recent international environmental issues

- a) Colombian request to the EU to sign the Joint Declaration to Advance on Mining with a Purpose Based on Life during COP16 and to provide feedback on both the Declaration and the Official Note Proposal for an international agreement to advance on mining with a purpose based on life.

= *Information by the Commission*

2.4 AOB

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