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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues

Date: 21 June 2012 (10h00)

Venue: COUNCIL

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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Biosafety

1. Updated roadmap on Biosafety for 2012

- Presentation from the incoming Cyprus and the current Danish Presidencies

2. Information from the CBD Bureau

- Possible items for the next meeting of the COP-MOP Bureau 23-24 July 2012

3. CBD Notifications

- Information from the Presidency Document to be circulated

4. CBD Notification 2011-203 on public awareness and participation

- Draft proposal for common EU-submission from the Commission Document to be circulated

5. Proposal for a Council Decision on the Conclusion of the Nagoya-Kuala Lumpur Supplementary Protocol on Liability and Redress to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety

- Information on the follow-up

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6. Preparation for COP/MOP 6

- (a) Compliance Committee
 - Information from the Netherlands on the outcome of the 9th Meeting of the Compliance Committee
 - First discussion of draft position
- (b) Cooperation with other organizations
 - First discussion of draft position
- (c) Capacity Building Activities and the evaluation of the roster of experts
 - First discussion of draft position
- (d) Liability and Redress
 - First discussion of draft position
- (e) Risk assessment and risk management
 - Information from Austria on the outcome of the 4th AHTEG on RA/RM
 - Discussion of draft position
- (f) Monitoring and reporting
 - First discussion of draft position
- (g) Assessment and Review
 - First discussion of draft position

Documents to be circulated

7. Any other business

NB: To reduce costs, only documents produced in the week preceding the meeting will be available in the meeting room.

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