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## **COMMUNICATION**

### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues

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Date: 11 March 2015

Time: 15.00

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

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### **Global environmental aspects of sustainable development:**

1. UNEP-related work, including UNEA 1 follow-up and preparations for UNEA-2
  - a) Exchange of views with UNEP representatives
  - b) Bureau activities: information by EU Bureau members
  - c) Debriefing from recent Subcommittee meetings (Nairobi, 26 February and 10 March 2015)
    - Briefing on IPCC Fifth Assessment Report
    - Development of the MTS 2018-2021 and the PoW 2018-2019: further lessons learned and approach to budget and human resources

- d) Preparations for upcoming CPR and Subcommittee meetings (Nairobi, 12, 19 and 31 March 2015)
  - Briefing on UNEP freshwater activities related to GEMS/Water
  - Briefing on UNEP's forthcoming work on indicators, monitoring, reporting of SDGs
  - Briefing on the UN-REDD Strategy 2016-2020
  - Briefing on preparations for GEO-6
  - Preparations for UNEA 2
- e) Stakeholders engagement: state of play
- f) Montevideo IV: state of play
- g) Illegal Trade in Wildlife: draft Kasane Statement
- h) SCP in relation to HLPF and the Post-2015 Agenda: discussion

2. Rio+20 follow-up and Post-2015 Agenda related processes and events

- a) UNGA 2nd Committee activities
  - Information by the Presidency
- b) 46th Session of the UN Statistical Commission (New York, 3-6 March 2015)
  - Information by the Commission and exchange of views
- c) UN PGA High Level Thematic Debate on Advancing Gender equality and empowerment of Women in the Post-2015 development agenda (New York, 6 March 2015)
  - Information by the EEAS
- d) Environment Council discussion on "The global Post-2015 agenda: taking stock of negotiations and looking ahead" (Brussels, 6 March 2015)
  - Information by the Presidency

3. Any other business

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- NB 1: A limited stock of documents produced immediately prior to the meeting will be available in the meeting room. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.
- NB 2: Delegates requiring day badges to attend meetings should consult document 14387/1/12 REV 1 on how to obtain them.
- NB 3: Members of the CODEV and CONUN Working Parties are invited to attend discussions under agenda items 1h) and 2.