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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues

Date: 7 December 2015
Time: 10.00
Venue: COUNCIL
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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Global environmental aspects of sustainable development:

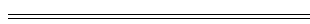
1. UNEP-related work, including UNEA-1 follow-up and preparations for UNEA-2
 - a) Bureau activities
 - Information by EU Bureau members
 - b) CPR Subcommittee and informal CPR meetings (Nairobi, 17, 19, 24, 26 November 2015; 1, 3 and 10 December 2015; and 14 January 2016)
 - Draft UNEA-2 resolutions and themes to be included in other resolutions
 - (i) Suggested clusters of resolutions
 - (ii) Oceans and seas (EU) + Marine debris and micro-plastics (Norway)
 - (iii) 2030 Agenda (EU)
 - (iv) Sustainable Consumption and Production (SCP), including circular economy (EU)
 - (v) Chemicals and waste (EU)
 - (vi) Sustainable urban development
 - (vii) Environmental education and training (Mongolia)
 - (viii) SAMOA Pathway and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) (Samoa)

- (ix) Extractive sector (Botswana)
- (x) Illegal trade in wildlife (Kenya)
- (xi) Protection of the environment in conflict-affected areas (Ukraine)
- (xii) Biodiversity Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) (Ghana, Mexico and CH) + Relationship between UNEP and MEAs
- (xiii) Medium-term Strategy (MTS), Programme of Work (PoW) and Budget
- (xix) UNEA cycle
- (xv) Montevideo Programme
- (xvi) Coordination across the UN system in the area of environment
- (xvii) Environment Forum for Basin Organizations (Egypt)
 - Working group on UNEA-2 outcome
 - Preliminary structure of UNEA-2 High level Segment
 - Stakeholder engagement policy

2. 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (2030 ASD) and related processes and events

- a) UNGA 2nd Committee discussions on the implementation of the 2030 ASD
 - Information by the Presidency/Commission/EEAS and exchange of views
- b) UNGA 5th Committee discussions on financing for sustainable development
 - Information by the Presidency/Commission/EEAS and exchange of views
- c) Update on Commission plans to implement the 2030 Agenda at EU level, including on circular economy
 - Information by the Commission

3. Any other business



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: Members of the CODEV and CONUN Working Parties are invited to attend discussions under agenda item 2