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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues (Global environmental aspects of sustainable development)

Date: 17 May 2018
Time: 10.00
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Morning (10:00 am)

1. UN Environment Programme/UN Environment Assembly
 - a) Follow-up to UNEA-3
 - Information and discussion
 - (i) UNEA-3 Implementation Plan on Pollution
 - (ii) Marine litter and micro-plastics
 - (iii) Other UNEA-3 resolutions
 - b) Informal meeting with UNEP representatives (10:30-11:30)
 - Presentation on Environment and Health and discussion
 - c) Videoconference with Nairobi EU delegates (11:30-12:30)
 - Outcome of recent meetings, including the 142nd CPR, and next steps

- d) Stakeholders engagement
 - State of play: information and discussion

Afternoon (3:00 pm)

- e) Preparations for UNEA-4 (Nairobi, 11-15 March 2019)
 - Information and discussion
 - (i) Programme of Work and Budget
 - (ii) Theme and structure of UNEA-4
 - (iii) ASC-5 and OECPR-4 meetings
 - (iv) Quarterly Report
 - (v) Roadmap for the Ministerial Declaration
 - 2. Global Pact for the Environment (GPE)
 - Information on state of play and discussion
 - a) Videoconference with EU delegates in New York (4:00-4:30 pm)
 - b) Recommendation for a Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on a Global Pact for the Environment
 - 3. Rio+20 follow-up and implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
 - a) High Level Political Forum (HLPF) (New York, 9-18 July 2018)
 - Information on the state of play of preparations and discussion
 - b) Recent UN events in New York
 - Information by the EEAS
 - 4. 2nd Eastern Partnership Ministerial Meeting on Environment and Climate Change (Autumn 2018)
 - Information by the Commission and discussion
 - 5. Any other business
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NB 1: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity

NB 2: Members of the Working Party on the Environment are encouraged to participate at the discussions under agenda item 2)

NB 3: An informal meeting with NGOs representatives will take place between 2:00 and 3:00 pm at the same meeting room