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Subject: Working Party on International Environment Issues (Biodiversity)
(morning only)

Date: 25 March 2019

Time: 10.00

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

1. Reports by the Bureaux members (CBD, SBSTTA, IPBES)
2. Updated CBD Notifications table
 - Information from the Presidency and discussion on selected Notifications
3. Outcome of the Regional Consultation Workshop on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework for European Union Member States and Western European and Others Group (Bonn, 19-21 March 2019)
 - a) Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion on the follow-up
 - b) Draft reply by the EU and its Member States to CBD Notification 2019-008 on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework
 - Discussion
 - c) Information on the up-coming Regional Consultation on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework for Central and Eastern Europe (Belgrade, 16-18 April 2019)

4. Preparations for the seventh plenary session of the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES-7) (Paris, 29 April-5 May 2019)
 - a) Updated IPBES Notifications table
 - b) Organisation of the work
 - c) Draft EU and its Member States positions and orientation lines
 - Discussion

5. Preparations for the 13th meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS COP 13) (Gandhinagar, India, 15-22 February 2020)
 - Updated CMS Notifications table
 - = Information from the Presidency and the Commission

6. Any other business

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