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

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Subject: Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on  
International Environment Issues (Biodiversity) (afternoon only)

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Date: 6 July 2020

Time: 14.30

Venue: Videoconference

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1. Roadmap for the work under the German Presidency

*= Presentation by the Presidency*

2. Reports from the CBD COP/SBI, SBSTTA and IPBES bureaux members

3. Updated table of CBD/IPBES notifications

*= Information from the Presidency*

4. Recent and upcoming meetings and activities

a) Online Workshop on Transformative Change in the post-2020 global biodiversity framework organized by the Commission (23, 25-26 June 2020)

b) Online Informal EU Expert Meeting on Access and Benefit Sharing-related indicators in the post-2020 global biodiversity framework (2 July 2020)

- c) Online briefings on pre-session documents for SBSTTA 24 on agenda item 3 related to the post-2020 global biodiversity framework (30 June-7 July)

= *Information from the Presidency and Commission*

- 5. The UN Summit on Biodiversity (22-23 September 2020 tbc)

= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*

- 6. Preparations for the 24th meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA 24) (Quebec, 2-7 November 2020 tbc) and the third meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (SBI 3) (Quebec, 9-14 November 2020 tbc)

- a) Organisation of work

- b) Preliminary exchange of views on document for SBSTTA 24 on indicators for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework (in peer review by 25 July)

= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*

- 7. Financing and Strategic Development of the Bern Convention

= *Discussion*

- 8. Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)

- Action Plan for the European Eel

= *Information from the Presidency and Commission followed by discussion*

- 9. Any other business

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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.