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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on International Environment Issues (UNECE and other regional issues)
Date:	23 June 2021
Time:	10.00
Venue:	Videoconference

1. Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic (the OSPAR Convention) - OSPAR Commission meeting with Ministerial segment (27th September – 1st October 2021)
 - a) OSPAR Decision on designation North Atlantic Current and Evlanov Seamount Marine Protected Area' (NACES MPA) to protect seabirds
 - b) Draft Strategy of the OSPAR Commission for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic 2030
 - c) Ministerial Declaration by OSPAR Ministers
 - d) Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the OSPAR Commission for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic and the Bonn Agreement Contracting Parties

- e) Draft OSPAR Recommendation 202x/xx on the reduction of plastic pellet loss into the marine environments.
 - Presentation by the Commission and discussion

 - 2. Baltic Marine Environment Protection Commission - Ministerial meeting (20 October 2021, Lübeck, Germany)
 - a) Revised Baltic Sea Action Plan
 - b) Ministerial statement

 - Presentation by the Commission and discussion

 - 3. AOB
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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.