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### **COMMUNICATION**

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

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Subject:	Informal videoconference of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Climate change)
Date:	27 September 2021
Time:	10.00
Venue:	Videoconference

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1. **Preparations for the UN Climate Change Conference (COP26) (Glasgow, United Kingdom, 31 October-12 November 2021)**
  - Latest state of play, strategic discussion on developments and expectations for COP26
  - = *Introduction by LNs followed by discussion*
  - Draft Council Conclusions for COP26 as well as preparation of Position Paper and Technical Working Document
  - = *Information on the state of play*
  - Organisational matters
  - = *Information*
2. **Climate finance across the negotiation agenda**
  - = *Strategic discussion*
3. **UN envoy/representative on a.m.a loss and damage**
  - = *Information and discussion*

4. **Communication Task Force: Outputs before COP26**  
= *Presentation and discussion*
5. **Online Climate Negotiations - Building climate diplomacy back better: imagining the UNFCCC meetings of tomorrow**  
= *Presentation of the project findings by M. Richard Klein from the Stockholm Environment Institut followed by Q&A*
6. **Recent/upcoming climate-related meetings (report back/information)**
  - a) **Recent meetings**
    - Informal ministerial consultations on Common Time Frames for Nationally Determined Contributions, 7 September 2021
    - Twentieth meeting of the Adaptation Committee (AC20), 7-10 September 2021
    - Twenty-fifth meeting (virtual) of the Standing Committee on Finance, 6-8 September 2021
    - Transparency – Multilateral consultations with HoDs, 9 and 10 September 2021
    - CCXG Global Forum on the Environment and Climate Change, 13-15 September 2021
    - 14th meeting of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage (WIM ExCom), 7-10 and 20-24 September 2021
    - Major Economies Forum on Energy and Climate, 17 September 2021
    - UNGA, 14-30 September 2021
    - Climate week NYC, 20-26 September 2021
    - = *Reports back*
  - b) **Upcoming meetings (information and discussion)**
    - Cartagena Dialogue, 27-29 September 2021, Lugano, Switzerland
    - Pre-COP, 30 September-2 October 2021, Milan, Italy
    - **Environment Council**, 6 October 2021, Luxembourg
    - OECD Forum on Green Finance and Investment, 11-14 October 2021
    - = *Information and discussion*
5. **AOB**
  - Nominations for COP26

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