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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 (Climate change)
Date:	2 September 2026
Time:	10:00
Venue:	Videoconference

1. Debrief on recent and upcoming International Meetings:
 - a) Shamakhi Heads of Delegations Retreat (Shamakhi, Azerbaijan, 22-23 July 2026)
 - b) Informal ENVI Council (Dublin, 24 July 2026)
 - c) ECBI Seminar (Oxford, 26-27 August 2026)
 - d) Istanbul Climate Finance Summit (Istanbul, 4 September 2026)
 - e) Climate Week (Baku, 7 – 11 September 2026)
 - f) Ocean and Seas Summit (Trabzon, 10–11 September 2026)
 - g) Global Forum on the Environment and Climate Change (CCXG) (Paris, 16 – 17 September 2026)
 - h) Standing Committee on Finance (Sydney, 21 – 25 September 2026)
 - i) United Nations General Assembly High Level Week (New York, 22 – 26 September 2026)
 - j) Eighth global dialogue and the eighth investment-focused event under the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme (Sydney, 28 – 30 September 2026)
 - k) Informal Intersessional Workshop on Just Transition (Sydney, 30 September – 2 October 2026)
 - l) Pre-COP (Fiji, 5 – 8 October 2026) m) Climate diplomacy
 - = *Information from the Presidency*

2. Just Transition
= *Discussion*
3. Preparations for the 31st Conference of the Parties (COP31) of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) (Antalya, 9 - 20 November 2026)
Revised draft Council conclusions
= *Discussion*
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4. Climate finance: COP31 Presidency of Negotiations initiative on Access to Finance
= *Discussion*
5. Submissions:
 - a) Submitted:
 - i) Belém Adaptation Indicators to inform the technical paper referred to in paragraph 16 of decision 12/CMA.7 (30 July 2026)
 - ii) Follow-up on Deforestation Roadmap (31 July 2026)
 - iii) Views on possible themes for and ways to organize Earth Information Day 2026 (1 August 2026)
 - iv) Views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Green Climate Fund (GCF) (16 August 2026)
 - v) Views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Global Environment Facility (16 August 2026)
 - vi) Views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage (FRLD) (November 2026) (16 August 2026)
 - vii) Progress, challenges and improvements related to ACE implementation (18 August 2026)
 - b) Upcoming:
 - i) Views on opportunities, best practices, actionable solutions, challenges and barriers relevant to the topic of the 8th Mitigation Work Programme Global Dialogue and Investment Focused Event (31 August 2026)
 - ii) Views and information on topics for discussion at the in-session workshop to be held in conjunction with the 10th meeting of the Glasgow Committee on Non-market Approaches (31 August 2026)
 - iii) Submission on the Just Transition Work Programme review (1 September 2026)
 - iv) Inputs and views on the 6.2 Ambition Dialogue and Informal Dialogue (5 September 2026)
 - v) Submission on the Climate Finance Work Programme (6 September 2026)
 - vi) Views on informal note including proposals for strengthening existing activities and new elements of a new action plan under the Glasgow work programme (1 October 2026)

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6. Any other business
7. Nominations
 - Heads of Delegations only
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