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INFORMAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE  
BIOSAFETY CLEARING-HOUSE  
Montreal, 9-10 November 2004

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
  - 2.1. Election of officers;
  - 2.2. Adoption of the agenda;
  - 2.3. Organization of work.
3. Operational procedures.
4. Issues for in-depth consideration:
  - 4.1. Introduction and overview;
  - 4.2. Summary of outcomes of the questionnaire on the operation of the Biosafety Clearing-House;
  - 4.3. Overview of partnership arrangements, and methods to promote collaboration;
  - 4.4. Capacity-building activities of the Biosafety Clearing-House, and discussion of options for non-Internet participation;
  - 4.5. Elements of a longer-term programme of work for the Biosafety Clearing-House.
5. Other matters.
6. Conclusions and recommendations.
7. Closure of the meeting.

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