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MEETING OF SUBNATIONAL GOVERNMENTS IN SUPPORT OF THE AICHI BIODIVERSITY TARGETS

Curitiba, Brazil, 24-27 April 2012

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
 - 2.1. Election of officers;
 - 2.2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Mandates and best practices on biodiversity at subnational level (ecosystem networking, subnational networks of protected areas, etc.).
4. Establishment of the Advisory Committee on Subnational Governments for Biological Diversity:
 - 4.1. Terms of reference and objectives of the Committee;
 - 4.2. Roadmap of the Committee's activities and organization of the subnational governments' meeting in cooperation with the Second City Biodiversity Summit in Hyderabad, India.
5. Mechanisms and tools for subnational action for biodiversity:
 - 5.1. Discussion on tools to monitor and evaluate biodiversity at the subnational level based on the experience of the City Biodiversity Index (CBI);
 - 5.2. Integrating biodiversity economic valuation tools such as the study on The Economics of Ecosystem Services and Biodiversity (TEEB) into subnational development and environmental plans;
 - 5.3. The first edition of the Cities and Biodiversity Outlook (CBO-1): overview and contributions of subnational governments to the assessment.
6. Strategies for the mobilization of subnational governments in support to the global Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020 and the Plan of Action on Subnational Governments, Cities and Other Local Authorities on Biodiversity 2011-2020:
 - 6.1. Subnational biodiversity strategies and action plans in support of national biodiversity strategies and actions plans and the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020: links to the series of regional and subregional capacity-building workshops organized by the Secretariat of Convention on Biological Diversity, particularly the Mediterranean Basin Regional Workshop for Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans;

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- 6.2. Implementation Plan for Subnational Governments within the Global Partnership on Subnational and Local Action on Biodiversity;
 - 6.3. Next steps and partnership development.
7. Other matters.
8. Closure of the meeting.
