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CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION
ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY SERVING AS THE
MEETING OF THE PARTIES TO THE CARTAGENA
PROTOCOL ON BIOSAFETY

Eighth meeting

Cancun, Mexico, 4–17 December 2016

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organization of the meeting:
 - 2.1 Adoption of the agenda;
 - 2.2 Election of substitute officers;
 - 2.3 Organization of work.
3. Report on the credentials of representatives to the eighth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol.
4. Report of the Compliance Committee.
5. Report of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation.
6. Capacity-building and the roster of biosafety experts:
 - 6.1. Report on the status of biosafety capacity-building activities and review of the Framework and Action Plan for Capacity-Building;
 - 6.2. Report on the use of the roster of biosafety experts.
7. Operation and activities of the Biosafety Clearing-House.
8. Matters related to the financial mechanism and resources.
9. Cooperation with other organizations, conventions and initiatives.
10. Report of the Executive Secretary on the administration of the Protocol and on budgetary matters.

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11. Risk assessment and risk management (Articles 15 and 16).
 12. Unintentional transboundary movements and emergency measures (Article 17).
 13. Transit and contained use of living modified organisms (Article 6).
 14. Review of implementation and effectiveness of the Protocol:
 - 14.1 Monitoring and reporting (Article 33);
 - 14.2 Third assessment and review of the effectiveness of the Cartagena Protocol and mid-term evaluation of the Strategic Plan.
 15. Socio-economic considerations (Article 26).
 16. Nagoya – Kuala Lumpur Supplementary Protocol on Liability and Redress.
 17. Public awareness, education and participation (Article 23).
 18. Other matters.
 19. Adoption of the report.
 20. Closure of the meeting.
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