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Seventh meeting
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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.

2. Organizational matters:

   2.1 Adoption of the agenda;

   2.2 Organization of work.

3. Global taxonomic needs assessment.

4. Education and public awareness activities.

5. Project development seminar.

6. Refinement of the GTI portal.

7. International regime on access and benefit-sharing.

8. Development of outcome-oriented deliverables for each planned activity in the programme of work.

9. Funding issues:

   9.1 Funding for the global taxonomic needs assessment and the project development seminar;

   9.2 Special fund for the Global Taxonomy Initiative;

   9.3 General funding sources for implementation of the programme of work.

10. Next steps and future meetings.

11. Other matters.

12. Closure of the meeting.

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