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PREPARATION OF THE FOURTH NATIONAL  
REPORT UNDER THE CONVENTION ON  
BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY

Tsukuba, Japan, 2-4 December 2008

### PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting and organizational matters.
2. Overview of the objectives and programme for the Workshop.
3. The process of preparing the fourth national reports.
4. Assessing the status and trends of, and threats to, biodiversity (chapter I of the national report and use of indicators).
5. Implementation of national biodiversity strategies and action plans and the mainstreaming of biodiversity (chapters II and III of the national report and updating of national biodiversity strategies and action plans).
6. Assessing progress towards the 2010 biodiversity target (chapter IV of the national report and the Global Biodiversity Outlook).
7. Communication and public awareness: International Year of Biodiversity and strategic communication.
8. Next steps: ensuring that information is available for assessing progress towards the 2010 target, and conclusions of the Workshop.
9. Closure of the Workshop.

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