



## Convention on Biological Diversity

Distr.  
GENERAL

CBD/MCB/EM/2018/1/INF/5  
CBD/PA/EM/2018/1/INF/1  
31 January 2018

ENGLISH ONLY

EXPERT WORKSHOP ON MARINE PROTECTED  
AREAS AND OTHER EFFECTIVE AREA-  
BASED CONSERVATION MEASURES FOR  
ACHIEVING AICHI BIODIVERSITY TARGET 11  
IN MARINE AND COASTAL AREAS  
Montreal, Canada, 6-9 February 2018

TECHNICAL EXPERT WORKSHOP ON OTHER  
EFFECTIVE AREA-BASED CONSERVATION  
MEASURES FOR ACHIEVING AICHI  
BIODIVERSITY TARGET 11  
Montreal, Canada, 6 to 9 February 2018

### **GUIDELINES FOR RECOGNIZING AND REPORTING OTHER EFFECTIVE AREA-BASED CONSERVATION MEASURES**

*Note by the Executive Secretary*

1. The Executive Secretary is circulating herewith, for the information of participants in the Expert Workshop on Marine Protected Areas and Other Effective Area-based Conservation Measures for Achieving Aichi Biodiversity Target 11 in Marine and Coastal Areas, the revised Guidelines for Recognizing and Reporting Other Effective Area-based Conservation Measures, prepared by the International Union for Conservation of Nature World Commission on Protected Areas (IUCN-WCPA).
2. The present document is also being made available as an information document for the Technical Expert Workshop on Other Effective Area-based Conservation Measures for Achieving Aichi Biodiversity Target 11, which will be held in parallel with the Expert Workshop on Marine Protected Areas and Other Effective Area-based Conservation Measures for Achieving Aichi Biodiversity Target 11 in Marine and Coastal Areas, including some joint sessions.
3. The document is being circulated in the form and language in which it was received by the Secretariat.