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THIRD MEETING OF THE INFORMAL ADVISORY  
GROUP ON ECOLOGICALLY OR BIOLOGICALLY  
SIGNIFICANT MARINE AREAS  
Videoconference – 12-13 April 2022  
9 a.m. and 7 p.m., Montreal EDT

### PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.
  2. Meeting background, scope and expected outputs.
  3. Issues for in-depth discussion:
    - (a) Updated training manual on ecologically or biologically significant marine areas;
    - (b) Draft voluntary guidance for peer-review processes for supporting the identification of new and/or modification of descriptions to existing designated marine areas of significance;
    - (c) Update and discussions on various intergovernmental processes and implications for work on ecologically or biologically significant marine areas;
    - (d) Potential future modalities for the informal advisory group on ecologically or biologically significant marine areas.
  4. Other matters.
  5. Closure of the meeting.
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