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OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP
ON THE POST-2020 GLOBAL
BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK
Third meeting (resumed)
Geneva, Switzerland, 14-29 March 2022

PROVISIONAL AGENDA WITH SUPPLEMENTARY ANNOTATIONS

1. The first part of the third meeting of the Working Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework was held in a virtual setting from 23 August to 3 September 2021. In view of the extraordinary circumstances prevailing as a result of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and the complexities involved in holding the meeting in a virtual setting, it was agreed that finalization of the work and recommendations of the Working Group would be deferred until a resumed session of the Working Group, planned to be held in person, as indicated in the report on the first part of the meeting (CBD/WG2020/3/5). Accordingly, the resumed in-person meeting is scheduled to be held in conjunction and concurrently with in-person meetings of the twenty-fourth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (resumed session) and the third meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (resumed session) in Geneva, Switzerland, from 14 to 29 March 2022, postponed from the original dates set for January 2022. Please note that on-site registration and regional preparatory meetings will take place on 13 March, and the opening plenary sessions of the respective bodies will be held on 14 March.
2. The present document supplements the provisional and annotated agendas adopted at the first part of the third meeting of the Working Group (CBD/WG2020/3/1 and Add.1), providing updates on the status of each agenda in the light of the work carried out in the first part of the meeting (see [CBD/WG2020/3/5](#)) as well as any inter-sessional work conducted since the first part of the meeting.
3. The proposed organization of work for the resumed meeting is provided in the scenario note for the concurrent resumed sessions of the third meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, the twenty-fourth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice and the third meeting of the Working Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework (CBD/WG2020/3/1/Add.2/Rev.4).
4. The report on the first part of the third meeting of the Working Group, held from 23 August to 3 September 2021, will be before the Working Group for consideration at the resumed session of the meeting.

ITEM 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING

5. A joint opening of the resumed sessions of the third meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, the twenty-fourth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice and the third meeting of the Working Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework will take place on Monday, 14 March 2022 at 10 a.m. with an opening statement by the Chairs and Co-Chairs of the respective bodies as well as the Presidency of the Conference of the Parties and the Executive Secretary.

* Reissued on 7 February 2022 to update the dates of the meeting and the list of documents.

ITEM 2. ADOPTION OF THE REVISED AGENDA AND ORGANIZATION OF WORK

6. As noted above, the agenda (CBD/WG2020/3/1) was adopted at the first part session of the third meeting of the Working Group.
7. The Working Group will be invited to consider the organization of work for the resumed meeting for adoption (CBD/WG2020/3/1/Add.2/Rev.4).
8. An updated list of documents for the third meeting of the Working Group is contained in the annex.

ITEM 3. PROGRESS SINCE THE SECOND MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP

9. The Working Group considered agenda item 3 at part I of its third meeting, starting from its plenary session held on 23 August 2021. The Working Group took note of the outcomes of the consultations conducted and other contributions received regarding the preparation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework since the second meeting of the Working Group, provided in a note by the Executive Secretary (CBD/WG2020/3/2).
10. The Co-Chairs and the Executive Secretary will provide an update on activities carried out since the first part of the meeting.

ITEM 4. POST-2020 GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK

11. The Working Group considered agenda item 4 at part I of its third meeting.
12. Following the exchange of views, the Chair established four contact groups to facilitate work. The Working Group decided to annex the outcomes of the work of the contact groups, as reported by the co-leads of each group, to the report on the meeting.
13. The Working Group will consider this item on the basis of the first draft of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework (CBD/WG2020/3/3) as well as the outcomes of the first part of the third meeting. However, that the draft elements of a possible decision operationalizing the post-2020 global biodiversity framework, contained in the appendix, have been revised to take into account the comments made during the first part of the third meeting of the Working Group (for the revised text, see CBD/WG2020/3/3/Add.3).
14. The Working Group will also have before it:
 - (a) A note by the Co-Chairs providing their reflections following the first part of the third meeting of the Working Group (document CBD/WG2020/3/6);
 - (b) An updated glossary, reflecting comments made during the first part of the third meeting of the Working Group (CBD/WG2020/3/3/Add.2/Rev.1);
 - (c) The report of the Working Group on the first part of its third meeting (CBD/WG2020/3/5).
15. It is envisaged that the four contact groups would be resumed to facilitate the work of the Working Group on this agenda item.

ITEM 5. DIGITAL SEQUENCE INFORMATION ON GENETIC RESOURCES

16. The Working Group took up agenda item 5 at the first plenary session of the first part of its third meeting on the basis of the note by the Executive Secretary (CBD/WG2020/3/4), including the outcomes of the meeting of the Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group (AHTEG) and an overview of the informal activities carried out. The Working Group established a contact group to further consider the matter. The work of the contact group was included as annex V to the report of the first part of the Working Group (CBD/WG2020/3/5).
17. The contact group identified the need for further intersessional work. Accordingly, the Co-Chairs and the Executive Secretary established the informal Co-Chairs' advisory group to provide advice and feedback on digital sequence information on genetic resources in preparation for the resumed session of the third meeting of the Working Group.

18. Intersessional work between the two parts of the Working Group's third meeting included the submission of views and several meetings of the informal Co-Chairs' advisory group. A summary of this intersessional work is being made available in CBD/WG2020/3/4/Add.1. The compilation of views submitted will be made available as CBD/WG2020/3/INF/7 and the report of the advisory group can be found in CBD/WG2020/3/INF/8.

19. The updated document CBD/WG2020/3/4/Add.1 also includes elements of a draft recommendation which reflect the conclusions of the co-leads of the informal Co-Chairs' advisory group. It is envisaged that this draft recommendation be considered by the Working Group (thus superseding the "potential elements of a draft recommendation on digital sequence information as contained in annex V, part A, of the report of the first part of the meeting), with the support of a resumed contact group.

ITEM 6. OTHER MATTERS

20. Under this item, the Working Group may address other matters related to the subject matter of the meeting.

ITEM 7. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT

21. The Working Group will be invited to consider and adopt the report on the work of its resumed session on the basis of the draft report prepared by the Rapporteur.

ITEM 8. CLOSING STATEMENTS

22. The joint closing of the meetings is expected to take place at 6:00 p.m. on 29 March 2022. The President of the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties will be invited to make a closing statement.

*Annex***LIST OF DOCUMENTS**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Item</i>
CBD/WG2020/3/1	Provisional agenda	
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CBD/WG2020/3/1/Add.3	Provisional agenda with supplementary annotations	2
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CBD/WG2020/3/4	Digital sequence information on genetic resources	5
CBD/WG2020/3/4/Add.1 (New)	Digital sequence information on genetic resources - Addendum	5
CBD/WG2020/3/5 (New)	Report of the Open-ended Working Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework on its third meeting (Part I)	
CBD/WG2020/3/6 (New)	Note by the Co-Chairs providing their reflections following the first session of the third meeting of the Working Group	
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/1	Update of digital sequence information on genetic resources in relevant international processes and policy debates	5
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CBD/WG2020/3/INF/7	Compilation of views submitted (digital sequence information on genetic resources)	5
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/8	Co-leads' report on the work the informal Co-Chairs' advisory group on digital sequence information on genetic resources	5
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/9	Information from the Commission on Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture related to digital sequence information on genetic resources	4, 5
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/10	Developing and measuring a gender-responsive post-2020 biodiversity framework: information on gender considerations within the draft post-2020 monitoring framework	4
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/11	Expert input to the post-2020 global biodiversity framework: transformative actions on all drivers of biodiversity loss are urgently required to achieve the global goals by 2050	4
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/12	Framework for action on biodiversity for food and agriculture and the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity for food and agriculture and the post-2020 global biodiversity framework – submission by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	4
CBD/WG2020/3/INF/13	Synthesis of the workshop on aligning financial flows with the post 2020 global biodiversity framework	4
CBD/POST2020/OM/2021/4/1	Synthesis of the Workshop on the Financial Sector and the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework	4
CBD/POST2020/WS/2021/1/2	Report of the Third Global Thematic Dialogue for Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework	4
CBD/GB/OM/2021/3/1	Report of the Virtual Discussion on the Draft Outline of a Post-2020 Gender Plan of Action	4
