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**Conference of the Parties to the Convention on
Biological Diversity serving as the meeting of the
Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic
Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of
Benefits Arising from Their Utilization
Sixth meeting
Yerevan, 19–30 October 2026
Item 2 of the provisional agenda*
Organizational matters**

Annotated provisional agenda

Introduction

1. Following the invitation of the Government of Armenia, the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from Their Utilization will be held in Yerevan from 19 to 30 October 2026, concurrently with the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity and the twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety. A high-level opening ceremony will be held on 18 October.
2. Preparatory meetings of regional groups may also be held on 18 October.
3. The Secretariat will prepare a compilation of the draft decisions recommended by the subsidiary bodies or developed in the light of earlier decisions and recommendations.¹

Item 1

Opening of the meeting

4. The opening of the present meeting will take place at 10 a.m. on 19 October, jointly with the opening of the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention and of the twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol.
5. The present meeting will be opened by the President of the fifth meeting, Crown Counsel II of the Ministry of Justice and Legal Affairs of Antigua and Barbuda, Nneka Nicholas, or her representative. At the opening session, participants will hear a welcoming address by representatives of the presidency and of the host country.
6. The Executive Secretary, Astrid Schomaker, will address the participants and highlight the main issues before the Conference of the Parties to the Convention and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meetings of the Parties to the Protocols.

* [CBD/NP/MOP/6/1](#).

¹ CBD/NP/MOP/6/2.

7. Representatives of regional groups, indigenous peoples and local communities, as well as of a limited number of other groups, may also make statements.

Item 2

Organizational matters

Election of the President

8. At the opening session, the President of the fifth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol, or her representative, will call for the election of the President of the sixth meeting. The term of office of the President of the sixth meeting will begin immediately following the election and end with the election of a successor at the seventh meeting.
9. If Armenia has become a Party to the Protocol by the commencement of the meeting, the President of the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties will also serve as President of the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol. If not, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will elect a President from among the Parties to the Protocol present at the meeting, in accordance with rule 21, paragraph 1, of the rules of procedure.

Election of officers

10. The Bureau of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention also serves as the Bureau of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol. In accordance with Article 26, paragraph 3, of the Protocol, any member of the Bureau of the Conference of the Parties representing a Party to the Convention that is not a Party to the Protocol is to be substituted by a member to be elected by and from among the Parties to the Protocol.
11. At its sixteenth meeting, the Conference of the Parties elected 10 members of the Bureau for a term of office commencing upon the closure of the sixteenth meeting and ending at the closure of the seventeenth meeting. Subsequently, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol elected substitute Bureau members for those regions where the Conference of the Parties Bureau member was representing a Party to the Convention that was not a Party to the Protocol. Accordingly, the Bureau for the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol comprises the following members, in addition to the President:

Joséphine Thérèse Babette Beyala Epse Eloundou (Cameroon)

Jonas Komi Anthé (Togo)

Bilal Qtishat (Jordan)

Ilham Atho Mohamed (Maldives)

Ditta Greguss (Hungary)

Kumar Mambetaliev (Kyrgyzstan)

Jeremiah Edmund (Saint Lucia)

Eliana Saissac (Argentina)

Eric Schauls (Luxembourg)

Gaute Hanssen (Norway)

12. At its seventeenth meeting, the Conference of the Parties to the Convention will elect Bureau members whose terms of office will commence upon the closure of the meeting, in accordance with rule 21 of the rules of procedure. In the event that one or more Bureau members are elected from

Parties to the Convention that are not Parties to the Nagoya Protocol, substitute members will be elected by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol.

13. Regional groups are urged to submit their nominations at the opening of the meeting to make it possible for the elections to take place at an early stage of the meeting, thus enabling the newly elected members of the Bureau to attend, as observers, the Bureau meetings to be held during the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties and ensuring a smooth transition between outgoing and incoming Bureau members.²

Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

14. Pursuant to rules 8 and 9 of the rules of procedure and in consultation with the Bureau, the Secretariat has prepared a provisional agenda for consideration by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol. The provisional agenda reflects issues arising from previous decisions of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol.

15. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to adopt the agenda for the present meeting on the basis of the provisional agenda.

16. As decided by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol in paragraph 1 of decision [NP-1/12](#), by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention in paragraph 3 of decision [XII/27](#) and by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol in paragraph 1 of decision [BS-VII/9](#), ordinary meetings of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meetings of the Parties to the Protocols are held concurrently with the meetings of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention within a two-week period.

17. Accordingly, the proposed organization of work for the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, the twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol and the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be set out in a document common to all three meetings.³ The document will also include a division of responsibilities between the plenary and the two working groups proposed to be established by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention. The organization of work will be prepared taking into account the experience gained since 2016 in the concurrent convening of the meetings of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meetings of the Parties to the Protocols. It is thus envisaged that the two working groups will also address issues related to the Protocols.

18. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider and approve the proposed organization of work.

19. Interpretation will be available for plenary sessions and sessions of the working groups.

20. A list of working documents for the present meeting is provided in the annex.

Item 3

Report on the credentials of representatives to the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol

21. Rule 18 of the rules of procedure states that:

The credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers shall be submitted to the Executive Secretary of the Conference of the Parties or the representative of the Executive Secretary if possible not later than 24 hours after the opening of the meeting. Any later change in the composition of the delegation shall also

² Where necessary, substitute officers will be elected by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol.

³ See CBD/NP/MOP/6/1/Add.2.

be submitted to the Executive Secretary or the representative of the Executive Secretary. The credentials shall be issued by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs or, in the case of a regional economic integration organization, by the competent authority of that organization.

22. Rule 19 provides that the Bureau of any meeting is to examine the credentials and submit its report to the Conference of the Parties for decision. The rules of procedure apply *mutatis mutandis* to the meetings of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol.

23. In order to assist Parties in fulfilling the requirements under rule 18, the Executive Secretary will issue a notification that includes information on requirements for credentials and a link to sample formats for appropriate credentials. Following previous practice, representatives of Parties to the Convention that are also Parties to the Cartagena and the Nagoya Protocols may submit a single set of credentials for the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, the twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol and the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol.

24. The conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider and adopt the report on credentials submitted to it by the Bureau.⁴

Item 4

Report of subsidiary bodies

25. Paragraph 1 of Article 27 of the Nagoya Protocol provides that any subsidiary body established by or under the Convention may serve the Protocol, including upon a decision of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol. Any such decision shall specify the tasks to be undertaken.

26. The President will inform the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol of the results of the meetings of the subsidiary bodies held during the intersessional period, on the understanding that the substantive issues arising therefrom will be considered under the appropriate agenda items.

27. The reports of the subsidiary bodies on their meetings that will be made available for the present meeting are:

(a) The reports of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation on its sixth and seventh meetings;⁵

(b) The report of the Subsidiary Body on Article 8(j) and Other Provisions of the Convention on Biological Diversity Related to Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities on its first meeting.⁶

Item 5

Report of the Compliance Committee

28. The Compliance Committee under the Nagoya Protocol is required to report and submit its recommendations to the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol.

29. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider the report of the Compliance Committee,⁷ including any recommendations therein, and to take appropriate action. It is expected that the recommendations of the Committee

⁴ CBD/NP/MOP/6/INF/2.

⁵ CBD/SBI/6/11 and CBD/SBI/7/15, respectively.

⁶ [CBD/SB8J/1/8](#).

⁷ CBD/NP/MOP/6/3.

will be considered under the agenda items to which they most closely pertain. The recommendations will also be included under the appropriate agenda items in the compilation of draft decisions.

30. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will also be invited to elect members to the Compliance Committee. In addition, it will be encouraged to elect one alternate member per region,, further to section B, paragraph 3, of the cooperative procedures and institutional mechanisms to promote compliance with the provisions of the Protocol and to address cases of non-compliance.⁸ A notification providing further information on the matter will be issued before the present meeting.

Item 6

Administration of the Nagoya Protocol and budget for the trust funds

31. At its sixth meeting, pursuant to decision [16/28](#) of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, the Subsidiary Body on Implementation adopted recommendation [6/9](#), which contains a draft decision in which it recommended that the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol take note of the executive summary of the report on the external in-depth functional review of the Secretariat⁹ and note the additional actions requested by the Subsidiary Body in its recommendation.

32. At its seventh meeting, also pursuant to decision [16/28](#), the Subsidiary Body is to consider a proposed integrated programme of work and budget for the period 2027–2028, including the budget for the trust fund for the Protocol, prepared by the Secretariat.

33. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat on the administration of the Convention and its Protocols for the biennium 2025–2026,¹⁰ a note by the Secretariat containing a proposed budget for the programme of work of the Convention and its Protocols for the biennium 2027–2028¹¹ and an addendum on requirements for the trust fund for additional voluntary contributions in support of approved activities.¹²

34. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to adopt an integrated budget, including the budget for the trust fund for the Protocol, on the basis of the proposals of the Secretariat, and to consider the relevant draft decisions from the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to their adoption.

Item 7

Monitoring and reporting

35. Under Article 29 of the Nagoya Protocol, each Party is required to report, at intervals to be determined by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol, on measures that it has taken to implement the Protocol.

36. In decision [NP-3/4](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol accepted the invitation of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, contained in decision [14/27](#), and agreed to have a synchronized national reporting cycle commencing in 2023. In decision [15/6](#), the Conference of the Parties to the Convention decided that the reporting deadline for the seventh national report under the Convention would be 28 February 2026. Consequently, the first national reports under the Protocol were also due by 28 February 2026.

⁸ Decision [NP-1/4](#), annex.

⁹ [CBD/SBI/6/10](#), annex I.

¹⁰ CBD/NP/MOP/6/4.

¹¹ CBD/NP/MOP/6/5.

¹² CBD/NP/MOP/6/5/Add.1.

37. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider a draft decision prepared by the Secretariat,¹³ as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

Item 8

Assessment and review of the effectiveness of the Nagoya Protocol

38. In decision [NP-3/1 B](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol decided to conduct the second assessment and review of the effectiveness of the Protocol at the present meeting. In decision [NP-5/5](#), it agreed on a methodology for conducting the assessment based on the elements and sources of information contained in the annex to the decision. The elements address various aspects of the implementation of the Protocol, and one of the main sources of information is the first national reports on the implementation of the Protocol, due by 28 February 2026.

39. As requested in paragraph 7 of decision [NP-5/5](#), the Executive Secretary commissioned a scoping study on the possible reasons and underlying root causes for the challenges to effective implementation and compliance and on possible ways to enhance implementation, taking into account the specific challenges faced by developing country Parties, including those related to means of implementation. The main conclusions of the study will be presented within the context of the elements for the second assessment and review, as a complementary source of information as appropriate.

40. In paragraph 8 of the same decision, the Informal Advisory Committee on Capacity-building for the Implementation of the Nagoya Protocol and the Compliance Committee under the Nagoya Protocol were requested, working in a complementary and non-duplicative manner, to contribute to the second assessment and review and to submit their conclusions for consideration by the Subsidiary Body on Implementation.

41. Against that background, at its seventh meeting, the Subsidiary Body on Implementation will consider a note by the Secretariat containing the conclusions of the Informal Advisory Committee and of the Compliance Committee resulting from the analysis of information prepared by the Executive Secretary, as well as the conclusions from the study referred to in paragraph 39 above. The note will also include an updated framework of indicators presented in annex II to decision [NP-3/1 A](#). The Subsidiary Body will be invited to develop a recommendation, including elements of a draft decision, on the basis of the information contained in the note.

42. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision from the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

Item 9

Enhancing the implementation of the Nagoya Protocol

(a) Capacity-building and development and awareness-raising

43. By decision [NP-5/3](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol adopted a capacity-building and development action plan for the Protocol.

44. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat¹⁴ containing a report on the action that it has taken to disseminate and promote the action plan and to facilitate capacity-building and development and awareness-raising activities, as well as a draft decision.

¹³ CBD/NP/MOP/6/6.

¹⁴ CBD/NP/MOP/6/7.

45. Taking into account the relevant findings from the second assessment and review of the Nagoya Protocol, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision prepared by the Secretariat, as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

(b) Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House and information-sharing

46. In decision [NP-5/4](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol requested the Executive Secretary to continue to develop and administer the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House, in accordance with its modalities of operation, taking into account any feedback received, in particular from Parties and the Informal Advisory Committee to the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House, including the goals and priorities for the further development and administration of the Clearing-House and the need for continued capacity-building and development, technical support and guidance to Parties to publish, update and use information in the Clearing-House effectively.

47. Against that background, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat containing a report on progress in the operation of the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House, as well as a draft decision.¹⁵ The report of the sixth meeting of the Informal Advisory Committee to the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House will also be made available, for information.

48. Taking into account the relevant findings from the second assessment and review of the Nagoya Protocol, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision prepared by the Secretariat, as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

(c) The Protocol in the context of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework

49. In decision [NP-5/6](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol took note of decision [16/32](#) on mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review, including the global review of collective progress in the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework to be conducted at the seventeenth and nineteenth meetings of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, and of decision [16/31](#) on the monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, which includes indicators for Goal C and Target 13 of the Framework, along with the relevant proposed methodologies.

50. Against this background, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat¹⁶ containing information on progress of relevance for the Nagoya Protocol in achieving Goal C and Target 13 of the Framework, as well as a summary of developments in relevant areas of work under the Framework and a draft decision.

51. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision prepared by the Secretariat, as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

**Item 10
Financial mechanism and resources**

52. In decision [NP-5/2](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol made a number of recommendations to the Conference of the Parties to the

¹⁵ Ibid.

¹⁶ Ibid.

Convention on further guidance for the financial mechanisms with respect to access and benefit-sharing.

53. In decision [16/33](#), the Conference of the Parties to the Convention included additional elements for the four-year outcome-oriented framework of biodiversity programme priorities of the Convention for the ninth replenishment period of the Global Environment Facility (GEF) Trust Fund (2026–2030) to support the implementation of the Nagoya Protocol.

54. At its sixth meeting, the Subsidiary Body on Implementation adopted recommendation [6/2](#) on the financial mechanism, which contains a draft decision for consideration by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, and it is to discuss additional elements of a draft decision on the same topic at its seventh meeting.

55. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat¹⁷ containing elements of a draft decision. The report of the GEF Council for the seventeenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention will also be relevant to the deliberations. The elements of a draft decision contained in the note by the Secretariat and elements of the draft decision in recommendation [6/2](#) and, as relevant, in the related recommendation to be adopted at the seventh meeting of the Subsidiary Body will be consolidated into one draft decision in the compilation of draft decisions.

56. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider the consolidated draft decision, with a view to its adoption and transmittal to the Conference of the Parties to the Convention for its consideration of the recommended guidance to GEF.

Item 11

Specialized international access and benefit-sharing instruments in the context of Article 4, paragraph 4, of the Nagoya Protocol

57. In decision [NP-4/11](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol noted the divergence of views among Parties with regard to specialized international access and benefit-sharing instruments in the context of Article 4 of the Protocol.

58. In decision [NP-5/8](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol invited Parties, other Governments, relevant stakeholders and international organizations to submit views on the process proposed in recommendation [3/16](#) of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation and reflections on the relationship among specialized access and benefit-sharing instruments.

59. At its sixth meeting, the Subsidiary Body on Implementation considered a note by the Secretariat containing a synthesis of the views submitted, updates on relevant developments in international forums and preliminary findings from the second assessment and review of the effectiveness of the Nagoya Protocol relevant to Article 4, and adopted recommendation [6/7](#), which contains a draft decision. Additional information relevant to paragraph 4 of Article 4 became subsequently available, including submissions from relevant international organizations received after the preparation of the documentation for that meeting, as well as information contained in national reports submitted in the context of the second assessment and review of the effectiveness of the Nagoya Protocol and tabled for consideration by the Subsidiary Body at its seventh meeting. As a result, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat containing an analysis of that information, without prejudice to the draft decision contained in recommendation [6/7](#).¹⁸

¹⁷ CBD/NP/MOP/6/8.

¹⁸ CBD/NP/MOP/6/9.

60. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision contained in recommendation [6/7](#), as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

Item 12

Global multilateral benefit-sharing mechanism

61. In decision [NP-5/7](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol decided to revisit at the present meeting the issue of the need for and modalities of a global multilateral benefit-sharing mechanism, as provided in Article 10 of the Protocol, taking into consideration the analysis and synthesis of information for the second assessment and review of the Protocol.

62. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat containing information from the second assessment and review of the Protocol relevant to the issue of the need for and modalities of a global multilateral benefit-sharing mechanism.¹⁹

63. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Protocol will be invited to consider the note by the Secretariat, and, on that basis, a way forward.

Item 13

Cooperation with international organizations, bodies established under other conventions, and initiatives

64. In carrying out activities related to the Nagoya Protocol, the Secretariat cooperates with a number of other international organizations, bodies established under other conventions, and initiatives.

65. Pursuant to decision [NP-3/7](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will have before it a note by the Secretariat²⁰ containing an update on cooperative activities with other international organizations, bodies established under other conventions, and initiatives relevant to access and benefit-sharing and the implementation of the Protocol. The note will also contain an overview of key developments under international agreements and instruments of relevance to the implementation of the Protocol.

66. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to take note of the report.

Item 14

Review of the effectiveness of processes under the Convention on Biological Diversity and its Protocols

67. In decision [NP-5/10](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol adopted several provisions on the effectiveness of meetings and requested the Executive Secretary to enable consultations with Parties, Bureau members, partners and stakeholders, with the support of qualified external experts in the field, as appropriate, to continue to develop options for further improving the effectiveness of meetings under the Protocol and to submit such proposals for consideration by the Subsidiary Body on Implementation at its sixth meeting.

68. At its sixth meeting, the Subsidiary Body considered a note by the Secretariat on options for further improving the effectiveness of meetings and adopted recommendation [6/8](#).

¹⁹ CBD/NP/MOP/6/10.

²⁰ CBD/NP/MOP/6/11.

69. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider the draft decision contained in recommendation [6/8](#), as reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions, with a view to its adoption.

Item 15

Digital sequence information on genetic resources

70. In decision [NP-5/14](#), the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol took note of decision [16/2](#) of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, by which it had adopted the modalities for operationalizing the Multilateral Mechanism for the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits From the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources, Including the Cali Fund.

71. The present agenda item will also be considered by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention, under item 11 on its agenda.

72. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider the outcomes of the negotiations of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on digital sequence information on genetic resources and to welcome its decision. The Secretariat will prepare a draft decision to that effect, which will be reproduced in the compilation of draft decisions.

Item 16

Other matters

73. Under agenda item 16, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol may wish to consider other matters raised and accepted for discussion in accordance with the rules of procedure.

Item 17

Adoption of the report

74. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to consider and adopt the report on its sixth meeting on the basis of the draft report prepared by the Rapporteur.

75. In accordance with established practice, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be invited to authorize the Rapporteur to complete the final report after the meeting with the guidance of the President, or the substitute thereto, as appropriate, and the assistance of the Secretariat.

Item 18

Closure of the meeting

76. It is expected that the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol will be closed on 30 October 2026, at 6 p.m.

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