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**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
Fifth meeting, second resumed session
Rome, 25–27 February 2025
Agenda item 14
Digital sequence information on genetic resources**

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Draft decision submitted by the President

*The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol,
Recalling its decision [NP-4/6](#) of 19 December 2022,*

*Noting the outcome of the deliberations of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on
Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources,¹*

*Takes note of decision [16/2](#) of 1 November 2024 of the Conference of the Parties to the
Convention on Biological Diversity² on digital sequence information on genetic resources, by which
the Conference of the Parties 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.*

* The present document was originally issued without formal editing on 1 November 2024.

¹ See recommendation [2/1](#) of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1760, No. 30619.