

Overview of ...

Post 2020 Process,

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Objectives & Presentation plan

Objectives	Presentation plan
To brief you and seek your advice on the proposed process	<ul style="list-style-type: none">a) Contextb) Organization of the workc) Communicationd) Progresse) Next Stepsf) Role of various entities engaged

a Context

- In decision 14/34, COP adopted the process for the preparation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework.
- The process requires that an initial discussion document summarizing and analysing the initial views of Parties and observers is made available in January 2019. The document will be further developed drawing on the subsequent comments on it by Parties, observers and stakeholders
- This document draws upon relevant decisions and recommendations adopted by the Convention, its Protocols and its Subsidiary Bodies; and the submissions made by Parties in response to recommendation 2/19 of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation
- The document has a set of discussion questions which Parties and observers may wish to consider when providing further views on the scope and content of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework.

OBJECTIVES OF THE DISCUSSION PAPER

- To support the preparation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework
- To support the ongoing consultation process.

a Context Relevant Decisions

- **Decision 14/34** sets out the process for developing the post-2020 global biodiversity framework. To guide the process.
- The Decision further provides that the post-2020 framework should be accompanied by **an inspirational and motivating 2030 mission** as a stepping **stone towards the 2050 Vision** “Living in harmony with nature”
- **Decision CP-9/7 of COPMOP** to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety sets out a process for developing a specific Implementation Plan for the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety as a follow-up to the Strategic Plan for the Protocol
- **Decision NP-3/15 of COPMOP** to the Nagoya Protocol on ABS invited Parties to the Protocol to participate in the process for developing the post-2020 global biodiversity framework and to undertake measures to enhance the implementation of the Protocol
- **Decision 14/34** requests the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Article 8(j) and Related Provisions, to provide recommendations concerning the potential role of TK and the contribution of **collective actions of IPLCs** to the post-2020 global biodiversity framework,

a Context Relevant Decisions

- **Decision 14/20** establishes a science- and policy-based process on DSI on genetic resources with an extended Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group (AHTEG). The OEWG on post-2020 will consider the outcomes of the AHTEG and make recommendations on how to address DSI on genetic resources in the context of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework.
- **Decision 14/22** affirms that resource mobilization will be an integral part of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework
- **Decision 14/23** with respect post-2020 the focus is GEF support for implementation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework in its first two years;
- **Decision 14/24** deals with organization of regional and stakeholder-specific consultative workshops and online discussion forums,
- **Decision 14/3** establishes an **Informal Advisory Group on Mainstreaming of Biodiversity**, to advise on ways to integrate mainstreaming adequately into the post-2020 global biodiversity framework,
- **Decision 14/30** of COP deals exploring ways in which the biodiversity related conventions can contribute to the elaboration of the post-2020 framework and identify specific elements that could be included in the framework;
- **Decision 14/1** -use of the regional assessments on biodiversity and ecosystem services and other outputs of the IPBES in the preparation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework

a Defining Success

- A process that
 - will facilitate and enable decision making at CoP15
 - CoP focus on the right issues
 - CoP and parties have the element enabling them to reach consensus
 - is understood and supported by parties, civil society, NGOs
 - Adhere to the overarching principles guiding the preparatory process for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework
 - independent/impartial
 - respect CBD decisions and promote its values
 - Create good will at CoP15
 - Address expectations from Parties
 - Result in Post2020 global biodiversity framework that will be owned by Parties
 - This to facilitate expedient implementation

b Organization of work

Phase 1: Consultations
5 Regional mtgs
Trondheim
OEWG mtg 1

Phase 2: Thematic issues
Identified at OEWG1
May take various form: informal WG with no paper
Roadmap for SBBSTA SBI items

Phase 3: drafting draft zero

OEWG 1

SBSTTA 8J

OEWG 2

OEWG 3

SBSTTA
SBI

OEWG 4

CoP 15

	Agenda	Date	Location
OEWG 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review of P2020 process Structure of the framework Identification of thematic group and start of process 	4 days Early: Jul-Aug 2019	Nairobi or Bonn
OEWG 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Progress report from each thematic group Adapt work plan as needed 	2 days Nov 2019	Montreal
OEWG 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final report from thematic group Identifying key cross cutting issues 	4 days Feb 2020	China?
OEWG 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report from SBSTTA SBI Review of drft zero Identifying key issues to focus at Cop15 	4 days July 2020	Columbia?

b Organization of the work

Proposal for Thematic work



Theme	Format	Reprt back in
A	SG of OEWG	february
B	SG of OEWG	February
...	SG of OEWG	July
Planning reporting	SG of OEWG	February
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DSI	SBSTTA	July

Each OEWG Sub-group
 Could have 2 co-chairs
 Could use electronic means
 Could use workshop (several Sub-group workshop could be done jointly or back to back with other meetings)
 Report to OEWG

c. Communication

- Objective:
 - Promote participation
 - Enhance dialogue
 - Ensure parties are aware and supportive
- Co-Chairs Blog
 - Posting of document
 - Participating in events
- Secretariat
- Bureau

d Progress

- **First planning meeting – 10 to 11 January 2019 in Montreal Canada – Outcome of the meeting: timelines developed; draft discussion paper prepared**
- **Regional consultations have begun, started with the Asia-Pacific in Nagoya, Japan from 28 -31 January 2019. Some key messages emerged from meeting and includes:**
 - Co-chairs participated in OECD workshop of 26 February through skype and video message
 - The structure to be adopted... need to look at structure 2030 agenda and other. Integrate post2020 target more with 2030 agenda for sustainable development
 - A new mission may be needed, but the long term vision 2050 could be maintained
 - Current Strategic has many targets, some seem not be real targets. Targets for Post2020 should be ambitious but few but easy to understand. Capacity building, awareness/communication are cross cutting –should apply to all targets. Indicators needed... develop concurrently with the targets
 - Post2020 framework should be simple to understand by a wide range of stakeholders including policy makers.
 - Need to have linkage between biodiversity and climate change. Resource mobilization, funding, Effective communication, capacity building critical/enablers for implementation.
 - The post2020 framework should integrate the Cartagena and Nagoya Protocol on ABS
 - Pursuing business as usual in the post2020 means loss of biodiversity will increase. Look at what is good in the current strategic plan and keep, review what is not good, link biodiversity to policy and decision-making agenda

e. Summary of key dates

- Western Europe and Other Groups - 19 to 21 March 2019 (Bonn, Germany)
- Africa 2 to 5 April 2019 – Addis Ababa , Ethiopia
- Eastern and Central Europe 16 to 18 April 2019 (Belgrade, Serbia)
- GRULAC 14 to 17 May 2019 (Montvideo, Uruguay)
- Co-Chair drafting workshop – May Montreal
- Trondheim Conference – 2 to 5 July 2019
- OEWG 1 – full meeting - Aug 2019 (Nairobi or Bonn?)
- OEWG 2 – 2 days - October/November 2019 (Montreal)
- OEWG 3 – full meeting - Feb 2020 – (China ?)
- OEWG 4 – full meeting - July 2020 (Colombia?)

f Roles and responsibilities

	Roles & Responsibilities	Note
Bureau	Support Process Provide advice	
Co chair	Guide/lead the process Accountable to parties Promote and foster debate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not engage on content, remain neutral
Secretariat	Provide support Document drafting Logistics Advice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whole of secretariat approach to support (no dedicated team) Do not engage on content, remain neutral
Parties	Engage in discussion	
SBI SBSTTA	Input in process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on specific issues like Resource mobilisation and DSI
High Level Panel	Provide impetus, inform parties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subject to funding availability Promote ambition

The post-2020 process is up and running



First planning meeting of the Co-chairs with CBD secretariat team

10-11 January 2019 , Montreal, Canada

**THANK YOU
QUESTIONS?**