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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

Third meeting

Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt, 17-29 November 2018

Agenda item 17

### DIGITAL SEQUENCE INFORMATION ON GENETIC RESOURCES

#### Draft decision submitted by the Chair of Working Group I

*The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol,*

*Mindful* of the objective of the Nagoya Protocol,

*Recalling* Article 5.1, 8, 17, 20, 22, 23 of the Nagoya Protocol,

*Acknowledging* decision 14/-- of the Conference of the Parties,<sup>1</sup>

1. *Decides* that the ad hoc technical expert group referred to in paragraph x of decision 14/-- will also serve the Nagoya Protocol;
2. *Requests* the open-ended working group established under COP decision 14/--<sup>2</sup> to consider the outcomes of the extended ad hoc technical expert group and to make recommendations to the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol at its fourth meeting.

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<sup>1</sup> COP-14 decision on digital sequence information on genetic resources.

<sup>2</sup> Decision on the preparation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework (item 17).