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LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN REGIONAL
PREPARATORY MEETING FOR THE SIXTH
CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE
CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY
Kingston, 18–20 March 2002

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
 - 2.1 Officers;
 - 2.2 Adoption of the agenda;
 - 2.3 Organization of work.
3. Issues for in-depth consideration at the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties:
 - 3.1 Forest biological diversity;
 - 3.2 Alien species that threaten ecosystems, habitats or species;
 - 3.3 Access and benefit-sharing;
 - 3.4 Strategic Plan, national reporting, and implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity.
4. Selected cross-cutting and implementation issues:
 - 4.1 Article 8(j) and related provisions of the Convention on Biological Diversity;
 - 4.2 Financial resources and mechanism;
 - 4.3 Biological diversity and tourism;

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- 4.4. Biodiversity education and public awareness.
5. Issues of special concern to the region.
6. Presentation on the Protocol Concerning Specially Protected Areas and Wildlife (“the SPAW Protocol”).
7. Other matters.
8. Adoption of the report.
9. Closure of the meeting.
