

**Message from  
Dr. Jacques Trouvilliez, Executive Secretary  
of the African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbird Agreement (AEWA)**

**International Day of Biodiversity  
“Celebrating 25 Years of Action for Biodiversity”  
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“Congratulations to CBD on reaching this important milestone. AEWA stands ready to continue making its contribution to the cause of safeguarding the planet’s biodiversity of which African-Eurasian migratory waterbirds and the wetlands on which they rely are a significant element.”