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CONVENTION ON THE CONSERVATION OF EUROPEAN WILDLIFE
AND NATURAL HABITATS

Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting

5th meeting

30 April 2024 (10.00 – 15.00 CEST)

(online meeting)

DRAFT AGENDA

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		Documents	Expected results
Tuesday 30 April 2024			
10.00	1. Opening of the meeting by the Chair		
	2. Adoption of the agenda	Meeting agenda T-PVS/Agenda(2024)04 For adoption	Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting are informed of the aims of the meeting and adopt the agenda.
	3. Conclusions of the 4th meeting of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting and objectives of the 5th meeting <i>Presentation by the Chair</i> <i>Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are reminded of the outcomes of the 4th meeting of the Working Group and informed of the expected objectives of the meeting.</i>	Report of the 4 th meeting of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting T-PVS/PA(2023)06 For information	Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group take note of the state of play of the discussions and of the objectives of the meeting.
	4. Vision and Strategic Plan of the Bern Convention for the period to 2030 <i>Presentation by the Secretariat</i> <i>Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are informed of the Vision and Strategic Plan of the Bern Convention for the period to 2030 and invited to reflect on the contribution of the work of the Working Group to the achievement of the Strategic Plan.</i>	Strategic Plan for the Bern Convention for the period to 2030 T-PVS(2023)18 Vision for the Bern Convention for the period to 2030 T-PVS(2021)14 For information	Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group take note of the Vision and Strategic Plan of the Bern Convention for the period to 2030.
	5. Checklists of species and habitats	State of play of the Checklists	Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group agree on the changes to be reflected in the checklists of species and

	<p><i>Presentation by Marc Roekaerts</i></p> <p><i>Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are invited to exchange views on the draft checklists of species and habitats reviewed in the light of the outcomes of the consultation of non-EU Contracting Parties and to advise the Secretariat on follow up work.</i></p>	<p>For discussion and decision</p>	<p>habitats and provide the Secretariat with guidance for finalising them.</p>
	<p>6. State of preparation of the reporting under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive and status of Reportnet 3</p> <p><i>Presentation of the state of preparation of the reporting under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive by Eleni Tryfon (European Environment Agency)</i></p> <p><i>Presentation of the Reportnet 3 delivery platform by Jonathan Maidens (European Environment Agency)</i></p> <p><i>Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are updated on the state of preparation of the reporting under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive and of the Reportnet 3 platform.</i></p>	<p>For information</p>	<p>Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group take note of the state of preparation of the reporting under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive and of the Reportnet 3 platform.</p>
	<p>7. Reporting format</p> <p><i>Presentation of the proposed validation rules for the reporting under Resolution No. 8 (2012) by Marc Roekaerts / Laura Gavilan</i></p> <p><i>Based on the reporting format considered at the 4th meeting of the Working Group, Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are invited to discuss whether fields should be optional or mandatory and how this could impact the outputs of the reporting. Depending on the outcomes of the discussion, Members of the Ad hoc</i></p>	<p>Discussion paper on whether fields should be mandatory or optional and the impact on the outputs of the reporting including proposals of validation rules T-PVS/PA(2024)07</p>	<p>Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting agree on whether fields should be optional or mandatory and on the related validation rules.</p>

	<i>Working Group on Reporting are also invited to examine options of validation rules.</i>	For discussion and decision	
	<p>8. Invasive Alien Species</p> <p><i>Presentation by Riccardo Scalerà</i></p> <p><i>Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are informed of different options for cross-checking the relevance of the list of IAS of Union concern beyond the borders of the EU and, if appropriate, complement the list. The Working Group should also discuss possible follow up work.</i></p>	<p>Scoping paper exploring different options for cross-checking the relevance of the list of IAS of Union concern beyond the borders of the EU</p> <p>T-PVS/PA(2024)06</p> <p>For discussion and decision</p>	<p>Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting agree on the most straight forward option to cross check the relevance of the list of IAS of Union concern in non-EU Contracting Parties and, if appropriate, on the procedure for complement it.</p>
	<p>9. Reporting guidelines: Explanatory notes</p> <p><i>Presentation by Laura Gavilan</i></p> <p><i>In light of the recommendations of the Working Group at its 4th meeting, Members of the Ad hoc Working Group on Reporting are invited to examine explanatory notes of the reporting guidelines and to discuss follow up work.</i></p>	<p>Reporting guidelines: Explanatory notes</p> <p>T-PVS/PA(2024)08</p> <p>For discussion and decision</p>	<p>Members of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting agree on changes to be reflected in the explanatory notes of the reporting guidelines and provide the Secretariat with guidance to finalise them.</p>
	10. Any other business		
	11. Conclusions of the meeting		
15.00	Tuesday 30 April 2024 End of the meeting		