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AD HOC MULTIDISCIPLINARY GROUP ON THE ENVIRONMENT (GME)

4th meeting

10–12 March 2025

Council of Europe – Agora - Room G03

(opening at 9.30 on 10 March and closing at 12.30 on 12 March 2025)

AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting by the Chair of the GME
2. Adoption of the report of the 3rd GME meeting, and of the agenda of the 4th meeting
[GME(2025)R3prov, GME(2025)OJ4prov]
3. Developments concerning the Council of Europe
4. Adoption of the draft Council of Europe Strategy on the Environment
[GME(2025)4]
5. Consideration of the draft Action Plan related to the draft Council of Europe Strategy on the Environment
[GME(2025)5]
6. Any other business
7. Preliminary draft agenda, date and place of the 5th GME meeting
[GME(2025)OJ5prov]
8. Adoption of the abridged report
[GME(2025)AR4prov]

Next Meetings

5 th meeting of the Bureau	tbd
5 th meeting of the GME	tbd

Tentative order of business – Items:

Time/date	10/03	11/03	12/03
A.M.	1 2 3 <i>Coffee break (30')</i> 4	4 (cont) <i>Coffee break (30')</i>	5 (cont) <i>Coffee break (30')</i> 6 7 8
P.M.	4 (cont) <i>Coffee break (30')</i>	5 <i>Coffee break (30')</i>	

List of documents

GME(2024)1	Terms of Reference of the Ad hoc Multidisciplinary Group on the Environment (GME)
GME(2024)2rev	Compendium of the Council of Europe activities on the environment
GME(2024)3rev	Elements for the elaboration of the Council of Europe Strategy on the environment
GME(2024)4	Relevant Council of Europe documents and decisions
GME(2024)5	Relevant case-law of the European Court of Human Rights
GME(2024)6	Identification of the challenges of the triple planetary crisis: pollution, climate change and biodiversity loss, for human rights, democracy and the rule of law in member States
GME(2024)7	Requests of observer status at the GME by the Center for International Environmental Law
GME(2024)8	Request of observer status at the GME by the Global Network for Human Rights and the Environment (GNHRE)
GME(2024)9	Request of observer status at the GME by the Green Rights Coalition
GME(2024)11	Compilation of Contributions of the GME addressing the three main challenges of the Triple Planetary Crisis
GME(2024)12	Gender equality rapporteurs: a vital asset to the Council of Europe transversal programme on gender equality
GME(2025)1	Compilation of comments and proposals received from the GME members, participants and observers
GME(2025)4	Revised Draft Council of Europe Strategy on the Environment
GME(2025)5	Draft Action Plan to the Council of Europe Strategy on the Environment
GME(2024)OJ1	Agenda of the 1 st meeting of the GME
GME(2024)AR1	Abridged report of the 1 st meeting of the GME
GME(2024)R1	Report of the 1 st meeting of the GME
GME(2024)OJ2	Agenda of the 2 nd meeting of the GME
GME(2024)OJan2	Annotated agenda of the 2 nd meeting of the GME
GME(2024)AR2	Abridged report of the 2 nd meeting of the GME
GME(2024)R2	Report of the 2 nd meeting of the GME
GME(2024)OJ3	Agenda of the 3 rd meeting of the GME

GME(2025)AR3	Abridged report of the 3 rd meeting of the GME
GME(2025)R3prov	Draft report of the 3 rd meeting of the GME
GME(2025)OJ4prov	Draft agenda of the 4 th meeting of the GME
GME(2025)AR4prov	Draft abridged report of the 4 th meeting of the GME
Secretary General's 2024 Report	"Our rights, our future"
CM/Res(2021)3	Resolution CM/Res(2021)3 on intergovernmental committees and subordinate bodies, their terms of reference and working methods
Manual	Manual on human rights and the environment (3rd edition)
PACE/Recommendation 2273(2024)	"Towards Council of Europe strategies for healthy seas and oceans to counter the climate crisis" Parliamentary Assembly Recommendation 2273 (2024)
CM/AS(2024)Rec2273-final	"Towards Council of Europe strategies for healthy seas and oceans to counter the climate crisis" Parliamentary Assembly Recommendation 2273 (2024) - (Reply adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 9 October 2024 at the 1509th meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)
CM/Rec(2024)6	Recommendation of the Committee of Ministers to member States on young people and climate action (Adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 23 October 2024 at the 1510th meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)
Vilnius Declaration	High-Level Conference on the European Social Charter "a step by member States to take further commitments under the Charter"
Congress/Recommendation 510 (2024)	Local and regional responses to natural disasters and climate hazards: from risk preparedness to resilience
PACE/Recommendation 2277(2024)	Cultural heritage and climate change
CG(2023)45-20	Report "European Urban Charter III (2023): Urban living in the era of transformations"
CG(2024)47-14	Report "Fostering a circular economy at local and regional levels"