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|            | <b>Meeting<sup>1</sup><br/>Réunion</b>  | <b>Tentative Date<br/>Date provisoire</b> | <b>Venue<br/>Lieu</b>      |
|------------|---|---|----------------------------|
| <b>1.</b>  | Meeting of Group of Specialists on EDPA   | 20-21 February                            | Strasbourg                 |
| <b>2.</b>  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Bureau Meeting  | 18-19 March                               | Strasbourg                 |
| <b>3.</b>  | Group of Experts on Protected Areas and Ecological Networks   | 17-18 April                               | Vaduz<br>(Liechtenstein)   |
| <b>4.</b>  | 5 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting                                       | 30 April                                  | online                     |
| <b>5.</b>  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting of the National Focal Points on the conservation of the Sturgeon                      | 3-4 June                                  | Strasbourg                 |
| <b>6.</b>  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bureau Meeting  | 20 June                                   | online                     |
| <b>7.</b>  | Expert meeting Ruddy Duck   | Late June                                 | online                     |
| <b>8.</b>  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Bureau Meeting  | 10-11 September                           | Strasbourg                 |
| <b>9.</b>  | <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on the conservation of marine turtles (tbc)                                       | September                                 | online                     |
| <b>10.</b> | Group of experts on the conservation of birds (back-to-back with the joint meeting of SFPs on IKB & CMS MIKT) | September/<br>October (tbc)               | in-person:<br>location tbc |
| <b>11.</b> | Group of Experts on Biodiversity and Climate Change   | 8–9 October                               | Strasbourg                 |
| <b>12.</b> | 6 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the <i>Ad hoc</i> Working Group on Reporting                                       | 29 October                                | online                     |
| <b>13.</b> | 44 <sup>th</sup> Standing Committee   | Week starting on<br>2 December            | Strasbourg                 |

<sup>1</sup> The online meetings of the Ad-hoc Drafting Group of the Amending Protocol are not included in the calendar as the frequency and dates of the meetings are to be confirmed.

*Les réunions en ligne du Groupe ad-hoc de rédaction du protocole d'amendement ne sont pas incluses dans le calendrier car la fréquence et les dates de réunion ne sont pas encore confirmées.*