

Regional consultations of the Group of African States in preparation for the second part of the fifth session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee to develop an international legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment (INC-5.2)

Date: 3-5 July 2025
United Nations Office in Nairobi
Nairobi, Kenya

Thursday, 3 July 2025 (Day 1)		
Time	Agenda item	Moderator
08:00 - 09:00	Arrival and Badge Collection ¹ <i>Tea/Coffee will be served before the session begins outside CR-3</i>	
09:00 – 12:00	AGN coordination and bilaterals <i>Room: CR-3 and CR-14</i>	AGN Chair
12:00 - 14:00	<i>Lunch</i> <i>Tea/Coffee will be served outside CR-3 before the afternoon session begins</i>	
14:00 - 14:30	Agenda item 1. Opening of the meeting: Opening Session Opening remarks: - Chair of the AGN Ghana - Chair of the INC - Executive Secretary of the INC - Regional Director, Africa Office, UNEP - Africa's Representatives to the INC Bureau - Representative of AMCEN Presidency <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair
14:30 - 14:45	Agenda item 2. Organization of work: - Adoption of the Agenda - Organization of work during the Regional Consultation	AGN Chair

¹ For those delegates who have registered for the informal Heads of Delegation meeting, the badge will be extended to cover the regional consultation, and no additional badge will be required.

14:45 - 16:00	Agenda item 3. Update on preparations for INC-5.2: a. Update by the INC secretariat b. Update by INC-Chair c. Q&A <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair
16:00 – 17:00	Agenda item 4: Regional proposals for INC-5.2. Small group discussion by the Contact Groups Contact Group 1: Articles 2 to 7 <i>Room: CR-3</i> Contact group 3: Articles 11 and 12 <i>Room: CR-4</i>	Contact Groups Leads
Friday, 4 July 2025 (Day 2)		
	<i>Tea/Coffee will be served before the session begins outside CR-3</i>	
9:00-11:00	Agenda item 4: Regional proposals for INC-5.2. Small group discussion by the Contact Groups Contact Group 2: Articles 8 to 10 <i>Room: CR-3</i> Contact Group 4: Articles 14 to 32 <i>Room: CR-4</i>	Contact Groups Leads
11:00-14:00	Lunch <i>Tea/Coffee will be served outside CR-3 before the afternoon session begins</i>	
14:00-17:00	Continuation of agenda item 4: Regional proposals for INC-5.2. Small group discussion by the Contact Groups Contact Group 1: Articles 2 to 7 <i>Room: CR-3</i> Contact group 3: Articles 11 and 12 <i>Room: CR-4</i>	Contact Groups Leads
Saturday, 5 July 2025 (Day 3)		
	<i>Tea/Coffee will be served before the session begins outside CR-3</i>	
9:00-12:00	Continuation of agenda item 4: Regional proposals for INC-5.2. Report back from Small Group Discussions by Contact Groups 1, 2, 3 and 4. <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair /Contact Group Leads

12:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i> Tea/Coffee will be served outside CR-3 before the afternoon session begins	
14:00 – 15:45	Continuation of agenda item 4: Regional proposals for INC-5.2. Report back from Small Group Discussions by Contact Groups 1, 2, 3 and 4. <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair /Contact Group Leads
15:45 - 16:30	Agenda item 5: Organizational matters for the AGN during INC-5.2: Finalization of the Regional Statement <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair
16:30-16:45	Agenda item 6. Any other matters <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair
16:45 – 17:00	Agenda item 7. Closing of the meeting Closing Remarks <i>Room: CR-3</i>	AGN Chair
	End of Regional Consultations	