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Agenda Item 2: Organizational Matters

Provisional Agenda

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Provisional Agenda

1. **Opening of the Meeting**

2. **Organizational Matters**

    2.1. Rules of Procedure

    2.2. Election of Officers

    2.3. Adoption of the Agenda

    2.4. Organization of Work

    2.5. Verification of Credentials

3. **Thematic Decisions**

    3.1. Compliance and Reporting

    3.2. MAP Governance

    3.3. Mandate of the Climate Change Regional Activity Centre: Mandate and Terms of Reference of its Focal Points

    3.4. Barcelona Convention Reporting System Format: Update of the LBS Protocol Section

    3.5. Mediterranean Strategy for Sustainable Development 2026-2035

    3.6. Regional Climate Change Adaptation Framework for the Mediterranean Marine and Coastal Areas 2026-2035

    3.7. MAP Ecosystem Approach Policy and RoadMap 2026-2035

    3.8. Amendments to the "Common Criteria for proposing amendments to Annexes II and III of the Protocol concerning Specially Protected Areas and Biological Diversity in the Mediterranean" and Amendment of Annexes II and III of the SPA/BD Protocol

    3.9. Specially Protected Areas of Mediterranean Importance (SAPMIs), Strategies and Action Plans under the Protocol concerning Specially Protected Areas and Biological Diversity in the Mediterranean, including the Post-2020 SAPBIO

    3.10. Summary for Policymakers (SPM) of the MedECC Special Report interlinking climate change with the Water-Energy-Food-Ecosystems (WEFE) Nexus in the Mediterranean Basin (MedECC Special WEFE Report)

    3.11. Marine Pollution from Ships

    3.12. Mediterranean Offshore Action Plan 2026-2035

    3.13. Implementation of National Action Plans/Programmes of Measures in accordance with Articles 5 and 15 of the LBS Protocol and EcAp Policy and COP Decisions on Regional Plans

4. **Decision on Programme of Work and Budget for 2026 – 2027**

5. **Ministerial Session**

    5.1. Opening of the Session

    5.2. Report on Activities carried out in the framework of UNEP/MAP since the 23rd Meeting of the Contracting Parties (COP23)

    5.3. Interactive Ministerial Policy Review Session

5.4. Istanbul Environment Friendly City Award 2024-2025

5.5. Cairo Ministerial Declaration

6. Dates and Place of the 25th Meeting of the Contracting Parties (COP25)

7. Any Other Business

8. Adoption of the Report

9. Closure of the Meeting