

Committee of Permanent Representatives
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Thursday 16 November 2017
10:10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (with provision for afternoon session if needed)
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1. Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda

H.E. Mr. John Moreti, Chair of the Committee of Permanent Representative of Botswana is expected to chair the meeting. He will propose the adoption of the provisional agenda.

2. Informal consultations on draft resolutions and decisions

It is expected that under this agenda item, the following draft resolutions and draft decision will be considered:

- 1) "Addressing water pollution to protect and restore water-related ecosystems"
(Submitted by the African Group, USA, Colombia and Costa Rica and Facilitated by H.E. Mr. Raza Tarar)
- 2) Calling for the synchronization of objectives and activities, especially the meetings of the governing bodies, of the multilateral environmental agreements and protocols thereto, for the efficient implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and monitoring thereof, for cost reduction and for the effective participation of States Members of the United Nations:
(Submitted by Philippines and Facilitated by H.E. Ms. Elizabeth Taylor)
- 3) "Communicating in a More Straightforward and Impactful Way"
(Submitted by the Secretariat and facilitated by H.E. Mr. John Moreti)

In the event that there is sufficient progress in discussion on the following draft resolutions related to air pollution and environment and health, a revised draft may be considered:

- 4) "Environment and Health"
(Submitted by EU/MS and Facilitated by H.E. Ms. Elizabeth Taylor)
- 5) "Strengthening health and environmental action in Asia and the Pacific and supporting the initiatives of the Asia-Pacific regional forum on health and

environment”

(Submitted by Philippines and Facilitated by H.E. Ms. Elizabeth Taylor)

6) “Air pollution”

(Submitted by Canada and Facilitated by H.E. Ms. Tarja Fernandez)

7) “Preventing and reducing air pollution”

(Submitted by the African Group and Facilitated by H.E. Ms. Tarja Fernandez)

The meeting is also expected to wrap up informal consultations on draft resolutions and decisions.

3. Other matters

The meeting will discuss any other matters related to its work.

4. Closing of the meeting

The meeting is expected to close at 12:30 p.m. but there will be provision for an afternoon session if needed.