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155th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives to the United Nations Environment Programme Nairobi, 16 September 2021 Online meeting 10:00 - 13:00, 15:00 - 18:00 (GMT+3)

Chair's Report of the Subcommittee of the Committee of Permanent Representatives

- 1. The 154th meeting of Committee of Permanent Representatives took place online on <u>20 May</u> <u>2021</u>.
- 2. On <u>23 June 2021</u>, an extraordinary session of the CPR was held online to elect the new Bureau of the Committee of Permanent Representatives.
- 3. Since the 154th meeting of Committee of Permanent Representatives, three meetings of the CPR subcommittee have been organized.
- 4. On <u>27 May</u> and <u>3 June 2021</u>, two meetings of the subcommittee were held online, whereby the Secretariat presented the UNEP Programme Performance Report for 2020, which highlights UNEP's achievements during the first year of the 2020-2021 Programme of Work.
- 5. At the Subcommittee meeting on <u>8 July 2021</u>, Member States heard a briefing on the preparations for the 2021 UN Food Systems Summit, an update on the Future of the Global Environment Outlook process, an update on action for biodiversity, and a briefing by the Multilateral Organization Performance Assessment Network (MOPAN) on the report "Lessons in Multilateral Effectiveness: Pulling together the multilateral response to climate change".
- 6. Finally, on <u>7 September</u>, an online orientation session was organized by the Secretariat for interested members of the Committee, to provide a detailed briefing on UNEP's governing bodies.