

# Session 3

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Major Groups and Stakeholders Consultations – 2023  
4- 5 July 2023 - Rabat, Morocco

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# Agenda

Joint retreat of the Bureau of UNEA-6 and of the CPR Bureau, 6 - 7 July 2023, Tangier, Morocco



**Thursday, 10:30 – 12:30**

- Opening and adoption of agenda
- Draft Ministerial Declaration
- Draft annotate agenda and structure for UNEA-6



**Thursday, 15:00 – 17:00**

- Process for submission of draft resolutions and decisions for UNEA-6



**Friday, 09:00 – 12:00**

- Draft communication strategy for UNEA-6
- Other matters
- Closing of the meeting

# UNEA-6 Ministerial Declaration - Timeline

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## Drafts of the Ministerial Declaration

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- Zero Draft Ministerial Declaration (05/05/2023) - [EN >](#)
- First Draft Ministerial Declaration (to be issued end of July 2023)
- Revised First Draft Ministerial Declaration (to be issued mid September 2023)
- Second Draft Ministerial Declaration (to be issued end of September 2023)
- Revised Second Draft Ministerial Declaration (to be issued early November 2023)
- Final Draft Ministerial Declaration (to be issued January 2024)

# UNEP preparations for UNEA-6

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## **Draft UNEA structure and annotated agenda**

- 5 days with the 28 February being a MEA day. 3 leadership dialogues, 1 multistakeholder dialogue, 1 evening meeting on Thursday to accommodate national statements.

## **Modalities for participation at UNEA-6**

- fully in-person with the provision for Heads of State to provide video messages if they wanted.
- Only informal consultations on draft resolutions and decisions will be held in a hybrid format.

## **New UNEA-6 agenda item: cooperation with Multilateral Environmental Agreements**

- Proposed in the “CPR Base review”, endorsed at UNEA-5.2
- “MEA Day” on 28/2 2023
- Formal opening followed by 2 high level dialogues
- Summary of dialogues presented at the UNEA closing plenary
- MEA pavilion / exhibition

## **Draft guidance on the submission of UNEA draft resolutions and decisions**

## **Draft communication strategy**

# UNEP preparations for UNEA-6

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## **Strategic report from the Executive Director to UNEA-6**

### **Official Side events**

- 16 in-person and 16 virtual side events.

### **Global multistakeholder forum**

- to be held on the weekend before UNEA

### **Science-Business Policy Forum**

- The task force agreed to hold a Science-Business Policy Forum but not on the weekend before UNEA.

### **Pre-UNEA events**

- Possible meeting of the CCAC governing board
- Possible launch of the Global Resources Outlook
- Possible meeting of GACERE

# Thank you



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