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Agenda item 4: List of side events and exhibition related to multilateral environmental agreements to be held during the sixth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly

This note, entitled “*List of side events and exhibition related to multilateral environmental agreements to be held during the sixth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly*”, has been developed by the secretariat, based on the expression of interest received from the UNEP-administered MEAs, the Rio Conventions, the five non-UNEP administered MEA Secretariats of the Liaison Group of Biodiversity related Conventions as well as the UNECE environmental conventions to date. The note provides a list of side events and exhibitions related to the multilateral environmental agreements. The UNEA and the CPR Bureaux may wish to take note of the list of side events and exhibitions.

List of side events related to multilateral environmental agreements to be held during the sixth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly

Theme	Organizer/Contributors
#1	<p>Title: CITES and Forests: linking sustainable forest governance to climate change mitigation and sustainable livelihoods</p> <p>Lead organizer: CITES Secretariat Partners: EU and Germany</p>
#2	<p>Title: Catalyzing environmental impact and visibility through digital transformation: MEAs embracing knowledge driven capacity building</p> <p>Lead organizer: Minamata Convention Secretariat Partners: InforMEA and other MEAs</p>
#3	<p>Title: Major outcomes of CMS COP 14</p> <p>Lead organizer: CMS Secretariat</p>
#4	<p>Title: Better addressing the triple planetary crisis through the cooperation between the MEAs implementation and compliance committees</p> <p>Lead organizer: BRS Conventions Secretariat Partners: Secretariats of Minamata Convention , UNFCCC, CMS, Montreal Protocol, CBD, IMO London Protocol</p>
#5	<p>Title: MEAs cooperating in the implementation of the GBF: Insights from the Bern III Conference</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP, Switzerland, Sweden, Mexico Partners: CBD Secretariat and other MEAs (tbc)</p>
#6	<p>Title: Integrated approach to facilitate the implementation of Biodiversity and Chemicals and Waste Multilateral Environmental Agreements</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP and BRS Secretariat Partners: Nordic Countries, Secretariats of the CBD, and Minamata Convention</p>

#7	<p>Title: Global partnership to support the achievement of target 3 of the Kunming Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p> <p>Lead organizer: CBD Secretariat</p>
#8	<p>Title: Nature knows no borders: CMS contribution to addressing the triple planetary crisis</p> <p>Lead organizer: CMS Secretariat</p>
#9	<p>Title: The importance of international cooperation in multilateral processes: Lessons learnt from the ACP MEAs III Programme</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP Partners: European Commission, OACPS, SPREP, CARICOM, African Union Commission, Regional Seas Conventions, EEB</p>
#10	<p>Title: MEAs synergies for wetland biodiversity and water</p> <p>Lead organizer: RAMSAR Convention Secretariat</p>
#11	<p>Title: Transboundary ecosystem restoration: Key to addressing the planetary crisis</p> <p>Lead organizer: Water Convention Secretariat (UNECE) Partners: Slovenia, Costa Rica, RAMSAR Secretariat, IUCN</p>
#12	<p>Title: UNECE Multilateral Environmental Agreements: Beating pollution in the Pan European Region</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNECE Partners: All UNECE Conventions</p>
#13	<p>Title: Enhancing cooperation between Montreal Protocol (Ozon Action), the Basel, Stockholm and Rotterdam Conventions and Minamata Convention at the country level on areas of common interest</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP Partners: Ozone Action, Secretariat of the Montreal Protocol, Secretariats of BRS Conventions and Minamata Convention</p>

#14	<p>Title: Greening customs for people, planet and prosperity: The case of waste management</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP Partners: Kenya School of Revenue Administration</p>
#15	<p>Title: decarbonization and detoxification: opportunities for integrated solutions</p> <p>Lead organizer: Secretariats of BRS Conventions, and Minamata Convention, UNEP Partners: UNFCCC Secretariat</p>
#16	<p>Title: Building circularity into Nationally Determined Contributions to raise ambition, the how and why</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP 10 YFP Secretariat, Partners: UNFCCC Secretariat, UNDP</p>
#17	<p>Title: Montreal Protocol advancing climate action: addressing future challenges</p> <p>Lead organizer: Ozone Secretariat</p>
#18	<p>Title: 50 years of regional ocean governance – experiences from UNEP Regional Seas Programme as it turns 50</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP regional Seas Programme Partners: Regional Seas Conventions</p>
#19	<p>Title: Overview of the BBNJ Agreement: Stepping together towards ratification and implementation</p> <p>Lead organizer: DOALOS, UNEP</p>
#20	<p>Title: Strengthening Ocean Governance through the ACP MEAs III Programme</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNEP, Regional Seas Conventions</p>
#21	<p>Title: Synergies in the governance of climate change and plastics in the context of the triple planetary crises</p>

	<p>Lead organizer: UNFCCC and GRID Arendal Partners: Rwanda</p>
#22	<p>Title: A high-level panel: Combating land degradation at the heart of climate and biodiversity</p> <p>Lead organizer: UNCCD Secretariat and Saudi Arabia</p>
#23	<p>Title: Promoting transboundary cooperation for the achievement of Target 3 of the Kunming Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p> <p>Lead organizer: CBD Secretariat</p>
#24	<p>Title: 20 years journey with Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety Supporting sustainable utilization of biodiversity.</p> <p>Lead Organizer: UNEP and CBD Secretariat</p>
#25	<p>INC event (tbc)</p> <p>Lead organizer: INC Secretariat</p>

List of exhibitions related to multilateral environmental agreements to be held during the sixth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly

	Organization	Exhibition Title
1	UNEP	Harmony with Nature: A Journey through African Elephant Conservation
2	CITES Secretariat	CITES and Forests: Linking Sustainable Forest Governance to Climate Change Mitigation and Sustainable Livelihoods
3	Minamata Convention Secretariat	Catalyzing Environmental Impact and Visibility through Digital Transformation: MEAs Embracing Knowledge-Driven Capacity-Building
4	Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions	Linkages Between the Chemicals and Waste Agenda and Biodiversity Loss – Effective Multilateral Actions to Protect People and Nature from Pollution
5	UNEP (Green Customs Initiative Secretariat) and BRS Secretariat	Greening Customs for People, Planet and Prosperity: The Case of Waste Management
6	UNEP, Ecosystems Division, Regional Seas Programme	50 Years of Regional Ocean Governance - Experiences from UNEP Regional Seas Programme as it Turns 50
7	Secretariat of the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species (CMS)	Nature Knows No Borders: CMS Contribution to Addressing the Triple Planetary Crisis
8	UNEP Law Division	Enforcing Environmental Treaties' Implementation in Africa, Caribbean, and Pacific (ACP) Countries- ACP MEAs III
9	UNEP Law Division	DART Helpdesk
10	UNEP Law Division	20th Anniversary of the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety
11	UNFCCC and GRID-Arendal and	Synergies in the governance of climate change and plastics in the context of the triple planetary crises
12	UNCCD Presidency (Saudi Arabia) and UNCCD	Combating land degradation at the heart of climate and biodiversity
13	UNEP Law Division	Enhancing cooperation between Montreal Protocol (Ozon Action), the Basel, Stockholm and Rotterdam Conventions and Minamata Convention at the country level on areas of common interest