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MEDITERRANEAN ACTION PLAN

Meeting of the Bureau of the Contracting Parties to the
Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment
and the Coastal Region of the Mediterranean
and its Protocols

Brussels (Belgium), 30 June 2005

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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1. Opening of the meeting
2. Adoption of the Provisional Agenda and organization of work
3. Progress on main activities carried out by the Secretariat during the period 1 November 2004 - 31 May 2005.

A. General review on the progress and outputs of the main activities

B. Specific issues

a. Legal Issues

1. *Status of ratification*
2. *Draft Protocol on ICAM*
3. *Compliance mechanism and Reporting*
4. *Liability and Compensation*

b. Institutional matters

1. *Evaluations: MAP, MED POL, ERS/RAC; CP/RAC*
2. *Main decisions of the meetings of the National Focal Points of MAP Components*
3. *Preparations for the 14th CPs meeting*
 - ❖ *List of documents*
 - ❖ *Principal themes for discussion at the ministerial segment*

c. Cooperation with Partners

Joint Programme of Work with the EC

d. Mediterranean Commission on Sustainable Development (MCSD)

MSSD including political declaration

e. Application by MAP of the ecosystem approach to management of human activities

f. Preparations for 30th anniversary of MAP

4. Any other business
5. Conclusions and decisions
6. Closure of the meeting