

Committee of Permanent Representatives
Subcommittee Meeting
Tuesday 7 May 2019
2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
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- 2. Initial assessment of the fourth session of UN Environment Assembly.**
- 3. Contribution to the 2019 High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development.**
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ANNOTATED PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- 1. Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda.**
H.E. Mrs. Francisca Ashietey-Odunton, Chair of the Committee of Permanent Representative, and High Commissioner and Permanent Representative of Ghana, is expected to open and chair the meeting.
- 2. Initial assessment of the fourth session of UN Environment Assembly.**
The Secretariat will present the outcome of a number of online surveys on the fourth session of the UN Environment Assembly. The presentation will be followed by an exchange of views with Member States on lessons learned, in view of a more in-depth assessment to be considered at the 146th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives on 20 June 2019.
- 3. Contribution to the 2019 High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development.**
The Secretariat will present initial plans on the preparations for the 2019 High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development, followed by an exchange of views. Following the consideration of agenda item 8 (Contributions to the meetings of the high-level political forum on sustainable development) at the fourth UN Environment Assembly, the Committee will also be invited to formally endorse the Environment Assembly contribution as submitted by the Secretariat to the President of the Economic and Social Council by the stipulated deadline (15 March), which reflects comments made by member States on the first draft (UNEP/EA.4/INF/15) which was considered at the fourth meeting of the open-ended Committee of Permanent Representatives.
- 4. Secretariat Briefing on UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration (2021 – 2030).**
The Secretariat will brief Member States on the UN General Assembly Resolution A/73/L.76 on the UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration (2021-2030), adopted on 1 March 2019, which inter alia called on the UN Environment Programme and the Food and Agriculture Organization to be in the lead of preparations.
- 5. Secretariat Briefing on the preparations for the World Environment Day 2019.**
The Secretariat will brief Member States on preparations for the upcoming World Environment Day, scheduled to take place on 5 June 2019.
- 6. Other matters.**
The meeting will discuss any other matters related to its work.
- 7. Closing of the meeting.**
The meeting is expected to close at 5:30 p.m.