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Provisional Agenda

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Agenda item 1: Opening of the Meeting

Agenda item 2: Election of Officers of the Bureau

Agenda item 3: Adoption of the Agenda and Organization of Work

Agenda item 4: Review of Polychlorinated Biphenyl Environmental Sound Management (PCB - ESM) guidelines and fact sheets.

Agenda item 5: Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) management and disposal, lesson learnt and challenges in the framework of UNEP/MAP GEF MedPartnership project.

Agenda item 6: Strengthening Mediterranean countries capacities to efficiently combat illegal trafficking of chemicals and hazardous waste (focus on PCB).

- a) An overview of Export/Import/Transit controls under the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions.
- b) Practical aspects of enforcement with particular focus on precaution aspects and related tools on the regional and national levels.
- c) Group exercise.

Agenda item 7: Round table on the Mediterranean priorities with regard to ESM of chemicals and Hazardous waste illegal traffic.

Agenda item 8: Conclusions and recommendations

Agenda item 9: Closure of the Meeting