

Provisional agenda

| Agenda item | | Document |
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| 1. | Opening statements | No documents |
| | 1.1 Chair of the Standing Committee (United Arab Emirates) | |
| | 1.2 Director General of the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) | |
| | 1.3 International Organization Partners | |
| | 1.4 Secretary General of the Convention | |
| Procedural matters | | |
| 2. | Adoption of the provisional agenda | SC58 Doc.2 |
| 3. | Adoption of the provisional working programme | SC58 Doc.3 |
| 4. | Admission of observers | SC58 Doc.4 |
| Administrative and financial matters | | |
| 5. | Report of the Executive Team and Chair of the Standing Committee | SC58 Doc.5 |
| 6. | Report of the Secretary General | SC58 Doc.6 |
| 7. | Report of the Management Working Group | Document to be confirmed |
| 8. | Financial and budgetary matters: Report of the Subgroup on Finance | |
| | 8.1 Report of the auditor on the financial statements 2019 (included in item 8.2) | No document |
| | 8.2 Report on financial matters for 2019 and 2020 | SC58 Doc.8.2 |
| | 8.3 Status of annual contributions | SC58 Doc.8.3 |
| Strategic matters | | |
| 9. | Urgent challenges to the wise use of wetlands to receive enhanced attention: Best practices in the development of wetland inventories | SC58 Doc.9 |
| 10. | Report of the Working Group on the Review of the Strategic Plan of the Ramsar Convention | SC58 Doc.10 |
| 11. | Report of the Effectiveness Working Group | No document |
| 12. | Review of the Rules of Procedure | SC58 Doc.12 |
| 13. | Review of all previous Resolutions and decisions | SC58 Doc.13 |
| 14. | Report of the Working Group on Observer status in the United Nations General Assembly | SC58 Doc.14 |

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| 15. | Communication, capacity building, education, participation and awareness (CEPA) | |
| | 15.1 Report of the CEPA Oversight Panel | SC58 Doc.15.1 |
| | 15.2 Report of the Secretariat on World Wetlands Day | No document |
| | 15.3 Implementation of Resolution XIII.1 on World Wetlands Day (declaration by the United Nations General Assembly) | No document |
| 16. | Work plan of the Secretariat for 2020 | SC58 Doc.16 |
| 17. | Management of requests for data | SC58 Doc.17 |
| 18. | Enhancing the Convention's visibility and synergies with other multilateral environmental agreements and other international institutions | SC58 Doc.18 |
| Scientific matters | | |
| 19. | Report of the Chair of the Scientific and Technical Review Panel | SC58 Doc.19 |
| Implementation matters | | |
| 20. | Preparation of COP14 | |
| | 20.1 Report of the Subgroup on COP14 | No document |
| | 20.2 Report of the Secretariat on COP14 | SC58 Doc.20.2 |
| | 20.3 The Ramsar Wetland Conservation Awards | SC58 Doc.20.3 |
| | 20.4 Process for preparation and review of draft resolutions | SC58 Doc.20.4 |
| 21. | Update on the status of Sites on the List of Wetlands of International Importance | SC58 Doc.21 |
| 22. | Ramsar Regional Initiatives | |
| | 22.1 Report of the Ramsar Regional Initiatives Working Group | Document to be confirmed |
| | 22.2 Report of the Secretariat on the Ramsar Regional Initiatives | SC58 Doc.22.2 |
| | 22.3 Legal status of Ramsar Regional Initiatives | SC58 Doc.22.3 |
| | 22.4 Review of Ramsar Regional Initiatives Resolutions and decisions | SC58 Doc.22.4 |
| 23. | Report of the Co-chairs of the Independent Advisory Committee on Wetland City Accreditation | SC58 Doc.23 |
| Concluding matters | | |
| 24. | Dates of the 59th meeting of the Standing Committee | No document |
| 25. | Adoption of the report of the meeting | No document |
| 26. | Any other business | No document |
| 27. | Closing remarks | No document |