

COP-15, CP-MOP-10 and NP-MOP-4 decisions containing requests related to National Reports

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Decision Number and Title	Related Paragraph/ Sub-Paragraph Number and Content
<p>COP decision 15/4 Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p>	<p>Section J. Responsibility and transparency</p> <p>16. The successful implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework requires responsibility and transparency, which will be supported by effective mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review, forming an agreed, synchronized and cyclical system. This includes the following elements:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(b) National reports, including the headline and, as appropriate, other indicators in the monitoring framework of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(d) Global review of collective progress in the implementation of the Framework, including the means of implementation, based on national reports and, as appropriate, other sources;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/5 Monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p>	<p>14. <i>Requests</i> the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources and in collaboration with relevant partners:</p> <p>(a) To facilitate the development of guidance on the development of regional and national monitoring systems and on the implementation of the monitoring framework, including on capacity-building and development to support its implementation, taking into account the special needs, circumstances and priorities of developing countries, including the least developed countries, small island developing States, and countries with economies in transition, also taking into consideration the special situation of developing countries, including those that are most environmentally vulnerable, such as those with arid and semi-arid zones, coastal and mountainous area, in compiling and using the headline indicators, and component and complementary indicators when relevant, including in their national reports, national biodiversity strategies and action plans and other national planning processes;</p> <p>(b) To facilitate the use of relevant tools, including the Data Reporting Tool (DaRT), to facilitate national reporting and the sharing of information between multilateral environment agreements;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Annex I</i></p> <p>MONITORING FRAMEWORK FOR THE KUNMING-MONTREAL GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK</p> <p>1. The monitoring framework is composed of the following groups of indicators for monitoring the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal global biodiversity framework:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(b) Global level indicators collated from binary yes/no responses in national reports: They are global indicators based on responses to yes/no questions to be included in the draft</p>

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	<p>national reporting template. They will provide a count of the number of countries having undertaken specified activities;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Table 2.</p> <p>Proposed indicators for the Kunming-Montreal global biodiversity framework</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>B^b</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Complementary indicator</p> <p>Processes and tools to monitor the implementation of a right to a healthy environment (e.g. Included in NBSAPs and reported in national reports)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Annex II</i></p> <p>TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR AN AD HOC TECHNICAL EXPERT GROUP ON INDICATORS FOR THE KUNMING-MONTREAL GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK</p> <p>1. The Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group on Indicators will work:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(a) To provide technical advice on remaining and unresolved issues relating to the post-2020 monitoring framework, as outlined by the Conference of the Parties at its fifteenth meeting, and to prioritize work on the following elements leading up to the sixteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties:</p> <p>(v) Advise on the wording of questions to construct binary indicators to be used in national reports building upon table 1 of this annex;</p> <p>(b) To provide guidance to Parties on the use of indicators in national planning and reporting, including through reviewing how indicators are proposed for capture in the Online Reporting Tool for national reporting;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Table 1</i></p> <p>GLOBAL SCALE INDICATORS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT BY THE AD HOC TECHNICAL EXPERT GROUP AND COLLATED FROM BINARY (YES/NO) REPORTING FROM COUNTRIES THROUGH NATIONAL REPORTS</p> <p>[...]</p>

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<p>COP decision 15/6 Mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review</p>	<p>Reporting</p> <p>11. <i>Requests</i> Parties to submit their seventh national report by 28 February 2026 and their eighth national report by 30 June 2029 to enable the preparation of the global reviews, as per Article 26 of the Convention, using the template provided in annex II recognizing the specific challenges faced by developing country parties to prepare and submit their national reports in a timely manner and the need for enhanced international cooperation to support them accordingly;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>13. <i>Requests</i> all Parties to use headline indicators, and provide responses on binary yes/no questions, as set out in the monitoring framework of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework adopted in decision 15/5, in their national reports, and supplemented, as appropriate, by optional component and complementary indicators also included therein and other national indicators providing flexibility in the progressive implementation of this paragraph to countries, particularly developing countries, in the light of the fact that not all indicators are currently ready and the need for capacity-building and development on the headline indicators;</p> <p>Cooperation, synergies and stakeholder engagement</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>23. <i>Encourages</i> Parties:</p> <p>(a) To include in their national biodiversity strategies and action plans and national reports, relevant actions to implement commitments and recommendations under each of the biodiversity-related multilateral environmental agreements to which they are a Party;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(c) To enable the full and effective participation and engagement of women, indigenous peoples and local communities, youth, civil society organizations, academia, the private sector, all levels of government and stakeholders from all other relevant sectors, in all levels of the national biodiversity strategy and action plan development and implementation, as well as the preparation of seventh and eighth national reports;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Means of implementation</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>28. <i>Invites</i> relevant international, regional, subregional or national organizations to support countries in the updating and revision of national biodiversity strategies and action plans and the preparation of national reports, including through the provision of relevant data, support for implementation of the monitoring framework and information and capacity-development activities;</p> <p>29. <i>Requests</i> the Executive Secretary to support the operationalization of the enhanced multidimensional approach to planning, monitoring, reporting and review set out in paragraph 1, including, as appropriate, by:</p>

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	<p>[...]</p> <p>(d) Further developing the online reporting tool for national reports on the clearing-house mechanism of the Convention;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Annex II</i></p> <p>GUIDANCE AND DRAFT TEMPLATE FOR THE SEVENTH AND EIGHTH NATIONAL REPORT</p> <p>Entire annex</p>
<p>COP decision 15/7 Resource Mobilization</p>	<p><i>Annex III</i></p> <p>TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE TECHNICAL EXPERT GROUP ON FINANCIAL REPORTING</p> <p>1. The Technical Expert Group on Financial Reporting will work:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(b) To provide technical advice and develop guidance on monitoring resource mobilization, including the implementation of indicators, including advice on the use of harmonized and agreed indicator definitions, best practices for monitoring and national data sharing, and scientific and technical advice on the improvement of indicators or the addition of new indicators in the monitoring framework of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, including indicators relevant to the private sector and other stakeholders, elements of the national reports and the related national report template, taking into account the relevant national reporting system;</p> <p>(c) To recommend a simple, standardized national reporting template, or use of an existing reporting system, with the aim of collecting and reporting comparable data on financing for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework from all sources, including levels and trends;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/8 Capacity-building and development and technical and scientific cooperation</p>	<p><i>Annex I</i></p> <p>LONG-TERM STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK FOR CAPACITY-BUILDING AND DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>V. MECHANISMS FOR IMPLEMENTATION</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>E. Enhanced review mechanisms</p> <p>17. The enhanced planning, reporting and review mechanism should consider the capacity-building and development dimension. The guidelines for national reporting by Governments should also include provisions for reporting on capacity-building and development and provide opportunities for countries to share experiences and lessons learned. The review and revision process of the national biodiversity strategies and action plans and the voluntary peer review of their implementation should also include a review of the capacity-building and development strategies and approaches in line with decision 15/6 on planning, monitoring, reporting</p>

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	<p>and review of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework.</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>G. Reporting and review of the long-term strategic framework</p> <p>19. The long-term strategic framework is intended to be a living document. It will be reviewed periodically and, if necessary, updated to ensure its continued relevance, effectiveness and use by government and non-government actors. A first review will be carried out in 2025, and an independent evaluation will be undertaken in 2029, to coincide with the review of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework. Reporting on its application and the lessons learned by Governments will be done through national reports in line with decision 15/6 on mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review.</p>
<p>COP decision 15/10 Development of a new programme of work and institutional arrangements on Article 8(j) and other provisions of the Convention related to indigenous peoples and local communities</p>	<p>3. <i>Encourages</i> Parties, according to national legislation and international obligations, to increase efforts to facilitate the full and effective participation of indigenous peoples and local communities as on-the-ground partners in the implementation of the Convention, including by recognizing, supporting and valuing their customary laws, collective actions, cosmocentric worldviews and diverse values, including the efforts of indigenous peoples and local communities to protect and conserve lands and waters that they traditionally occupy or use towards the goals of the Convention, and engaging them, as appropriate, in the preparation of national reports, in the revision and implementation of national biodiversity strategies and action plans, and in the process for implementing the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;</p> <p>4. <i>Requests</i> Parties and other Governments to report on the implementation of the current programme of work on Article 8(j) and related provisions, and once adopted, of the new programme of work on Article 8(j) and other provisions of the Convention related to indigenous peoples and local communities, as well as on the application of the various voluntary guidelines and standards developed under the aegis of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Inter-sessional Working Group on Article 8(j) and Related Provisions and adopted by the Conference of the Parties, as appropriate, through national reports, and to relevant subsidiary bodies, in order to determine progress made;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>6. <i>Requests</i> the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources, to strengthen and support the network of national focal points for Article 8(j) and related provisions, as well as of the national focal points to the Convention on Biological Diversity, enabling them to play a key role at the national level in such areas as (a) national and subnational arrangements for the full and effective participation of indigenous peoples and local communities, (b) national arrangements for the protection, preservation and promotion of traditional knowledge and customary sustainable use, with the free, prior and informed consent of the holders of that knowledge, (c) facilitating the input of indigenous peoples and local communities into the drafting of national reports, and (d) promoting capacity-building and development</p>

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	<p>for indigenous peoples and local communities at the national and local levels, on issues related to the Convention;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Annex II</i></p> <p>DRAFT POSSIBLE ELEMENTS OF THE NEW PROGRAMME OF WORK ON ARTICLE 8(J) AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE CONVENTION RELATED TO INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND LOCAL COMMUNITIES</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>VI. FULL AND EFFECTIVE PARTICIPATION OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND LOCAL COMMUNITIES</p> <p>[</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>6.2 Parties, according to the national legislation, to promote full and effective participation and engagement of indigenous peoples and local communities in the development of national reports, and in the development, revision and implementation of national biodiversity strategies and action plans (NBSAPs), and to strengthen partnerships with indigenous peoples and local communities, recognizing their collective actions, for implementation of the Convention.]</p>
<p>COP decision 15/11 Gender Plan of Action</p>	<p>6. <i>Encourages</i> Parties to submit information on efforts and steps taken to implement the Gender Plan of Action in their national reporting, including sex-disaggregated data;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>GENDER PLAN OF ACTION: OBJECTIVES, ACTIONS, DELIVERABLES, TIMELINES AND ACTORS</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Expected outcome 2: Biodiversity policy, planning and programming decisions address equally the perspectives, interests, needs and human rights of all people, in particular of all women and girls</p> <p>Objectives</p> <p>2.1 Increase opportunities and strengthen the meaningful and effective participation and leadership of women at all levels of action, engagement and decision-making related to the three objectives of the Convention</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Possible deliverables</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Data/information on women's participation and leadership in biodiversity-related governance bodies is included in national reports under the Convention on Biological Diversity</p> <p>[...]</p>

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	<p>Expected outcome 3: Enabling conditions are created to ensure gender responsive implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Objectives</p> <p>3.3 Support access to information and public participation of women and girls’ organizations, networks, leaders and gender experts in the resourcing, implementation, monitoring and reporting on the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Possible deliverables</p> <p>Capacity-building and development workshops undertaken, and guidelines prepared</p> <p>Reporting on capacity-building and development initiatives and engagement of women’s organizations, networks and gender experts included in national reports under the Convention on Biological Diversity</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>3.5 Ensure that national reports and submissions under the Convention on Biological Diversity provide information on the implementation of the Gender Plan of Action and gender-responsive implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>3.5.3 Integrate reporting on women’s and girl’s contributions to the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity, and on the mainstreaming of gender considerations into NBSAPs, including their implementation, budgeting and reporting, in existing national reporting mechanisms</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Possible deliverables</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>National reports under the Convention on Biological Diversity include reporting on implementation of the Gender Plan of Action and include gender-specific indicators and sex-disaggregated data</p> <p>National reports under the Convention on Biological Diversity include reporting on women’s and girl’s contributions to the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity, and on the mainstreaming of gender considerations into NBSAPs, including their implementation, budgeting and reporting</p>
<p>COP decision 15/12 Engagement with subnational governments, cities and other local authorities to enhance implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework</p>	<p>3. <i>Invites</i> Parties to communicate and report on the implementation of the updated Plan of Action on Subnational Governments, Cities and Local Authorities for Biodiversity, as appropriate, in their national reports under the Convention;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Annex</p>

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	<p>Plan of Action on Subnational Governments, Cities and Other Local Authorities for Biodiversity (2023–2030)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Action area 7</p> <p>Monitoring and reporting</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(c) Include contributions made by subnational governments, cities and other local authorities in national reports under the Convention on Biological Diversity;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/13 Cooperation with other conventions and international organizations</p>	<p>3. <i>Invites</i> the governing bodies of other biodiversity-related conventions and relevant multilateral environmental agreements, as well as international organizations and other relevant programmes, to formally endorse the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework through their own governance processes, as appropriate, in order to support its operationalization and contribute to the transparency and monitoring of progress in its implementation by, among others, using synergetic modular reporting tools such as the Data Reporting Tool for MEAs (DaRT);</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>7. <i>Invites</i> the United Nations Environment Programme, and encourages the United Nations Development Programme, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, as well as other relevant international organizations, to support the Parties and secretariats of the biodiversity-related conventions and agreements to continue to enhance synergies in areas of priority established by their Parties, including by facilitating and implementing key actions aimed to enhance synergies at the national and regional levels outlined in decisions XIII/24 and 14/30, in particular regarding reporting and the use of supportive tools, such as DaRT, capacity-building and development, and by facilitating linkages between biodiversity-related conventions and relevant multilateral environmental agreements, in accordance with international rights and obligations;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>10. <i>Urges</i> Parties, invites other Governments and invites non-governmental organizations, indigenous peoples and local communities, subnational governments, cities and other local authorities, women’s groups, youth groups, the business and finance community, the scientific community, academia, faith-based organizations, the media, representatives of sectors related to or dependent on biodiversity, among others, to reinforce actions to enhance synergies in the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, the Sustainable Development Goals, the biodiversity-related conventions, the Rio conventions and other relevant multilateral agreements and initiatives at the national level, including through their national coordination, planning, review and reporting processes, including through existing common and voluntary reporting platforms such as DaRT, in line with the options for action at the national level provided in annex I of decision XIII/24, and in accordance with national circumstances and priorities;</p>

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<p>COP decision 15/14 Communication</p>	<p><i>Annex</i></p> <p>COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE KUNMING-MONTREAL GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>III. SCOPE AND PURPOSE OF THE STRATEGY</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Table 1. Timeline for activities</p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>As soon as possible following the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>National level</i></p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Endeavour, as appropriate, to integrate relevant actions from the communications strategy in their planning and reporting mechanisms.</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>By the fourth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, to be negotiated by the Conference of the Parties at its sixteenth meeting (2024)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>National level</i></p> <p>Endeavour, as appropriate, to integrate relevant actions from the communications strategy in their planning and reporting mechanisms.</p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>By the fifth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, to be negotiated by the Conference of the Parties at its seventeenth meeting (2026)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>National level</i></p> <p>Report on activities in the seventh national report, if appropriate during the biennium, and share relevant information through the CHM, national Bioland CHM sites and adjust as appropriate.</p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>By the sixth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, to be negotiated by the Conference of the Parties at its eighteenth meeting (2028)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Endeavour, as appropriate, to integrate relevant actions from the communications strategy in their planning and reporting mechanisms.</p> <p><i>Date</i></p>

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	<p>By the seventh meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation, to be negotiated by the Conference of the Parties at its nineteenth meeting (2030)</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>National level</i></p> <p>Endeavour, as appropriate, to integrate relevant actions from the communications strategy in their planning and reporting mechanisms.</p> <p>IV. GOALS</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Goal C – Develop and promote platforms and partnerships, including with media, educators and civil society, to share information on successes, lessons learned and experiences in acting for biodiversity</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>22. Communications related to the monitoring element should be aligned with national reporting periods.</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>IX. MEASURING PROGRESS</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>A. Campaigns, and media reach</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>80. At the national level, Parties to the Convention should also gather the above data for inclusion in their national reporting.</p>
<p>COP decision 15/15 Financial mechanism</p>	<p><i>Annex I</i></p> <p>FOUR-YEAR OUTCOME-ORIENTED FRAMEWORK OF PROGRAMME PRIORITIES OF THE CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY FOR THE EIGHTH REPLENISHMENT PERIOD (2022–2026) OF THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY TRUST FUND</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>B. Elements</p> <p>4. The four-year outcome-oriented framework of programme priorities for the period 2022–2026 consists of the following elements to which effective implementation support is to be provided:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(f) The mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review;</p> <p><i>Annex II B</i></p> <p>ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE TO THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY</p> <p>Planning, monitoring, reporting and review</p> <p>1. <i>Invites</i> the Global Environment Facility and its agencies to make funds available in a timely and expeditious manner to all eligible countries, in particular the least developed</p>

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	<p>countries and small island developing States, to support the updating or revision of national biodiversity strategies and action plans and to support the preparation of national reports, so that Parties may begin implementation as soon as possible after the adoption of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;</p> <p><i>Annex III</i></p> <p>TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR A FULL ASSESSMENT OF THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS NEEDED FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION AND ITS PROTOCOLS FOR THE NINTH REPLENISHMENT PERIOD OF THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY TRUST FUND</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>C. Methodology</p> <p>3. The funding needs assessment should take into account:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(d) The information communicated to the Conference of the Parties in the national reports, information provided by the Parties through the financial reporting framework and information from the Advisory Committee on Resource Mobilization;</p> <p><i>Annex IV</i></p> <p>TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE SIXTH REVIEW OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE FINANCIAL MECHANISM</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>B. Methodology</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>3. The review shall draw upon, inter alia, the following sources of information:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(c) Information provided by Parties regarding the financial mechanism, through national reports and other submissions, responses to surveys and interviews;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/16 Knowledge management and the clearing-house mechanism</p>	<p>1. <i>Invites</i> biodiversity-related conventions, organizations, networks, processes and initiatives supporting the generation, discovery, capture, management and use of biodiversity-related data, information and knowledge, to contribute to the clearing-house mechanism of the Convention, based on existing knowledge management networks, organizations, initiatives and processes, to, among other things, promote and facilitate collaboration, interconnection and networking among them, with a view to making biodiversity data, information and knowledge more readily available and accessible for biodiversity planning, policy and decision-making, implementation, monitoring, and reporting and review;</p>

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	<p>[...]</p> <p>9. <i>Requests</i> the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(c) To further develop the central clearing-house mechanism portal to promote and facilitate technical and scientific cooperation, knowledge management, communication and enhanced planning, implementation, monitoring, reporting and review processes;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/24 Conservation and sustainable use of marine and coastal biodiversity</p>	<p>9. <i>Notes</i> the role of relevant global and regional bodies and initiatives, including, inter alia, the United Nations Division on Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the International Maritime Organization, the International Seabed Authority, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Ramsar Convention, the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals, the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, the World Meteorological Organization, regional fishery bodies, regional seas conventions and action plans, the International Coral Reef Initiative, as well as the United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development and the United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration, in the conservation and sustainable use of marine and coastal biodiversity, and <i>invites</i> them to support the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework with respect to marine and coastal biodiversity and to contribute to monitoring and reporting on the implementation of the Framework, as appropriate;</p>
<p>COP decision 15/27 Invasive alien species</p>	<p>7. <i>Invites</i> the Secretariat of the United Nations Economic and Social Council, the World Customs Organization, the International Plant Protection Convention, the World Organisation for Animal Health, the World Health Organization, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and its Codex Alimentarius, the Secretariat of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, and the Invasive Species Specialist Group of the International Union for Conservation of Nature, within the scope of their respective mandates, to support the national implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework with regard to targets and actions related to invasive alien species, including their monitoring and reporting;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>12. <i>Requests</i> the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>(e) To develop, on the basis of the national reports and in cooperation with the Inter-agency Liaison Group on Invasive Alien Species and other relevant organizations, advice on the evaluation of existing capacity and needs for monitoring, preventing and controlling the introduction and spread of invasive alien species and their harmful effects to biodiversity, taking into account relevant multilateral instruments, and</p>

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	thereafter as relevant, update the online toolkit on invasive alien species of the Convention on Biological Diversity and develop additional training materials for such topics as management of priority species and pathways of introduction, identification and management of priority areas, as well as the application of international data standards in national and regional databases containing information on invasive alien species;
COP decision 15/28 Biodiversity and agriculture	<p>3. <i>Encourages</i> Parties, other Governments and relevant organizations to support the implementation of, and capacity-building and development for, the Plan of Action (2020–2030) for the International Initiative for the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Soil Biodiversity through, among other things, the integration of appropriate measures into national biodiversity strategies and action plans and national reports, sustainable soil management and relevant agricultural policies, plans, legislation, standards, programmes and practices, in accordance with national priorities and circumstances;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>8. <i>Invites</i> the United Nations Environment Programme, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification, the Intergovernmental Technical Panel on Soils of the Global Soil Partnership and the Global Initiative for Soil Biodiversity to support the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework with regard to soil-related targets and actions, including their monitoring and reporting;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p><i>Annex</i></p> <p>PLAN OF ACTION (2020–2030) FOR THE INTERNATIONAL INITIATIVE FOR THE CONSERVATION AND SUSTAINABLE USE OF SOIL BIODIVERSITY</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>V. KEY ELEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Element 1: Policy coherence and mainstreaming</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Activities</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>1.11 Encourage Parties to include soil biodiversity in national reports and national biodiversity strategies and action plans, and coordinate at the national and subnational levels, in order to increase and improve public and private actions that improve soil biodiversity;</p>
COP decision 15/29 Biodiversity and health	<p>2. <i>Invites</i> the Quadripartite for One Health, the One Health High-Level Expert Panel, and other relevant expert groups and initiatives:</p> <p>[...]</p>

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	(c) To contribute to the development of, and reporting on, health-related indicators of the monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;
COP decision 15/33 Multi-year programme of work of the Conference of the Parties	<p><i>Annex</i></p> <p>PRELIMINARY LIST OF THE MAIN ISSUES TO BE ADDRESSED BY MEETINGS OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES DURING THE PERIOD 2023–2030</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>Meeting</p> <p>COP 17 (2026)</p> <p>Strategic issues</p> <p>Global review of the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework and related means of implementation on the basis of, inter alia, the seventh national reports.</p> <p>Meeting</p> <p>COP 19 (2030)</p> <p>Strategic issues</p> <p>Final assessment of the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework on the basis of the eighth national report.</p>

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CP-MOP decision 10/9 Monitoring and reporting (Article 33)	17. <i>Notes</i> decision 15/6 and decision 15/4 of the Conference of the Parties and encourages Parties to the Cartagena Protocol to contribute to national processes for the preparation of the seventh national reports under the Convention, including by providing information related to targets relevant for biosafety.

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NP-MOP decision 4/3 Monitoring and reporting (Article 29)	1. <i>Welcomes</i> decision 15/6 of the Conference of the Parties and agrees to maintain the synchronized national reporting cycle foreseen in decisions 14/27 and NP-3/4 (para. 1);
