

AFRICAN EURASIAN WATERBIRD AGREEMENT

(an Agreement under the Bonn Convention)

First Session of the Meeting of the Parties (MOP1/AEWA)

Provisional timetable and agenda of MOP1/AEWA (as at 17 October 1999)

Time	Mode	Activity	Document	Venue
Saturday 6 November				
08.30 – 16.00		Registration for AEWA and CMS		Pre-assembly Area Ballroom
14.00 – 16.00		Regional co-ordination meetings;		Rooms to be allocated upon request
16.30 – 18.00		CMS-AEWA Joint Opening Meeting (see separate programme sheet)		Ballroom
18.00 – 18.45		Joint CMS-UNEP-AEWA Press conference		To be decide
19.00 – 21.00		Reception hosted by Government of South Africa		Somerset 3 and Pre-assembly Area
Sunday 7 November				
08.30 – 13.00		Registration for MOP1/AEWA		
09.30 – 10.00	Plenary	Agenda items 1-2: Opening of the session and welcoming statements	MOP1.1; MOP1.2; MOP1.3; MOP1.4;	Ballroom

10.00 – 11.00	Plenary	Agenda items 3-7: Administrative matters (Rules of Procedure, election of officers, agenda/timetable of meetings, establishment of sessional committees, admission of observers, etc.)	Inf1.7 Inf.1.8 Inf.1.9 and Inf. 1.10	Ballroom
11.00 – 11.30		Coffee break	Braai area and corridor	
11.30 – 13.00	Plenary	Agenda items 3-7; <i>to be continued</i> ; Agenda item 9a and 9b: Reports of the Interim Secretariat and the Depositary	MOP1.5; MOP 1.6	Ballroom
13.00 – 13.30		Meeting of the Bureau Meeting of the Credentials Committee	AEWA Secretariat room Somerset 1 (rear section)	
13.00 – 15.00		Lunch break		
15.00 – 16.30	Plenary	Agenda item 11: Amendment of the Agreement Annexes	MOP 1.9 MOP1.7 Res	Ballroom
16.30 – 17.00		Coffee break	Braai Area and Corridor	
17.00 – 18.00	Plenary	Start with the discussion on institutional and financial arrangements. Agenda item 14: Institutional arrangements (Establishment of the Agreement Secretariat; Establishment of the Technical Committee) Agenda item 16: Financial arrangements (Budget for the period 2000- 2002; Contributions in kind; Establishment of a Small Grant Fund)	MOP 1.10; MOP 1.11; Res. 1.1.; Res. 1.8; MOP 1.12; MOP 1.13; Res.1.2; Res.1.7; Res.1.6	Ballroom
18.00 – 18.30		Meeting of the Bureau	AEWA Secretariat room	
18.00 – 20.00		Dinner		
20.00 – 22.00		Working group meetings as necessary	Venues to be announced	

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Monday 8 November				
08.00 – 09.00		Meeting of the Bureau	AEWA Secretariat room	
08.30 – 13.00		Registration for AEWA and CMS	Pre-assembly Area	
08.30 – 09.30		EU coördination	Somerset 3	
09.30 – 11.00	Plenary	Report of the Credentials Committee Agenda item 12: Conservation Guidelines Agenda item 13a: International Impl. Priorities Agenda item 13b: Establishment of a Register International Projects AEWA	MOP1.17; Res.1.5 MOP1.8; Res.1.10 MOP 1.9; Res.1.4	Ballroom
11.00 – 11.30		Coffee break	Braai area and corridor	
11.30 – 13.00	Plenary	Agenda items 12 and 13a and 13b; <i>to be continued</i>		Ballroom
13.00 – 15.00		Lunch break		
15.00 – 16.30	Plenary	Agenda item 17: Adoption of a format for National Reports of the Parties Agenda item 18: Draft Management Plan for the Brent Goose (<i>Branta bernicla</i>)	MOP 1.15 MOP 1.14; Res.1.3	Ballroom
16.30 – 17.00		Coffe break		
17.00 – 18.00	Plenary	Reports of Working Groups		Ballroom
18.00 – 20.00		Dinner		
20.00 – 22.00		Working Groups as necessary; free for regional consultations	Meeting rooms to be announced	

Tuesday 9 November			
08.00 – 09.00		Meeting of the Bureau	AEWA Secretariat room
08.30 – 13.00		Registration for AEWA and CMS	Pre-assembly Area
08.30 – 09.30		EU Coordination meeting	Somerset 3
09.30 – 11.00	Plenary	Reports of Working Groups Adoption of documents and resolutions	Ballroom
11.00 – 11.30		Coffee break	Braai area and corridor
11.30 – 13.00	Plenary	Adoption of documents and resolutions; <i>to be continued.</i> Agenda item 20: Date and venue of the Second Session of the Meeting Agenda item 21: Other busines Agenda item 22: Adoption Report of the Meeting Agenda item 23: Closure of the Meeting	MOP1....; Res.1.12 Res.1.11 Ballroom
13.00 – 13.30		Meeting of the Bureau	AEWA Secretariat room
13.00 – 15.00		Lunch break	
18.15		Departure by coach from Hotel Lord Charles (and/or other hotels) to Residential area Netherlands Ambassador (about 30 minutes drive)	
19.00 – 20.30		Reception offered by the Netherlands Ambassador at the occasion of the First session of the Meeting of the Parties to the African Eurasian Waterbird Agreement	
20.30		Coaches return to Hotel Lord Charles and other hotels	

Wednesday 10 November

08.30

Registration for COP6/CMS

Pre-assembly Area