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Bergen, 20-25 November 2011
Agenda Item 6

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE FOR CMS COP10 AND ASSOCIATED MEETINGS

(as at 1 November 2011)

The provisional timetable should be read in conjunction with the Provisional Agenda (UNEP/CMS/Conf.10.1), the Annotated Agenda (UNEP/CMS/Conf.10.2), and the List of Documents (UNEP/CMS/Conf.10.4). The timetable is subject to amendment in order to take into account additional documents that may require consideration during the meeting.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE OF OFFICIAL MEETINGS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

(as at 1 November 2011)

WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2011

All day	Participant arrival	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
1600 - 1900	Registration for 17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>

THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2011

0800 ~	Registration for 17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0930 ~	17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council – Opening and morning session	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i> Members and invited observers only
1230-1430	Lunch break	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
1430 -1800	17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council/ Working Groups – Afternoon session	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i> Members and invited observers only Meeting rooms to be announced in Plenary and on Information Screens at entrance of Plenary Room

FRIDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2011

0900 -1230	17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council – Morning session	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i> Members and invited observers only
1230-1430	Lunch break	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
1430 – 1800	17 th Meeting of the CMS Scientific Council/ Working Groups – Afternoon session	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i> Members and invited observers only Meeting rooms to be announced in Plenary and on Information Screens at entrance of Plenary Room

1400 – 1900	Registration for 38 th Meeting of the CMS Standing Committee	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
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SATURDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2011

0800 – 1900	Registration for 1 st Meeting of the Signatories to the Bukhara Deer MoU	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0800 – 1900	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0900 ~	38 th Meeting of the CMS Standing Committee	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i>

SUNDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2011

0800 – 1900	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0830 – 1300	1st Meeting of the Signatories to the Bukhara Deer MoU	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i>
1400 – 1630	CMS COP10 High-level Opening Ceremony	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i>
1730 – 1900	Reception hosted by the Government of Norway	<i>Grieg Hall</i>
1900 – 2000	Meeting of Heads of Delegations	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel – Salem Conference Center</i>

MONDAY 21 NOVEMBER – FRIDAY 25 NOVEMBER 2011

0900-1800	CMS COP10 (see timetable below)	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel – Salem Conference Center</i>
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SATURDAY 26 NOVEMBER – SUNDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1000	Registration for second meeting of the Parties to the Gorilla Agreement (MOP2)	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0930 – 1800	MOP2 Gorilla Agreement	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel – Salem Conference Center</i>
0930 – 1800	7 th AEWa Standing Committee meeting	<i>Fylkesmannen I Hordaland (Building of the County Government of Hordaland)</i>

DETAILED PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE FOR COP10: 20 - 25 NOVEMBER 2011

SUNDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
1400 – 1700	CMS COP10 High-level Opening Ceremony	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel - Salem Conference Center</i>
1730 ~ 1900	Reception hosted by the Government of Norway	<i>Grieg Hall</i>
1900 – 2000	Meeting of Heads of Delegations	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel – Salem Conference Center</i>

MONDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0900 – 1230	CMS COP10 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda items 1 and 2: Opening Statements Agenda items 4-8: Administrative matters (rules of procedure, elections, agenda/schedule, establishment of committees, admission of observers etc.) Agenda item 3: Key Note address on conserving Migratory Species and their Ecological Functions: Strategies in the Face of Climate and Land-use Change by Prof. David S. Wilcove. Agenda item 10: Reports from Convention and Agreement Bodies and UNEP MoU Signing Ceremony: Several Range States and the EU will sign some of the existing Memoranda of Understanding
1230 – 1430	Lunch break – <i>Side Events</i>	Meeting of the Credentials Committee Side events and Press Conference (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).
1430 – 1800	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 9: Overview of the process regarding the “Future Shape” of CMS Agenda item 21 (b): CMS Budget 2012-2014 Agenda item 11 (a): Depositary and Host Country Agenda item 11 (b): Party States (including REIOs)

1830 ~	COP10 – <i>Side Events</i>	Side events (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).
2000 ~	Reception	Reception hosted by the Polish Government for the Presidency of the EU (Invitees only)
Evening	COP10 – Sessional Committees	Meetings of the Sessional Committees

TUESDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0800 – 0845	CMS COP10 <i>Meeting of the Bureau</i>	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0900 – 1230	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<p><i>Salem Conference Center</i></p> <p>Agenda item 12 (b): Biodiversity related MEAs (incl. CBD COP10 and NBSAPs)</p> <p>Agenda item 12 (a): Synergies and partnerships</p> <p>Agenda item 12 (c): Intergovernmental Science and Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services</p> <p>Agenda item 12 (d): Other intergovernmental bodies</p> <p>Agenda item 12 (e): Non-governmental Organisations</p> <p>Agenda item 13 (a): Proposals on organization and strategic development of the CMS Family</p> <p>Agenda item 13 (b): Extension of the ACCOBAMS area</p> <p>Agenda item 13 (c): Merger of CMS and ASCOBANS Secretariat functions</p> <p>Agenda item 14 (a): Assessment of the implementation of the Strategic Plan 2006-2011</p> <p>Agenda item 14 (b): Strategic Plan 2012-2014</p>
1230 – 1430	Lunch break – <i>Side Events</i>	<p>Meeting of the Credentials Committee</p> <p>Side events and Press Conference (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).</p>

1430 – 1800	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 21 (a): Execution of CMS Budget 2009-2011 Agenda item 21 (c): Resource mobilization Agenda item 21 (d): Enhancing Engagement with the Global Environment Facility Agenda item 15 (a): Progress on concerted and other actions for CMS species that are not covered by an Article IV instrument Agenda item 15 (b): Other measures to promote the conservation of Appendix I species Agenda item 16 (a): Development of new and future Agreements Agenda item 16 (b): Other measures to promote conservation and sustainable management of Appendix-II species
1730 – 1800	CMS COP10 – <i>Thesis Award Ceremony</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i>
1815 - 1900	CMS COP10- <i>Side Events</i>	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
1900 – 2130	Donors’ meeting and Reception	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i> Donors’ meeting, followed by a Reception hosted by the Government of Germany
Evening	CMS COP10 – <i>Sessional Committees</i>	Meetings of the Sessional Committees

WEDNESDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0800 – 0845	CMS COP10 <i>Meeting of the Bureau</i>	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0900 – 1230	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 19 (f) i: Bird Flyway Conservation Policy Agenda item 19 (g): Migratory terrestrial mammals Agenda item 19 (h): Migratory marine turtles Agenda item 20: Proposals submitted by Parties to amend Appendices of the Convention

1230 – 1430	Lunch break – <i>Side Events</i>	Lunch break Meeting of the Credentials Committee Side events and Press Conference (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).
1430 – 1530	CMS COP10 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 23: Progress Report of the Credentials Committee Agenda item 24: Progress Report of Sessional Committees
1530 – 1800	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 19 (a): Critical Sites and Ecological Networks for migratory species Agenda item 19 (b): Barriers to migration Agenda item 19 (c): Conservation emergencies Agenda item 19 (d): Climate change and migratory species Agenda item 19 (e) i: Review of freshwater fish
1800 – 1930	CMS COP10 – <i>Side Events</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Side events (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).
2000 ~	Reception	<i>Aquarium of Bergen</i> Reception hosted by the City of Bergen
Evening	CMS COP10 – <i>Sessional Committees</i>	Meetings of the Sessional Committees

THURSDAY 24 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0800 – 0845	CMS COP10 <i>Meeting of the Bureau</i>	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>

0900 – 1230	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<p><i>Salem Conference Center</i></p> <p>Agenda item 19 (e) ii: Assessment of Bycatch in Gill Net Fisheries</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (e) iii: Implementation of Resolution 8.22 on human-induced impacts on cetaceans</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (e) iv: Programme of Work for Cetaceans</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (e) v: Underwater Noise</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (e) vi: Marine debris</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (f) ii: Improving the Conservation Status of Migratory Landbirds in the African-Eurasian Region</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (f) iii: Minimizing the Risks of Poisoning to Migratory Birds</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (f) iv: Taxonomy and Nomenclature of Birds listed in Appendices</p> <p>Agenda item 19 (i): Wildlife diseases</p>
1230 – 1430	Lunch break – <i>Side Events</i>	<p>Lunch break</p> <p>Meeting of the Credentials Committee</p> <p>Side events and Press Conference (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).</p>
1430 – 1800	CMS COP10 <i>Committee of the Whole</i>	<p><i>Salem Conference Center</i></p> <p>Agenda item 17: Online reporting – Harmonization of Information</p> <p>Agenda item 18 (a): Capacity building</p> <p>Agenda item 18 (b): “Year of the” species campaigns</p> <p>Agenda item 18 (c): CMS Ambassadors</p> <p>Agenda item 18 (d): Implementation and the Outreach and Communication Plan</p>
1800 – 1930	CMS COP10 – <i>Side Events</i>	<p><i>Salem Conference Center</i></p> <p>Side events (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room).</p>
Evening	CMS COP10 – <i>Sessional Committees</i>	Meetings of the Sessional Committees

FRIDAY 25 NOVEMBER 2011

0830 – 1700	Registration for CMS COP10	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0800 – 0845	CMS COP10 <i>Meeting of the Bureau</i>	<i>Scandic Bergen City Hotel</i>
0900 – 1230	CMS COP10 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 22 (a): Elections to Scientific Council and Standing Committee Agenda item 22 (b): Other institutional issues Agenda item 23: Final Report of the Credentials Committee Agenda item 24: Reports of Sessional committees Agenda item 25: Adoption of Amendments to Appendices Agenda item 26: System for retiring Resolutions
1230 – 1430	Lunch break – <i>Side Events</i>	Lunch break Meeting of the Sessional Committees Side events and Press Conference (a separate programme to be distributed; see Information Screens at the entrance of the Plenary Room). Distribution of draft Meeting Report to all participants
1430 – 1700	CMS COP10 <i>Plenary</i>	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> Agenda item 27: Adoption of the resolutions and recommendations Agenda item 28: Date and venue of 11 th COP Agenda item 29: Adoption of the Report of the meeting Agenda item 30: Any other business Agenda item 31: Closure of the meeting
1700 - 1800	39 th Meeting of the CMS Standing Committee	<i>Salem Conference Center</i> 39 th Meeting of the CMS Standing Committee (members only)