

2nd CMS Workshop on Conservation Implications of Animal Culture and Social Complexity

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PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA AND SCHEDULE

The purpose of the workshop is to identify priority species and populations on the CMS Appendices, and to provide advice to Parties on rapid assessment techniques and how to augment existing conservation efforts using insights on aspects of sociality. The objective is to assist the Expert Group to fulfill its mandate given in Decision 13.103.

Agenda Items		Documents	Annotations
<i>Part I (UTC 19:00-21:00)</i>			
1.	Opening of the Meeting		<i>Welcome by the Secretariat and Chair</i>
2.	Adoption of the Agenda and Schedule	Online Meeting Protocol Doc.2: Provisional Annotated Agenda and Schedule	<i>Housekeeping by the Secretariat Adoption of agenda</i>
3.	Background and Mandates	Ref.: Decisions 13.102 to 13.105 - Conservation Implications of Animal Culture and Social Complexity Ref.: Appendices I and II of the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)	<i>Secretariat will outline the background and introduce mandates and meeting objectives</i>
4.	Meeting Structure		<i>Chair will outline proposed sub-groups, their tasks, intersessional work, and deadlines</i>
5.	Definitions and Criteria for Assessment		<i>Chair will outline ideas Discussion</i>

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6.	Appointment of Sub-Group Leaders		<p><i>Proposed Sub-Groups:</i></p> <p><u>Taxonomic</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Birds</i> • <i>Fish</i> • <i>Reptiles</i> • <i>Primates</i> • <i>Mysticetes</i> • <i>Odontocetes</i> • <i>Elephants</i> • <i>Ungulates</i> • <i>Other mammals</i> <p><u>Issues</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Reintroductions</i> • <i>Rapid assessment</i> • <i>Human wildlife interactions/conflict</i> <p><u>Concerted Actions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>ETP sperm whales</i> • <i>Chimpanzees</i>
BREAK			
Part II (UTC 21:30-23:30)			
7.	Work in Sub-Groups		<i>Sub-groups meet in MS Teams to establish mandates and tasks for intersessional work (potential sub-group leaders will be approached in advance)</i>
8.	Report Back from Sub-Groups		<i>Sub-group leaders report back at end of their session on agreed tasks and plans going forward</i>
9.	Closing of the Meeting		

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