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## PROVISIONAL AGENDA

(as at 01 October 2013)

- 1. Opening remarks
- 2. Adoption of the agenda
- 3. Planning, assessment and gap analysis of the Scientific Council (PAGA):

Presentation by the CMS Executive Secretary, Dr. Bradnee Chambers, on options for reform of the Scientific Council, followed by discussion

4. Presentation of reports from the taxonomic and thematic Working Groups:

Aquatic mammals, Bill Perrin Birds, Leon Bennun Freshwater fish, Zeb Hogan Climate change, Colin Galbraith Flyways, Taei Mundkur

Terrestrial mammals, Roseline Beudels Marine turtles, Colin Limpus Bycatch, Barry Baker Landbirds, Olivier Biber

- 5. Gaps in threats and challenges to migratory species; emerging issues
- 6. Gap analysis of the species listed in the Appendices
- 7. Criteria for listing species under the Appendices:

Report on progress of the ad hoc Working Group established under the Scientific Council

- 8. Cooperation between the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES) and CMS: the role of the Scientific Council
- 9. Scientific Council Work Programme 2013-2014. Assignment of tasks and activities
- 10. Practical demonstration and training on the use of the Scientific Council online workspace
- 11. Any other business