3rd Meeting of the Standing Committee

Bonn, Germany, 31 March 2009

Provisional Agenda

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1. Opening remarks: the host Government

the Chair of the Standing Committee the Executive Secretary of UNEP/CMS the Chair of the Advisory Committee

the Secretariat

- 2. Adoption of the Agenda
- 3. Adoption of the Rules of Procedure
- 4. Secretariat report:
 - a) National Reports and updates to National Reports
 - b) Agreement membership (recruitment of new Parties)
 - c) Ongoing projects
 - d) Publicity
- 5. Administrative matters:
 - a) Report on income and expenditure as well as Trust Fund status
 - b) Projection of the financial situation in 2009 including voluntary contributions
 - c) Staffing situation in the Secretariat
- 6. Report on the preparations for the 14th Meeting of the Advisory Committee
- 7. Report on the preparations for the 6th Session of the Meeting of Parties
- 8. EUROBATS' budget 2011 onwards: Level of the ceiling for maximum contributions
- The Future Shape of CMS: Collaboration between EUROBATS and CMS (Phase 1: Assessment of the current structure and functioning of CMS and the CMS Family)
- 10. Implementation of Resolutions adopted at MoP5
- 11. 2011 Year of the Bat
- 12. Upcoming international events and developments in Nature Conservation relevant for bats and the Agreement
- 13. Management Review of Environmental Governance within the United Nations System
- 14. Any other business
- 15. Date and venue of the 4th Meeting of the Standing Committee
- 16. Adoption of the Record of the Meeting
- 17. Close of Meeting