PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Fourth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Carpathian Convention
Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol on Conservation and Sustainable Use of Biological and Landscape Diversity, the Protocol on Sustainable Forest Management and the Protocol on Sustainable Tourism

1. Opening of the meeting

2. Organizational matters
   - Election of Officers
   - Review of credentials and full powers
   - Adoption of the Agenda
   - Organization of work


4. Implementation of the Carpathian Convention – Draft decisions for COP4
   - Conservation and sustainable use of biological and landscape diversity, Article 4 of the Carpathian Convention
   - Spatial Development, Article 5 of the Carpathian Convention
   - Sustainable and integrated water/river basin management, Article 6 of the Carpathian Convention
   - Sustainable agriculture, rural development and forestry, Article 7 of the Carpathian Convention
   - Sustainable Transport and Infrastructure, Industry and energy, Article 8 of the Carpathian Convention, Article 10 of the Carpathian Convention
4. Sustainable tourism, Article 9 of the Carpathian Convention
5. Cultural heritage and traditional knowledge, Article 11 of the Carpathian Convention
6. Environmental assessment/information system, monitoring and early warning, Article 12 of the Carpathian Convention
7. Awareness raising, education and public participation, Article 13 of the Carpathian Convention
8. Cooperation with the European Union
9. Cooperation with the Alpine Convention
10. On Cooperation with other conventions and international bodies
11. Programme of work and budget of the Carpathian Convention
13. Climate Change
14. Guidelines for the use of the logo of the Carpathian Convention
15. Presidency of the Carpathian Convention

5. Permanent Secretariat arrangements of the Carpathian Convention – Update on offers and positions

6. Preparation of the Ministerial Declaration and Statement of the Fourth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP4)

7. Date and venue of the Fifth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP5)

8. Other matters
Ministerial Segment

1. Welcome and Opening Statements
   - Welcome by the Minister of Environment of the Czech Republic
   - Message by the Executive Director of UNEP

2. Achievements and future of the Carpathian process
   (Presentation by the Secretariat including S4C inputs)

3. Statements by Ministers and High Level Representatives

4. Statements by Observers and Stakeholders

5. Introduction and Adoption of the Protocol on Sustainable Transport

6. Signature of the Protocol and Ceremony

7. Adoption of the Ministerial Declaration on Cultural Heritage and the Joint Alpine – Carpathian Statement on Adaptation to Climate Change

8. Adoption of the report of COP4 including the Decisions

9. Closure of Meeting