PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the Meeting
   1.1 Welcoming Remarks
   1.2 Adoption of the Agenda
   1.3 Opening of the Scientific Session

2. Implementation of the Harbour Porpoise Action Plans
   2.1 Recovery Plan for Baltic Harbour Porpoises (Jastarnia Plan)
   2.2 Conservation Plan for Harbour Porpoises in the North Sea
   2.3 Conservation Plan for the Harbour Porpoise Population in the Western Baltic, the Belt Sea and the Kattegat

3. Special Species Session: Common Dolphin
   3.1 Introduction and Conservation Status
   3.2 Draft Conservation Plan

4. Review of New Information on Threats to Small Cetaceans
   4.1 Bycatch
   4.2 Underwater Noise
   4.3 Negative Effects of Vessels and Other Forms of Disturbance
   4.4 Marine Renewable Energy Technologies
   4.5 Pollution
   4.6 Underwater Unexploded Ordnance
   4.7 Emerging Issues

5. Review of New Information on other Matters Relevant for Small Cetacean Conservation
   5.1 Population Size, Distribution, Structure and Causes of Any Changes
   5.2 Revised Necropsy Protocol
   5.3 Responses to Hazards
   5.4 Management of Marine Protected Areas
   5.5 New Agreement Area
   5.6 Large Cetaceans


7. Publicity and Outreach
   7.1 Reports by the Secretariat, Parties and Partners
   7.2 ASCOBANS Outreach and Education Award 2016

8. Funding of Projects and Activities
   8.1 Progress of Projects Supported by ASCOBANS
   8.2 Prioritization of Activities Requiring Funding

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9. Draft Resolutions not Covered Above
   9.1 Activities of the ASCOBANS Advisory Committee and Work Plan
10. Any other Business
11. Adoption of the List of Action Points of the Scientific Session
12. Close of the Session

13. Opening of the Institutional Session
14. Accession and Agreement Amendment
15. National Reporting
   15.1 Reports from Parties
   15.2 Revision to National Reporting Format
16. Relations with other Bodies
   16.1 Reports by the Secretariat, Parties and Partners
   16.2 Cooperation and Joint Initiatives with CMS
   16.3 Cooperation with European Union Institutions and Other Stakeholders
   16.4 Dates of Interest 2015/2016
17. Financial and Administrative Issues
   17.1 Administrative Issues
   17.2 Accounts for 2014 and 2015
18. Draft Resolutions
   18.1 Management of Expenditures between 2012 and 2015
   18.2 Financial and Administrative Matters for the Forthcoming Financial Period
19. Project Funding
20. Any other Institutional Issues
21. Date and Venue of the 8th Meeting of the Parties and the 23rd Meeting of the Advisory Committee
22. Adoption of the List of Action Points of the Institutional Session
23. Close of Meeting