



# Preparations for UNEA-5.2

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- **Due to COVID-19, Member States decided that the UNEA-5 should take place in a two-step approach**
- **The first part (UNEA-5.1) held on 22-23 February 2021 focused on urgent and procedural decisions**
- **Substantive matters were deferred to the resumed session of UNEA (UNEA-5.2) on 28 February- 2 March 2022, to be prepared at OECPR-5.2**
- **UNEA-5.2 will be followed by a Special Session on 3-4 March 2022, to commemorate of the 50th anniversary of UNEP (UNEP@50)**
- **Aim to organize OECPR 5.2, UNEA 5.2 and UNEP@50 as hybrid meetings – with universal representation**



# Main outcomes – UNEA-5.2

- **Ministerial declaration on the theme of UNEA-5: “Strengthening Actions for Nature to Achieve the Sustainable Development Goals”**
- **Finalize the preparation of a draft political declaration under GA resolution 73/333 - also input to Stockholm+50 international meeting (via UNEP@50)**
- **Decision on provisional agenda, date and venue of the sixth session of UNEA**
- **Election of the President and Bureau of UNEA-6**
- **17 draft resolutions have been submitted and they are available through the UNEA papersmart portal – incl to establish an INC on plastic pollution**



# Preparations for UNEA-5.2 well advanced

- **Timely intergovernmental preparatory consultations and negotiations conducted under the CPR**
- **Ongoing consultations on the political declaration led by the UNEA President**
- **Active participation and substantive inputs from Major Groups and Stakeholders**
- **UNEA and UNEP@50 will be “hybrid” – with universal in person participation**
- **Discussion to reschedule – but meeting dates are kept**
- **Process to organize leadership UNEA dialogues and UNEA side events ongoing**
- **Substantive inputs from regional ministerial fora**





Clustering of draft resolutions and decisions for UNEA-5.2<sup>1</sup>

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<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Rwanda/ Peru on an internationally legally binding instrument on plastic pollution</a></li> <li>2. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Japan on an international legal instrument on marine plastic pollution</a></li> <li>3. <a href="#">Draft resolution from India on Framework for addressing plastic product pollution including single-use plastic product</a></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Indonesia on Sustainable Lake Management</a></li> <li>5. <a href="#">Draft resolution from the EU on a draft resolution on Nature-based Solutions for supporting sustainable development</a></li> <li>6. <a href="#">Draft Resolution from Ghana on animal welfare-environment and sustainable development nexus</a></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8. <a href="#">Revised draft resolution from Sri Lanka on Sustainable Nitrogen Management</a></li> <li>9. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Switzerland on the sound management of chemicals and waste</a></li> <li>10. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Switzerland on a science policy Panel on chemicals, waste and pollution</a></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Mongolia on Sustainable and Resilient Infrastructure</a></li> <li>12. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Eritrea on behalf of the African Group on green recovery</a></li> <li>13. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Eritrea on behalf of the African Group on circular economy</a></li> <li>14. <a href="#">Draft resolution from Switzerland on mineral resource</a></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>15. <a href="#">Draft resolution from the Russian Federation on compliance of equitable geographical representation and balance in the secretariat of UNEP</a></li> <li>16. <a href="#">Draft resolution from the secretariat on the Future of the Global Environment Outlook</a></li> <li>17. <a href="#">Draft decision from the secretariat on the date and venue for UNEA-6</a></li> </ol>

# Key preparatory meetings

- **3rd consultation under GA resolution 73/333: 16-18 February**
  - Preparation of the UNEP@50 political declaration
- **Resumed meeting of OECPR-5: 21-25 February 2022**
  - *Preparations of political outcomes for both UNEA-5.2 and UNEP@50: Regional groups meetings; Bureau meetings; negotiations on draft resolutions; consultations on the Ministerial Declaration – **in person meetings***
  - *Major Groups preparatory meetings; science policy business forum, cities summit – **online***
- **Resumed session of UNEA-5: 28 February-2 March 2022**
  - *Regional groups meetings; Bureau meetings; UNEA-5 opening plenary; National statements; Committee of the whole; High-level segment, Leadership dialogues; Multi-stakeholder dialogue; Closing plenary.*
  - *Side events (probably online)*
- **Special session to commemorate UNEP@50: 3-4 March 2022**
  - *Consultations on 15 October under the leadership of CPR Vice Chair from Algeria*
  - *UNEA-6 Presidency (African Group) and Bureau still to be nominated*





# Thank you!



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