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**Report of the Conservation Committee Planning Group (CCPG)**

The Conservation Committee Planning Group met virtually on 5 October 2023. The CCPG is a Commission endorsed body whose terms of reference include helping to set the agenda for the biennial Conservation Committee meeting and ensure progression of the Conservation Committee work plan in the intersessional period. The report of the meeting, adopted by correspondence, is available [here](#).

The Secretariat wishes to thank the Chairs and vice-Chairs of the Conservation Committee, and its Standing Working Groups, and all the attendees of the meeting for their participation.

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