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**Second Bureau Meeting of the Contracting Parties to the
Convention on Cooperation for the Protection,
Management and Development of the Marine Environment and
Coastal Areas of the Atlantic Coast of the
West, Central and Southern African Region (Abidjan Convention)**

Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, 23rd June 2020

List of draft decisions under consideration

- a) Draft decision on the implementation of COP12 decisions
- b) Draft decision on the Programme of Work 2020-2023
- c) Draft decision on financial matters
- d) Draft amendments of the text of the Abidjan Convention
- e) Draft decision on an additional protocol on Marine Protected Areas (MPAs)
- f) Draft decision on the implementation of SDG #14 in the countries of the Abidjan Convention
- g) Draft decision on ocean acidification
- h) Draft decision on oceans and coastal zone's governance in the Abidjan Convention's area
- i) Draft decision on the elaboration of a State of the Marine Environment in the Abidjan Convention's area
- j) Draft decision on the collaboration with other African Regional Seas Conventions and Action Plans
- k) Draft decision on blue economy in the context of poverty reduction in Africa
- l) Draft decision on marine Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (ABNJ)
- m) Draft decision on the creation an Abidjan Convention Award on marine and coastal zone management
- n) Draft decision on Marine Spatial Planning
- o) Draft decision on marine plastic litter
- p) Draft decision on algal bloom (sargassum)
- q) Draft decision on the participation of countries of the Abidjan Convention in the 2020 UN Ocean Conference in Lisbon, Portugal
- r) Draft decision on the action plans for the implementation of the Abidjan Convention additional protocols
- s) Draft decision on illegal trade, illegal traffic, consumption, and other uses of protected and endangered and / or vulnerable marine and coastal flora and fauna
- t) Draft decision on the collection, management and sharing of data and information (link with the Resource Center and the monitoring and evaluation system).
- u) Draft decision on thanks to the Government of Congo