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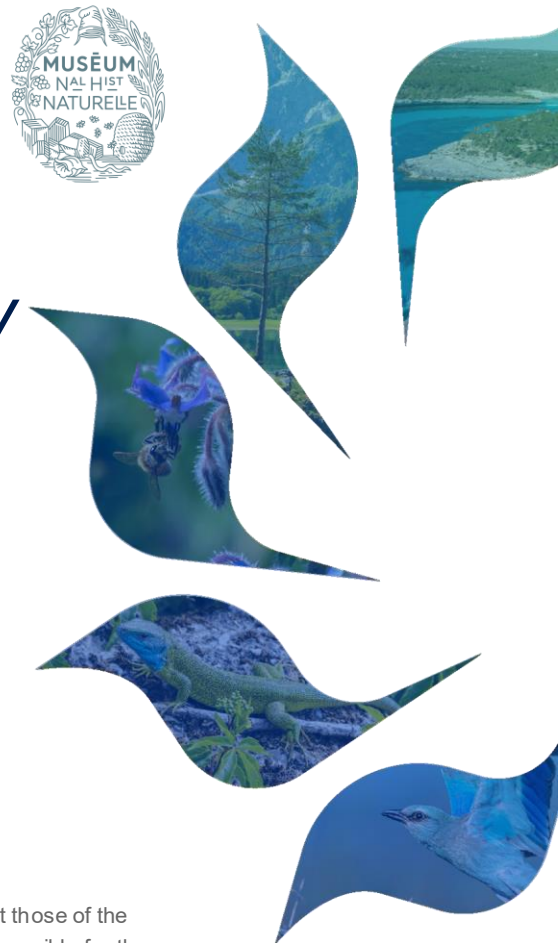
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A word that describes what reporting means to you :



code : 2479 5627

I/The purpose of a Reporting Mechanism



What the Convention is saying ?

Article 26. Exchange of Information

Each Contracting Party shall, at intervals to be determined by the Conference of the Parties, present to the Conference of the Parties, **reports on measures which it has taken for the implementation of the provisions of this Convention and their effectiveness in meeting the objectives of this Convention.**

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measures to be addressed, in light of specific national circumstances

Article 6. General measures for conservation and sustainable use

Each Contracting Party shall, in accordance with its particular conditions and capabilities:

- (a) **Develop national strategies, plans or programmes** for the conservation and sustainable use of biological diversity or adapt for this purpose existing strategies, plans or programmes **which shall reflect, inter alia, the measures set out in this Convention relevant to the Contracting Party concerned**; and
- (b) Integrate, as far as possible and as appropriate, the conservation and sustainable use of biological diversity into relevant sectoral or cross-sectoral plans, programmes and policies.



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What the Convention is saying ?

- An effective system of national reporting can assist the Conference of the Parties to **consider the lessons learned** by Parties in the implementation of the Convention
- Identify gaps in capacity** for policy research and analysis at the national, regional and global levels, including technical and financial requirements
- Formulate appropriate requests and guidance** to Parties and to its subsidiary bodies, the Secretariat, the financial mechanism, and other organizations with expertise relevant to the implementation of the Convention

See ➡ <https://www.cbd.int/reports/intro.shtml>

I/The purpose of a Reporting Mechanism



In general, the purpose of a Reporting Mechanism is :

- 1) Track progress and compliance :** Reports detail actions taken (laws, policies, enforcement, monitoring), helping convention secretariats and other parties assess whether obligations are being met.
- 2) Enables transparency and commitment:** By sharing standardized information, reporting builds trust among countries and allows an overview of national efforts leading to formulate appropriate request and guidance, capacity-building, information's and technologies sharing.
- 3) Supports decision-making:** The data submitted through reports informs scientific assessments, funding decisions, and future negotiations under the Convention.

II/The organisation of a Reporting Mechanism



1. **COP** decides of a new reporting cycle (with deadlines and methodology)

2. **MS** Identification of the informations needed

3. **MS** Collection of the informations needed

8. **COP** Global review/assessment

4. **MS** Draft of the national report

7. **Secretariat**
Compilation of the information at the convention's level

5. **MS** review of the national report

6. **MS** Submission of the national report through dedicated tool

III/ Brief History of the CBD Reporting



1st NR : 1998,
Decisions II/17 and
III/9

2nd NR : 2001
Decision V/19

3rd NR : 2005
Decisions VI/25
and VII/25

6th NR : 2018
Decision XIII/27

5th NR : 2014
Decision X/10

4th NR : 2009
Decisions VI/25
and VIII/14

7th NR : 2026 Decisions
XV/5 XV/6 XVI/31 and
XVI/32



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Thank you !

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