

**SECOND VIRTUAL MEETING ON THE ACTION PLAN OF THE MOU ON THE
CONSERVATION OF SOUTHERN SOUTH AMERICAN MIGRATORY GRASSLAND
BIRD SPECIES AND THEIR HABITATS**

(Online, 27 - 29 August 2025)

All hours in Brasília Time UTC/GMT -3 hours

UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Provisional Annotated Agenda

PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA AND MEETING SCHEDULE

(as of 15 Aug 2025)

Goals of the Meeting

1. To finalize the update of the MOU Action Plan
2. Assess major steps and achievements in the implementation of the MOU Action Plan since MOS3
3. To discuss steps to achieve the MOU Action Plan's goals

Wednesday, 27 August 2025

Time	Agenda item	Documents	Comments
09:00 –09:30	1. Opening of the meeting (CMS), welcoming remarks from coordinators (Brazil and Uruguay), introduction of participants	Information document, if available.	Ensure link operational for online participants. Brazil as support in the coordination handover to Uruguay.
09:30 –09:45	2. Adoption of the agenda and meeting schedule	Provisional Agenda (08-08-2025) UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Provisional Annotated Agenda – <i>Provisional Annotated Agenda and Meeting Schedule</i>	Chair will introduce the annotated agenda and meeting schedule. Participants will have the opportunity to provide comments and suggest items to be discussed under Any Other Business. Expected outcome: Agenda and Meeting schedule adopted.
09:45 –10:00	3. Progress overview of MOU Action Plan since MOS3	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – Draft Action Plan UNEP/CMS/GRB-MOS3/Meeting Report – Meeting report	Last updated during break-out groups at MOS3 in December 2024 which has since received further revisions
10:00 –11:00	4.a Update of the Action Plan: Objective 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032 	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – Draft Action Plan UNEP/CMS/Resolution 14.1 – Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032	“Objective 1: Promote the protection and sustainable management of grasslands of importance for migratory species and the ecosystem services they provide.”
11:00 –11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>		
11:15 –12:00	4.b. Update of the Action Plan: Objective 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032 	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – <i>Draft Action Plan</i> UNEP/CMS/Resolution 14.1 – SPMS 2024-2032	“Objective 2: Develop and coordinate monitoring and research programs for MoU species, their habitats, and grassland ecosystems.”

Thursday, 28 August 2025			
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09:00 –11:00	4.c. Update of the Action Plan: Objective 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032 	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – <i>Draft Action Plan</i> UNEP/CMS/Resolution 14.1 – SPMS 2024-2032	<i>“Objective 3: Raise awareness of the importance of natural grasslands and threatened species.”</i>
11:00 –11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>		
11:15 –12:00	4.d. Update of the Action Plan: Objective 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032 	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – <i>Draft Action Plan</i> UNEP/CMS/Resolution 14.1 – SPMS 2024-2032	<i>“Objective 4: Develop and strengthen public and private policies for the conservation of natural grasslands and promote collaboration with the productive sector and civil society.”</i>
Friday, 29 August 2025			
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09:00 –11:00	4.e. Update of the Action Plan: Objective 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the Samarkand Strategic Plan for Migratory Species (SPMS) 2024-2032 	UNEP/CMS/APGB2/Draft Action Plan – <i>Draft Action Plan</i> UNEP/CMS/Resolution 14.1 – SPMS 2024-2032	<i>“Objective 5: Strengthen international cooperation for the implementation of the Memorandum of Understanding.”</i>
11:00 –11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>		
11:15–11:45	5. Wrap up of discussion and Endorsement of the updated Action Plan, Recommendations and Future Step		Next meeting date and location Expected outcome: Final Action Plan adopted
11:45 –12:00	6. Closing of the virtual meeting		Any other business and final observations