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Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (b) Organization of work.
3. Discussions on strengthening efforts to mitigate droughts in Africa,
4. Discussions on progress of land degradation neutrality targets in Africa,
5. Discussions on enhancing opportunities for ecosystems restoration,
6. Discussions on partnerships and synergies to enhance resource mobilization to address land degradation, desertification and drought.
7. Africa's preparation for the sixteenth session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification.
8. Africa's preparation in other upcoming international environmental conferences:
 - (a) Preparations for the twenty-ninth session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,
 - (b) Preparations for the sixteenth session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention on Biodiversity,
 - (c) Preparations of the fifth session of the International Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on the development of an international legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment.
12. Consideration of the draft declaration, draft decisions and key messages.
13. Other matters.
14. Closure of the meeting.