

# Meeting of the Parties to the Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes

## Implementation Committee

### Eleventh meeting

31 August, 1 and 2 September 2020

#### Provisional time schedule (Geneva time)

Tentative timing	Item
<b>Monday, 31 August 2020</b>	
13.00–14.00	Connection opens
14.00–14.15	<b>1. Introduction to the modalities for working virtually</b> <b>2. Adoption of the agenda</b> (as contained in document ECE/MP.WAT/IC/2020/1 <sup>1</sup> with adjustments as indicated in this Provisional time schedule)
14.15–15.15	<b>3. Advisory procedure (closed)</b> The Committee will discuss the information received from the countries in response to the Committee's request for information as expressed in the letters of the Chair of 8 June 2020.
15.15–15.30	<b>Break</b>
15.30–17.30	<b>Information gathering and consultation session with participation of the delegation from Montenegro</b> (a) The Chair will introduce the Committee members, the advisory procedure framework, the role of the Committee and the objectives and intended outcomes of the information-gathering and consultation session; (b) The Chair will invite the delegation of Montenegro to make an introductory statement outlining its position, key facts it wishes to highlight and its expectations regarding the advisory procedure; (c) The Committee members will then pose questions to the delegation regarding any information that has or has not been submitted in the matter to which the delegation will respond; (d) The Chair will invite the delegation to make any additional remarks.
17.30–18.00	The Committee will discuss the information received from Montenegro.
<b>Tuesday, 1 September 2020</b>	
13.00–14.00	Connection opens
14.00–16.00	<b>Information gathering and consultation session with participation of the delegation from Albania</b> (a) The Chair will introduce the Committee members, the advisory procedure framework, the role of the Committee and the objectives and intended outcomes of the information-gathering and consultation session; (b) The Chair will invite the delegation of Albania to make an introductory statement outlining its position, key facts it wishes to highlight and its expectations regarding the advisory procedure; (c) The Committee members will then pose questions to the delegation regarding any information that has or has not been submitted in the matter to which the delegation will respond; (d) The Chair will invite the delegation to make any additional remarks.
16.00–16.15	<b>Break</b>
16.15–18.00	The Committee will discuss the information gathered and agree on the issues to be clarified and messages to be sent to two countries in the two Recap sessions the following day.

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.unece.org/environmental-policy/conventions/water/meetings-and-events/water/implementation-committee-water-convention/2020/new-dates-eleventh-meeting-of-the-implementation-committee/doc.html>

<b>Wednesday, 2 September 2020</b>	
13.00–14.00	Connection opens
14.00–15.00	<b>Information gathering and consultation session with participation of the delegation from Montenegro - Recap</b>
15.00–15.30	<b>Break</b>
15.30–16.30	<b>Information gathering and consultation session with participation of the delegation from Albania - Recap</b>
16.30–16.45	<b>Break</b>
16.45–17.15	<b>Advisory procedure – Discussion on follow up steps</b> The Committee will discuss any follow up steps to the advisory procedure.
17.15–17.45	<b>4. Contribution of the Committee to activities under the Convention</b> <b>5. Promotion of the mechanism to facilitate and support implementation and compliance</b>
17.45–18.00	<b>6. Programme of work and calendar for the next meetings</b> <b>7. Any other business</b> <b>8. Presentation of the main decisions taken, modalities for preparation of the meeting report and closing of the session</b>