

Appendix 5. CEP Five Year Work Plan

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Introduction of non-native species	1	ICG to continue as per revised work plan Further review of guidance (ref ATCM XXXIII/WP15)	Consider report from the ICG and progress with NNS manual	Progress with further work requirements identified by ICG		Progress with further work requirements identified by ICG		Progress with further work requirements identified by ICG		Progress with further work requirements identified by ICG	Review non-native species manual
Actions: 1. Develop practical guidelines / standards / norms for all Antarctic operators. 2. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME			Consider revised guidance								
Tourism and NGO activities	1	Tourism study overseen by project management group	Tourism study reviewed and forwarded to the ATCM		Ongoing consideration of ATME outcomes under relevant agenda items						
Actions: 1. Provide advice to ATCM as requested. 2. Advance recommendations from ship-borne tourism ATME			Ongoing consideration of ATME outcomes under relevant agenda items								
Global Pressure: Climate change	1		Ongoing consideration of ATME outcomes under relevant agenda items		Ongoing consideration of ATME outcomes under relevant agenda items		Standing agenda item		Standing agenda item		Standing agenda item
Actions: 1. Consider implications of climate change for management of Antarctic environment 2. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											

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Processing new and revised protected / managed area management plans	1	SGMP conducts work as per agreed work plan (ref CEP XIII Final report)	Consideration of SGMP report	SGMP / conducts work as per agreed work plan	Consideration of SGMP / report	SGMP / conducts work as per agreed work plan	Consideration of SGMP / report	SGMP / conducts work as per agreed work plan	Consideration of SGMP / report	SGMP / conducts work as per agreed work plan	
Actions: 1. Refine the process for reviewing new and revised management plans. 2. Update existing guidelines. 3. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											
Marine spatial protection and management	1	1. Send relevant papers to WG EMM (26 Jul-3 August, Cape Town). 2. CEP Observer to attend WG-EMM 3. CEP ASMA workshop to consider application of ASMA concept to marine management.	Review CEP Observer reports to WG-EMM and SC-CAMLR	1. Send relevant papers to SC-CAMLR MPA workshop (Jul or Aug 2011). 2. CEP Observer to attend MPA Workshop and WG-EMM	Review CEP Observer reports to WG-EMM, MPA workshop and SC-CAMLR						
Actions: 1. Cooperate with CCAMLR on Southern Ocean bioregionalisation. 2. Identify processes for MPA designation. 3. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME.											

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Operation of the CEP and Strategic Planning	1		<p align="center">Standing item</p> <p>Review and revise work plan as appropriate</p>		<p align="center">Standing item</p> <p>Review and revise work plan as appropriate</p>		<p align="center">Standing item</p> <p>Review and revise work plan as appropriate</p>		<p align="center">Standing item</p> <p>Review and revise work plan as appropriate</p>		<p align="center">Standing item</p> <p>Review and revise work plan as appropriate</p>
Human footprint / wilderness management	2	Consideration by interested Parties	<p>Review future actions based on intersessional work</p> <p>Secretariat summary report of information exchanged on inventory of past activities</p>				<p align="center">Agreement on terms 'footprint' and 'wilderness'</p>				

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Maintain the list of Historic Sites and Monuments	2	Interseasonal discussion of HSM 37	Standing item		Standing item		Standing item		Standing item		Standing item
Actions: 1. Maintain the list and consider new proposals as they arise.											
Monitoring and state of the environment reporting	2		Report from SCAR regarding SC-ADM support for CEP work								
Actions: 1. Identify key environmental indicators 2. Establish a process for reporting to the ATCM 3. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											

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Exchange of Information	2	Commence 100% use of EIES	Secretariat Report		Secretariat Report		Secretariat Report		Secretariat Report		Secretariat Report
Actions: 1. Assign to the Secretariat.											
Biodiversity knowledge	2										
Actions: 1. Maintain awareness of threats to existing biodiversity. 2. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											

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Site specific guidelines for tourist-visited sites	2	Continue ICG to review Recommendation XVIII-1	Review ICG work. Make recommendations to ATCM Plan future work on basis of ICG work								
Actions: 1. Review site specific guidelines as required. 2. Provide advice to ATCM as required.											
Implementing and improving the EIA provisions of Annex I	3	Establish ICG to review draft CEEs as required	Consideration of ICG report on draft CEE, as required	Establish ICG to review draft CEEs as required	Consideration of ICG report on draft CEE, as required	Establish ICG to review draft CEEs as required	Consideration of ICG report on draft CEE, as required	Establish ICG to review draft CEEs as required	Consideration of ICG report on draft CEE, as required	Establish ICG to review draft CEEs as required	Consideration of ICG report on draft CEE, as required
Actions: 1. Refine the process for considering CEEs and advising the ATCM accordingly. 2. Develop guidelines for assessing cumulative impacts. 3. Keep the EIA Guidelines under review. 4. Consider application of strategic environmental assessment in Antarctica. 5. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											

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Specially protected species	3										
Actions: 1. Consider listing / de-listing proposals as required.											
Overview of the protected areas system / EDA	3								Discuss possible implications of an updated gap analysis based on EDA		
Actions: 1. Apply the Environmental Domains Analysis (EDA) to enhance the protected areas system. 2. Advance recommendations from climate change ATME											
Emergency response action and contingency planning	3		Review outcomes of ATCM XXXIII consideration of ATME report								
Actions: 1. Advance recommendations from ship-borne tourism ATME											

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Updating the Protocol and reviewing Annexes	3						Requires CEP discussion on the need and aims for reviewing Protocol annexes				
Actions: 1. Prepare a prioritized timetable for the review of the remaining annexes.											
Inspections (Article 14 of the Protocol)	3		Standing item		Standing item		Standing item		Standing item		Standing item
Actions: 1. Review inspection reports as required.											
Energy management	4				COMNAP report presented to CEP – dedicated time for discussion						
Actions: 1. Develop best-practice guidelines for energy management at stations and bases.											

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Outreach and education	4										
Actions: 1. Review current examples and identify opportunities for greater education and outreach.									Dedicated time for discussion		
Waste	5										
Actions: 1. Develop guidelines for best practice disposal of waste including human waste.									COMNAP report requested		COMNAP report presented to CEP – dedicated time for discussion
Clean up of sites of past activity	5										
Actions: 1. Establish Antarctic-wide inventory of sites of past activity. 2. Develop guidelines for best practice approach to clean up.			Secretariat summary report of information exchanged on inventory of past activities								Secretariat requested to develop and maintain an inventory COMNAP report on best practice requested