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Agenda item 14
Digital sequence information on genetic resources**

**Decision adopted by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on
Biological Diversity serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya
Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable
Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization on 27 February 2025**

NP-5/14. Digital sequence information on genetic resources

*The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol,
Recalling its decision [NP-4/6](#) of 19 December 2022,*

*Noting the outcome of the deliberations of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on
Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources,¹*

*Takes note of decision [16/2](#) of 1 November 2024 of the Conference of the Parties to the
Convention on Biological Diversity² on digital sequence information on genetic resources, by which
the Conference of the Parties to the Convention adopted the modalities for operationalizing the
multilateral mechanism for the fair and equitable sharing of benefits from the use of digital sequence
information on genetic resources, including the Cali Fund.*

¹ See recommendation [2/1](#) of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1760, No. 30619.