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Background

The HELCOM indicator workshop (HELCOM Indicator WS 1-2019 on 14-15 May 2019 in Berlin) takes place to initiate the future work on HELCOM indicators, as endorsed by HOD 54-2018 ([Outcomes paragraph 4.25](#), [document 4-5](#)). This first workshop will be followed by a second workshop (autumn 2019), which will finalize the planning for the HELCOM indicator development.

The workshop documents are now available at the [HELCOM Indicator WS 1-2019 meeting site](#) and a '[Purpose](#)' document is provided to guide the aims of the workshop. A number of other relevant supporting documents are also provided to facilitate discussions and priority setting at the workshop, as set out in Annex 1 of the purpose document.

Members of the Working Group, and registered participants of this Working Group Meeting should have access to the [document library for the indicator workshop](#).

Action requested

The Meeting is invited to

- take note and consider the progress under the indicator review work and review the background material prepared for the HELCOM workshops for indicators that takes place in May 2019 and fall 2019 with the intention of providing any remaining comments to the workshop.

