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Request to
support Motion 023

Wetlands and their potential to tackle climate and biodiversity crises

Electronic voting: August 27 to September 10

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Please join us to support Motion 023: “Prioritising wetland conservation and restoration to tackle the dual climate and biodiversity crises”, submitted for consideration at the 2025 IUCN World Conservation Congress.



Why are wetlands and this motion important?

This motion recognizes the strategic and ecological value of wetlands to provide a wide range of ecosystem services essential for water security, food security, biodiversity and geodiversity preservation, disaster risk reduction, livelihood activities, traditional cultural practices, and economic development.

Furthermore, wetlands play a key role in carbon storage and regulation of greenhouse gases, as well as in balancing the Earth’s climate system, while degraded wetlands can become carbon emitters.

Your support will be key to promoting a robust international agenda towards the conservation and restoration of wetlands.

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