



Office of Legal Affairs
Division for Ocean Affairs
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“BBNJ deep dive series”

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 77/321, the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea of the Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations (DOALOS) is organizing a series of online briefings to promote a better understanding of the *Agreement under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction* (BBNJ Agreement). Following an initial briefing providing an overview of the BBNJ Agreement, a series of “deep dive” thematic briefings is being held, covering the main substantive parts of the Agreement.

The briefings are offered in three languages – English, French and Spanish – and are held virtually through the Microsoft Teams platform. Registration links are made available in due course at: un.org/Depts/los/bbnj.html (accessible by scanning the QR code below).

**Marine genetic resources,
including the fair and equitable
sharing of benefits**

English: 6 March 2024
French: 7 March 2024
Spanish: 12 March 2024

**Measures such as area-based
management tools, including
marine protected areas**

English: 2 April 2024
French: 4 April 2024
Spanish: 9 April 2024

**Environmental impact
assessments**

English: 7 May 2024
French: 8 May 2024
Spanish: 9 May 2024

Cross-cutting issues

English: 4 June 2024
French: 5 June 2024
Spanish: 6 June 2024

**Capacity-building and the transfer
of marine technology**

English: 16 July 2024
French: 17 July 2024
Spanish: 18 July 2024

Recordings of the briefings
are available on the temporary
webpage of the
BBNJ Agreement
(Scan the QR code)

