EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Opening of the meeting

Participants were welcomed by Mr. David Morgan, Officer-in-charge of CITES and Ms. Adrianne Sinclair, Chair of the Plants Committee, who delivered opening remarks.

The Chair of the Plants Committee, Ms. Sinclair, then opened the meeting.

The Committee noted that no member present declared any financial interests that he or she considered calling into question his or her impartiality, objectivity or independence regarding any subject on the meeting agenda.

1. **Agenda**
   
   The Committee adopted the agenda in document PC24 Doc. 1.

2. **Working programme**
   
   The Committee adopted the working programme in document PC24 Doc. 2.

3. **Rules of Procedure**
   
   The Committee adopted the Rules of Procedure of the Plants Committee contained in Annex 2 of document PC24 Doc. 3 (Rev. 1).

4. **Admission of observers**
   
   The Committee noted the list of observers provided in document PC24 Doc. 4 (Rev. 1).