U.S. Proposal for Intersessional Work on Mapping the Finance Landscape:

Draft Report Text:

The INC invites the Secretariat to undertake intersessional work describing and mapping the public and private finance landscape related to the objectives of the instrument. This will inform the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee about the diverse financial actors and approaches associated with resource mobilization, investment and innovative financial approaches across the plastic lifecycle at the regional, national and subnational levels. The modality of the work will be a series of regional webinars on:

1. The links between plastic pollution interventions at each stage of the plastic life cycle and the financial actors involved;
2. The links between those financial actors and the financial tools used to incentivize and support plastic pollution interventions;
3. The current distribution of existing financial flows from the public and private sectors, across major interventions in the plastic life cycle, based on available data.

The Secretariat is requested to summarize the information provided through the webinars and make such information available ahead of the fourth session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee. The work will not prejudge the obligations or structure of the legally binding instrument.