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This paper deals with points not covered by substantive items on the agenda. Numbers relate to the confidential minutes of the September 2008 meeting.

- 7.5 (i) An information paper (JNCC 08 NO8) has been circulated to Committee since the last meeting setting out an amendment to one of the recommended changes to Schedule 5 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act. This change results from protection recently provided to the species by its addition to the Habitats Regulations as a European Protected Species.

Since the last meeting one further information paper has been circulated to Committee as follows:

JNCC 08 NO7: Conferences and Meetings of the Parties to Multilateral Environmental Agreements in 2008: Common Themes and Approaches