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**Convening of the thirty-first Meeting of States Parties**

The Secretary-General of the United Nations communicates the following, pursuant to rule 5 (Notification) of the Rules of Procedure for Meetings of States Parties ([SPLOS/2/Rev.4](#)):

The thirty-first Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea is scheduled to be held in New York from 21 to 25 June 2021, pursuant to General Assembly resolution [A/RES/75/239](#) of 31 December 2020, paragraph 56.

In light of the continuing situation related to the COVID-19 pandemic, the dates, duration and format of the Meeting of States Parties are yet to be confirmed. Once such details are confirmed, this notification will be integrated with a follow-up notification containing detailed information on the arrangements for the thirty-first session.

*Provisional agenda*

The provisional agenda of the Meeting is contained in document SPLOS/31/L.1 available through the Official Document System of the United Nations (<http://documents.un.org>).

*Documents*

The documents referred to in the provisional agenda will be made available in due course at [https://www.un.org/Depts/los/meeting\\_states\\_parties/meeting\\_states\\_parties.htm](https://www.un.org/Depts/los/meeting_states_parties/meeting_states_parties.htm).

All documents concerning the current and past Meetings can be found at <https://documents.un.org/> as well as the above-referred web page.

   
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