

Intergovernmental Conference on an International Legally Binding

As observed by many delegations, we were able to achieve consensus and convergence around many areas of divergence/uncertainty, (particularly on the bracketed text) in a spirit of mutual cooperation which gives us cause for optimism that these discussions signal a round of discussions on an International Legally binding Instrument on the BBNJ which meaningfully opens a new window to a hitherto under exploited, unaffordable resource for many jurisdictions which have little or no benefit although the resource it is said ,ostensibly, is a global common ,for the common good of humanity. We need to underscore the principle that the equitable sharing of the resources on the basis of an ine.c /8(i)gibrce

resource