

SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR IMPLEMENTATION

Fifteenth session

Marrakesh, 29 October - 6 November 2001

Agenda item 6 (b)

**NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM PARTIES NOT INCLUDED
IN ANNEX I TO THE CONVENTION**

**REPORT OF THE CONSULTATIVE GROUP OF EXPERTS TO THE
SUBSIDIARY BODIES**

Draft conclusions proposed by the Chairman

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) expressed its gratitude to the Consultative Group of Experts (CGE) for its excellent work and for its report containing recommendations for improving national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. The SBI also commended the secretariat for the significant support it had provided to the CGE in the discharge of its mandate as contained in the terms of reference annexed to decision 8/CP.5.
2. The SBI agreed to recommend two draft decisions for adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its seventh session: a decision on the revision of the guidelines for the preparation of national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (FCCC/SBI/2001/CRP.5) and a decision on the Consultative Group of Experts (CGE) (FCCC/SBI/2001/CRP.6).
