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Draft conclusion proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) took note of the information contained in document FCCC/SBI/2009/INF.2 and its annex on activities relating to the review of information submitted by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention (Annex I Parties) under the Kyoto Protocol on greenhouse gas (GHG) emission inventories and other elements of annual reporting, which includes information on the planned and prioritized activities to manage the reporting and review processes for 2010–2011. It also noted the information on the planned and prioritized activities to manage the reporting and review processes under the Convention in 2010–2011, as presented in document FCCC/SBSTA/2009/INF.2.
2. The SBI reemphasized the urgent need to strengthen the secretariat's capacity to manage the reporting and review processes (including the training for members of expert review teams (ERTs) participating in annual reviews under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol, planning and conducting the reviews, organizing the lead reviewers' meetings and the further development of the GHG information system) and to prioritize these fundamental activities.¹
3. The SBI requested the secretariat to continue to support the reporting and review processes by implementing the following activities:
 - (a) Facilitate the work of the lead reviewers, including by organizing their annual meetings and preparing analytical materials on review activities under the Kyoto Protocol;
 - (b) Implement the updated training programme under the Kyoto Protocol referred to in paragraph 8 below;

¹ FCCC/SBI/2008/19, paragraphs 113 and 114.

- (c) Manage the reporting and review processes, including through the provision of data reports and review tools under the Kyoto Protocol to the ERTs and by improving these reports and tools based on feedback from ERTs and lead reviewers.
- 4. The SBI requested the secretariat to implement the following additional activities, subject to the availability of resources:
 - (a) Enhance the training for members of ERTs participating in annual reviews under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol, by providing instructors for the courses for one of the training periods in a year, as referred to in the annex to the draft decision referred to in paragraph 8 below;
 - (b) Prepare analytical materials on review activities under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4, of the Kyoto Protocol, including adjustments procedures, for the lead reviewers' meetings.
- 5. The SBI invited Annex I Parties in a position to do so to provide the necessary supplementary funding for the activities referred to in paragraph 4 above.
- 6. The SBI reiterated its request to Parties to nominate experts to the roster of experts and to update the roster at least once a year. The SBI encouraged Parties to make available as many GHG inventory review experts as feasible for the review process.
- 7. The SBI requested the secretariat to add a dedicated page on its website with information on the training for members of ERTs participating in annual reviews under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol, including procedures for the nomination of experts to the roster of experts, scheduled courses and periods for the online examinations.
- 8. The SBI decided to recommend a draft decision on the training programme for members of ERTs participating in annual reviews under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol, for adoption by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol at its fifth session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/SBI/2009/L.5/Add.1).
