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II. Background

- 1. The Conference of the Parties (COP), by its decision 1/CP.13 (the Bali Action Plan), launched a comprehensive process, to be conducted under the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention (AWG-LCA), to enable the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action now, up to and beyond 2012, in order to reach an agreed outcome and adopt a decision at its fifteenth session.¹
- 2. By its decision 1/CP.16, the COP requested the AWG-LCA to continue its work, drawing on the documents under its consideration, with a view to carrying out the undertakings contained in that decision and present the results to the COP for consideration at its seventeenth session.²
- 3. At its first meeting in 2011, the Bureau of the COP agreed for formal sessions of the ad hoc working groups and pre-sessional workshops to be held from 3 to 8 April 2011 in Bangkok, Thailand.³

III. Annotations to the provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session

4. The fourteenth session of the AWG-LCA will be opened by the Chair on Tuesday, 5 April 2011, at the United Nations Conference Centre at the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific in Bangkok, Thailand.

2. Organizational matters

(a) Adoption of the agenda

5. The provisional agenda for the session will be presented for adoption.

At its fifteenth session, the COP decided to extend the mandate of the AWG-LCA to enable it to continue its work with a view to presenting the outcome of its work to the COP for adoption at its sixteenth session (decision 1/CP.15, para. 1).

² Decision 1/CP.16, paragraphs 143 and 144.

Additional information on the workshops can be found on the UNFCCC website: http://unfccc.int/meetings/ad_hoc_working_groups/lca/items/4381.php.

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	Executive Secretary

(b) Organization of the work of the session

- 6. *Background*: The AWG-LCA will meet in an opening plenary on Tuesday, 5 April 2011.
- 7. Delegates are invited to consult the note prepared by the Chair of the AWG-LCA on the scenario for the fourteenth session of the AWG-LCA (FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/2) for further information and proposals on the organization of the work of the session.⁴
- 8. Further, delegates are invited to refer to the overview of the session posted on the UNFCCC website and to consult the Daily Programme, published during the session, as well as the CCTV for a detailed and up-to-date schedule of the work of the AWG-LCA.
- 9. The fourteenth session of the AWG-LCA will be organized in accordance with the recommendations made by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) at its thirty-second session.⁵
- 10. The second part of the fourteenth session of the AWG-LCA will be held in conjunction with the second part of the sixteenth session of the AWG-KP and the thirty-fourth sessions of the SBI and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice. The exact dates of the resumed sessions of the ad hoc working groups will be announced in due course.
- 11. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to agree on the organization of the work of the session.

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3. Global goal for emission reductions and global peaking

- 12. At its sixteenth session, the COP recognized that deep cuts in global greenhouse gas emissions are required according to science, and as documented in the Fourth Assessment Report of the Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change, with a view to reducing global greenhouse gas emissions so as to hold the increase in global average temperature below 2°C above pre-industrial levels, and that Parties should take urgent action to meet this long-term goal, consistent with science and on the basis of equity.
- 13. The COP agreed, in the context of the long-term goal and the ultimate objective of the Convention and the Bali Action Plan, to work towards identifying a global goal for substantially reducing global emissions by 2050, and to consider it at its seventeenth session.⁶
- 14. The COP also agreed to work towards identifying a timeframe for global peaking of greenhouse gas emissions based on the best available scientific knowledge and equitable access to sustainable development, and to consider it at its seventeenth session.⁷
- 15. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to prepare elements for a draft decision for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session of the global goal for emission reductions and global peaking.

⁴ To be issued.

⁵ FCCC/SBI/2010/10, paragraphs 164 and 165.

⁶ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 5.

⁷ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 6.

4. Adaptation Committee

- 16. *Background*: At its sixteenth session, the COP established the Cancun Adaptation Framework, with the objective of enhancing action on adaptation, including through international cooperation and coherent consideration of matters relating to adaptation under the Convention. The Framework encompasses provisions related to the implementation of, and support for, adaptation, including, inter alia, national adaptation plans, institutional arrangements at the global, regional and national levels, a work programme to consider approaches to address loss and damage, engagement of stakeholders, and reporting on adaptation activities undertaken as well as on support provided and received.⁸
- 17. The COP further established, as part of the Cancun Adaptation Framework, an Adaptation Committee to promote the implementation of enhanced action on adaptation in a coherent manner under the Convention through, inter alia, the functions referred to in decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 20(a)–(e).
- 18. The COP invited Parties to submit to the secretariat views on the composition of, and modalities and procedures for, the Adaptation Committee, including on proposed linkages with other relevant institutional arrangements, and requested the secretariat to compile these submissions into a miscellaneous document and to prepare a synthesis report based on those submissions.
- 19. The COP requested the AWG-LCA, taking into account the above-mentioned submissions and synthesis report, to elaborate the composition of, and modalities and procedures for, the Adaptation Committee, for adoption by the COP at its seventeenth session.¹¹ It further requested the AWG-LCA to define, as appropriate, linkages between the Adaptation Committee and other relevant institutional arrangements under and outside of the Convention, including at the national and regional levels.¹²
- 20. Action: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the preparation of a draft decision for adoption by the COP at its seventeenth session on the composition of, and modalities and procedures for, the Adaptation Committee, including linkages with other relevant institutional arrangements under and outside of the Convention, including at the national and regional levels.

FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/3	Synthesis report on the composition of, and modalities and procedures for, the Adaptation Committee, including linkages with other relevant institutional arrangements. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/MISC.1	Views on the composition of, and modalities and procedures for, the Adaptation Committee, including linkages with other relevant institutional arrangements. Submissions from Parties

5. Work programme on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention

21. *Background*: At its sixteenth session, the COP decided, building on existing reporting and review guidelines, processes and experiences, to enhance reporting in the national communications of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention on mitigation

⁸ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraphs 13–35.

⁹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 21.

Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 22.

¹¹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 23.

¹² Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 24.

targets and on the provision of financial, technological and capacity-building support to developing country Parties.¹³ The COP also decided to enhance the guidelines for the reporting of information in national communications by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention.¹⁴

- 22. The COP further decided to enhance guidelines for the review of information in national communications.¹⁵
- 23. In addition, the COP decided to establish a process for international assessment of emissions and removals related to quantified economy-wide emissions reductions targets in the SBI.¹⁶
- 24. In order to develop the modalities and guidelines referred to in paragraphs 21 to 23 above, the COP decided on a work programme addressing:¹⁷
- (a) The revision of guidelines, as necessary, on the reporting of national communications, including the biennial report:
 - (i) The provision of financing, through enhanced common reporting formats, methodologies for finance and tracking of climate-related support;
 - (ii) Supplementary information on achievement of quantified economy-wide emission reductions targets;
 - (iii) Information on national inventory arrangements;
- (b) The revision of guidelines for the review of national communications, including the biennial report, annual greenhouse gas inventories and national inventory systems;
 - (c) The establishment of guidelines for national inventory arrangements;
- (d) Modalities and procedures for international assessment and review of emissions and removals related to quantified economy-wide emission reductions targets in accordance with paragraph 44 of decision 1/CP.16, including the role of land use, land-use change and forestry, and carbon credits from market-based mechanisms, taking into account international experience.
- 25. The COP invited Parties to submit views on the items mentioned in paragraph 24 above, including with respect to the initial scheduling of the processes described in chapter III.A¹⁸ of decision 1/CP.16.¹⁹
- 26. The COP also requested the secretariat to organize workshops to clarify the assumptions and the conditions related to the attainment of quantified emission reduction targets to be implemented by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention,²⁰ including the use of carbon credits from the market-based mechanisms and land use, land-use change and forestry activities, and options and ways to increase their level of ambition.²¹ The first of

¹³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 40.

¹⁴ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 41.

¹⁵ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 42.

Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 44.

Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 46.

Entitled "Enhanced action on mitigation. Nationally appropriate mitigation commitments or actions by developed country Parties".

Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 47.

²⁰ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 36.

²¹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 38.

these workshops is scheduled to take place on Sunday, 3 April 2011, in Bangkok, Thailand 22

27. Action: In collaboration with the SBI the AWG-LCA will be invited to prepare elements for a draft decision for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention outlined in paragraph 24 above.

FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/MISC.6 Views on the items relating to a work programme for the development of modalities and guidelines listed in decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 46. Submissions from Parties

6. Work programme on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention

- 28. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, decided to enhance reporting in national communications, including inventories, from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention on mitigation actions and their effects, and support received; with additional flexibility to be given to the least developed country Parties and small island developing states.²³
- 29. The COP also decided that internationally supported mitigation actions will be measured, reported and verified domestically and will be subject to international measurement, reporting and verification in accordance with guidelines to be developed under the Convention.²⁴
- 30. The COP further decided that domestically supported mitigation actions will be measured, reported and verified domestically in accordance with general guidelines to be developed under the Convention.²⁵
- 31. In addition, the COP decided to conduct a process for international consultations and analysis of biennial reports in the SBI, in a manner that is non-intrusive, non-punitive and respectful of national sovereignty; the international consultations and analysis aim to increase transparency of mitigation actions and their effects.²⁶
- 32. In order to develop the modalities and guidelines referred to in paragraphs 28 to 31 above, the COP decided on a work programme addressing:²⁷
- (a) Facilitation of support to nationally appropriate mitigation actions through a registry;
- (b) Measurement, reporting and verification of supported actions and corresponding support;
- (c) Biennial reports as part of the national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention;
- (d) Domestic verification of mitigation actions undertaken with domestic resources; and

Further information on these workshops can be found on the UNFCCC website: http://unfccc.int/meetings/ad_hoc_working_groups/lca/items/4381.php.

²³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 60.

²⁴ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 61.

²⁵ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 62.

²⁶ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 63.

²⁷ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 66.

- (e) International consultation and analysis.
- 33. The COP invited Parties to submit views on the items mentioned in paragraph 32 above, including with respect to the initial scheduling of the processes relating to chapter III.B²⁸ of decision 1/CP.16.²⁹
- 34. The COP also requested the secretariat to organize workshops to understand the diversity of mitigation actions submitted, underlying assumptions and any support needed for the implementation of these actions, noting different national circumstances and the respective capabilities of developing country Parties.³⁰ The first of these workshops is scheduled to take place on Monday, 4 April 2011, in Bangkok, Thailand.³¹
- 35. *Action*: In collaboration with the SBI the AWG-LCA will be invited to prepare elements for a draft decision for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention outlined in paragraph 32 above.

FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/MISC.7	Views on the items relating to a work programme for
	the development of modalities and guidelines listed in
	decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 66. Submissions from
	Parties

7. Registry

- 36. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, decided to set up a registry to record nationally appropriate mitigation actions seeking international support and to facilitate matching of finance, technology and capacity-building support to these actions.³²
- 37. The COP invited developing country Parties to submit to the secretariat information on nationally appropriate mitigation actions for which they are seeking support, along with estimated costs and emission reductions, and the anticipated time frame for implementation.³³ It also invited developed country Parties to submit to the secretariat information on support available and provided for nationally appropriate mitigation action³⁴. The COP requested the secretariat to record and regularly update in the registry, the information provided by Parties.³⁵
- 38. The COP further agreed to develop modalities for the facilitation of support through the registry referred to in paragraph 36 above, including any functional relationship with the financial mechanism.³⁶ The development of these modalities is included in the work programme on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention outlined in paragraph 32 above.

Entitled "Enhanced action on mitigation. Nationally appropriate mitigation actions by developing country Parties".

²⁹ Decision 1/CP.16 paragraph 67.

³⁰ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 51.

Further information on these workshops can be found on the UNFCCC website: http://unfccc.int/meetings/ad_hoc_working_groups/lca/items/4381.php.

³² Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 53.

³³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 54.

Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 55.

³⁵ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 56.

³⁶ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 57.

- 39. The COP also decided to recognize nationally appropriate mitigation actions of developing countries in a separate section of the registry referred to in paragraph 36 above.³⁷
- 40. Action: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the consideration of the structure and functioning of the registry, including modalities for facilitation of support through the registry and any functional relationship with the financial mechanism, with a view to preparing a draft decision for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.

8. Financing options for the full implementation of mitigation action in the forest sector

- 41. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, encouraged developing country Parties to contribute to mitigation actions in the forest sector by undertaking the following activities, as deemed appropriate by each Party and in accordance with their respective capabilities and national circumstances:
 - (a) Reducing emissions from deforestation;
 - (b) Reducing emissions from forest degradation;
 - (c) Conservation of forest carbon stocks;
 - (d) Sustainable management of forest;
 - (e) Enhancement of forest carbon stocks.³⁸
- 42. The COP decided that the activities referred to in paragraph 41 above should be implemented in phases beginning with the development of national strategies or action plans, policies and measures, and capacity-building, followed by the implementation of national policies and measures and national strategies or action plans that could involve further capacity-building, technology development and transfer and results-based demonstration activities, and evolving into results-based actions that should be fully measured, reported and verified.³⁹
- 43. The COP requested the AWG-LCA to explore financing options for the full implementation of the results-based actions referred to in paragraph 42 above and to report on progress made, including any recommendations for draft decisions on this matter, to the COP at its seventeenth session.⁴⁰
- 44. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to explore possible financing options referred to in paragraph 43 above with a view to reporting on progress made, including any recommendations for draft decisions on this matter, to the COP at its seventeenth session.

9. Standing Committee

45. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, decided to establish a Standing Committee under the COP to assist it in exercising its functions with respect to the financial mechanism of the Convention in terms of improving coherence and coordination in the delivery of climate change financing, rationalization of the financial mechanism, mobilization of financial resources and measurement, reporting and verification of support provided to developing country Parties. Parties agreed to further define the roles and functions of this Standing Committee.⁴¹

³⁷ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 58.

³⁸ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 70.

³⁹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 73.

⁴⁰ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 77.

⁴¹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 112.

46. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to prepare elements for a draft decision regarding the Standing Committee for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.

10. Market-based and non-market-based mechanisms

- 47. The COP, by its decision 1/CP.16, decided to consider the establishment, at its seventeenth session, of one or more market-based mechanisms to enhance the cost-effectiveness of, and to promote, mitigation actions, taking into account the issues contained in paragraph 80 of that same decision, and requested the AWG-LCA to elaborate such a mechanism or mechanisms with a view to recommending a draft decision or decisions to the COP at its seventeenth session. The COP invited Parties and accredited observer organizations to submit to the secretariat their views on these matters.
- 48. By the same decision, the COP decided to consider the establishment, at its seventeenth session, of one or more non-market-based mechanisms to enhance the cost-effectiveness of, and to promote, mitigation actions and requested the AWG-LCA to elaborate such a mechanism or mechanisms with a view to recommending a draft decision or decisions to the COP at its seventeenth session.⁴⁴ The COP invited Parties and accredited observer organizations to submit to the secretariat their views on these matters.⁴⁵
- 49. By the same decision, the COP also invited Parties and accredited observer organizations to submit to the secretariat information on the evaluation of various approaches in enhancing the cost-effectiveness of, and promoting, mitigation actions, including activities implemented jointly under Article 4, paragraph 2(a), of the Convention and any other relevant activities, for synthesis by the secretariat.⁴⁶
- 50. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the preparation of one or more draft decisions on market-based and non-market-based mechanisms for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.

FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/4 FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/MISC.2	Synthesis report on information on various approaches in enhancing the cost-effectiveness of, and promoting, mitigation actions. Note by the secretariat Views on the elaboration of market-based mechanisms. Submissions from Parties
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⁴² Decision 1/CP.16, paragraphs 80–81.

⁴³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 82.

⁴⁴ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraphs 84–85.

⁴⁵ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 86.

⁴⁶ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 87.

11. Arrangements to fully operationalize the Technology Mechanism

- 51. *Background*: By its decision 1/CP.16, the COP decided to establish a Technology Mechanism to facilitate the implementation of enhanced action on technology development and transfer to support action on mitigation and adaptation in order to achieve the full implementation of the Convention, and that the Technology Mechanism will consist of a Technology Executive Committee and a Climate Technology Centre and Network.⁴⁷ The COP also decided that the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, consistent with their respective functions, should facilitate the effective implementation of the Technology Mechanism, under the guidance of the COP.⁴⁸
- 52. The COP underlined the importance of continued dialogue among Parties through the AWG-LCA under its work programme in 2011 on technology development and transfer, including on the following matters, with a view to the COP taking a decision at its seventeenth session, in order to make the Technology Mechanism fully operational in 2012.⁴⁹
- (a) The relationship between the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, and their reporting lines;
- (b) The governance structure and terms of reference for the Climate Technology Centre and Network and how the Climate Technology Centre will relate to the Network;
- (c) The procedure for calls for proposals and the criteria to be used to evaluate and select the host of the Climate Technology Centre and Network;
- (d) The potential links between the Technology Mechanism and the financial mechanism;
- (e) Consideration of additional functions for the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network.
- 53. By the same decision, the COP requested the AWG-LCA to convene an expert workshop, in conjunction with one of its sessions in 2011, on the matters contained in paragraph 52 above, drawing upon the preliminary work undertaken by the Expert Group on Technology Transfer, and to report on the results of this workshop at that session. ⁵⁰ This expert workshop is scheduled to take place on 4–5 April 2011, in Bangkok, Thailand. ⁵¹
- 54. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the preparation of a draft decision on arrangements to fully operationalize the Technology Mechanism⁵² for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.

FCCC/AWGLCA/2011/INF.2	Report of the expert workshop on the Technology
	Mechanism. Note by the Chair of the Ad Hoc Working
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⁴⁷ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraphs 113–117.

⁴⁸ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 118.

⁴⁹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 128.

⁵⁰ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 129.

Further information on this workshop can be found on the UNFCCC website: http://unfccc.int/meetings/ad_hoc_working_groups/lca/items/4381.php.

⁵² By decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 125, the COP decided that the Technology Executive Committee will elaborate its modalities and procedures for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.

12. Capacity-building

- 55. *Background*: The COP, by its decision 1/CP.16, requested the AWG-LCA to consider ways to further enhance the monitoring and review of the effectiveness of capacity-building for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.⁵³
- 56. By the same decision, the COP requested the AWG-LCA to further elaborate the modalities regarding institutional arrangements for capacity-building for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session.⁵⁴
- 57. In parallel with the work of the AWG-LCA, capacity-building will be considered by the SBI in the context of the second comprehensive review of the implementation of the framework for capacity-building in developing countries as contained in the annex to decision 2/CP.7, which is to be completed by the COP at its seventeenth session.
- 58. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the preparation of a draft decision or decisions for consideration by the COP at its seventeenth session on enhancement of the monitoring and review of the effectiveness of capacity-building, and on modalities regarding institutional arrangements for capacity-building.

13. Review

- 59. *Background*: The COP, by its decision 1/CP.16, decided to periodically review the adequacy of the long-term global goal referred to in paragraph 4 of the same decision, in the light of the ultimate objective of the Convention, and overall progress towards achieving it, in accordance with the relevant principles and provisions of the Convention.⁵⁵ It also recognized the need to consider, in the context of the first review, strengthening the long-term global goal on the basis of the best available scientific knowledge, including in relation to a global average temperature rise of 1.5°C.⁵⁶
- 60. The COP further decided that the review should be guided by the principles of equity, and common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities and take into account, inter alia:
- (a) The best available scientific knowledge, including the assessment reports of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change;
 - (b) Observed impacts of climate change;
- (c) An assessment of the overall aggregated effect of the steps taken by Parties in order to achieve the ultimate objective of the Convention;
- (d) Consideration of strengthening the long-term global goal, referencing various matters presented by the science, including in relation to temperature rises of 1.5° C. ⁵⁷
- 61. The COP requested the AWG-LCA to further define the scope of this review and develop its modalities, including the required inputs, with a view to their adoption by the COP at its seventeenth session.⁵⁸
- 62. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to initiate the preparation of a draft decision that further defines the scope of the review and its modalities, with a view to its adoption by the COP at its seventeenth session.

⁵³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 136.

⁵⁴ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 137.

⁵⁵ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 138.

⁵⁶ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 4.

⁵⁷ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 139.

⁵⁸ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 140.

14. Issues relating to Parties with economies in transition and Parties with special circumstances

- 63. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, requested the AWG-LCA to continue consideration of issues concerning Parties included in Annex I to the Convention undergoing the process of transition to a market economy, with a view to promoting access of these Parties to technology, capacity-building and finance in order to enhance their ability to develop low-emission economies.⁵⁹
- 64. Further, the COP requested the AWG-LCA to continue consideration of issues relating to Turkey⁶⁰, with a view to promoting access by Turkey to finance, technology and capacity-building in order to enhance its ability to better implement the Convention.⁶¹
- 65. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to continue consideration of the issues referred to in paragraphs 63 and 64 above with a view to promoting access of the Parties concerned to technology, capacity-building and finance as outlined in those paragraphs.

15. Legal options

- 66. *Background*: The COP, at its sixteenth session, requested the AWG-LCA to continue discussing legal options with the aim of completing an agreed outcome based on decision 1/CP.13 (the Bali Action Plan), the work undertaken at the sixteenth session of the COP and proposals made by Parties⁶² under Article 17 of the Convention.⁶³
- 67. *Action*: The AWG-LCA will be invited to continue discussing legal options with the aim of completing an agreed outcome.

16. Other matters

68. Any other matters arising during the session will be taken up under this item.

17. Report on the session

- 69. *Background*: A draft report on the work of the session will be prepared for adoption by the AWG-LCA.
- 70. Action: The AWG-LCA will be invited to adopt the draft report and authorize the Rapporteur to complete the report, under the guidance of the Chair and with the assistance of the secretariat.

⁵⁹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 141.

Recalling, in this context, decision 26/CP.7 which invited Parties to recognize the special circumstances of Turkey and which places Turkey in a situation different from that of other Parties included in Annex I to the Convention.

⁶¹ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 142.

The proposals can be found in documents FCCC/CP/2009/3, FCCC/CP/2009/4, FCCC/CP/2009/5, FCCC/CP/2009/6, FCCC/CP/2009/7 and FCCC/CP/2010/3.

⁶³ Decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 145.

Annex

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Other documents before the session

FCCC/CP/2010/12 and Add.1 Report of the Conference of the Parties on its

sixteenth session, held in Cancun from 29

November to 10 December 2010

FCCC/CP/2010/3 Proposed protocol to the Convention submitted by

Grenada for adoption at the sixteenth session of the Conference of the Parties. Note by the

secretariat

FCCC/CP/2009/7 Draft implementing agreement under the

Convention prepared by the Government of the United States of America for adoption at the fifteenth session of the Conference of the Parties.

Note by the secretariat

FCCC/CP/2009/6 Draft protocol to the Convention prepared by the

Government of Costa Rica to be adopted at the fifteenth session of the Conference of the Parties.

Note by the secretariat

FCCC/CP/2009/5 Draft protocol to the Convention prepared by the

Government of Australia for adoption at the fifteenth session of the Conference of the Parties.

Note by the secretariat

FCCC/CP/2009/4 Draft protocol to the Convention presented by the

Government of Tuvalu under Article 17 of the

Convention. Note by the secretariat

FCCC/CP/2009/3 Draft protocol to the Convention prepared by the

Government of Japan for adoption at the fifteenth session of the Conference of the Parties. Note by

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FCCC/AWGLCA/2010/18 Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-

term Cooperative Action under the Convention on its thirteenth session, held in Cancun from 29

November to 10 December 2010

FCCC/AWGLCA/2010/MISC.8 Preparation of an outcome to be presented to the

Conference of the Parties for adoption at its sixteenth session to enable the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action now, up to and beyond 2012. Submissions from Parties

FCCC/AWGLCA/2010/MISC.6/Add.2 Preparation of an outcome to be presented to the

Conference of the Parties for adoption at its sixteenth session to enable the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action now, up to and beyond 2012 Submissions from Parties.

Addendum