

## **Report back agenda item 4 b: Discussions on the theme for 2017 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance**

### **Options for topics identified:**

- Framing of the forum in the context of how to achieve the goals as set out in Article 2 of the Paris Agreement;
- How to support the implementation of (I)NDCs?
- Possible phase II of previous forums, e.g. the 2016 forum, to address open questions;
- Climate finance in the context of sustainable development and available financing and mitigation and adaptation co-benefits;
- Access to and predictability of climate finance.

### **Proposed way forward:**

- Conduct further deliberations on an inter-sessional basis, including consultations within regional constituency;
- Finalize deliberations on the topic during SCF 14.

