

**Draft provisional agenda of the
Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technical Advice at its twenty-fourth session
Bonn, 18 to 26 May 2006**

1. Opening of the session
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda
 - (b) Organization of the work of the session
3. Five-year programme of work on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change
4. Development and transfer of technologies
5. Research and systematic observation
6. Reducing emissions from deforestation in developing countries
7. Methodological issues under the Convention:
 - (a) Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change guidelines for national greenhouse gas inventories
 - (b) Harvested wood products
 - (c) Emissions from fuel used for international aviation and maritime transport
 - (d) Scientific and methodological aspects of the proposal by Brazil
 - (e) Experience with reporting and review, and with training of experts
8. Methodological issues under the Kyoto Protocol:
 - (a) Implications of the establishment of new hydrochlorofluorocarbon-22 (HCFC-22) facilities seeking to obtain certified emission reductions for the destruction of hydrofluorocarbon-23 (HFC-23)
 - (b) The numerical value for forest management under Article 3, paragraph 4, of the Kyoto Protocol inscribed for Italy
9. Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of mitigation of climate change
10. Facilitating the exchange of information and the sharing of experiences on policies and measures of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention
11. Matters relating to Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol
12. Cooperation with relevant international organizations:
 - (a) International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States¹
 - (b) Special report on safeguarding the ozone layer and the global climate system: issues relating to hydrofluorocarbons and perfluorocarbons
 - (c) Cooperation with other conventions, scientific organizations and United Nations bodies
13. Other matters
14. Report on the session

¹ At the twenty-third session of the SBSTA there was no consensus to include this issue on the agenda. It was therefore held in abeyance. On a proposal by the Chair, the SBSTA decided that this issue be included on the provisional agenda of its twenty-fourth session.