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Agenda item 3 (a)

National communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention

Options for the review process

**Review processes during the period 2006–2007 for Parties included in Annex I
to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol**

Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation

The Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its twenty-third session, decided to recommend the following draft decision for adoption by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol at its first session.

Draft decision -/CMP.1

**Review processes during the period 2006–2007 for Parties included in Annex I
to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol**

The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling decisions 19/CP.7, 22/CP.7, 23/CP.7, 4/CP.8, 19/CP.8, 25/CP.8 and -/CP.11 (Review processes during the period 2006–2007 for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention),

Recognizing that the establishment of the assigned amount of Parties included in Annex B to the Kyoto Protocol pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8, of the Kyoto Protocol is of critical importance for the successful implementation of the Protocol,

Noting that Parties included in Annex I to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol will be subject to an in-country visit as part of the review of their initial reports which are submitted to facilitate, in accordance with decision -/CMP.1 (Modalities for the accounting of assigned

amounts under Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Kyoto Protocol), the calculation of their assigned amount pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8, of the Kyoto Protocol,

1. *Requests* the secretariat to organize, in accordance with the corresponding guidelines, the initial reviews under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol, in conjunction with the review of the greenhouse gas inventories submitted in 2006, while exercising a certain degree of flexibility in applying the agreed timelines, provided that each initial review is completed no later than one year from the date of the submission of the initial report and that Parties are accorded the time to comment on the draft review report as inscribed in the guidelines under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol;

2. *Requests* the secretariat to prepare the compilation and synthesis of supplementary information incorporated in fourth national communications submitted in accordance with Article 7, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol, for consideration at its third session (December 2007).
