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FOR ANNEX I PARTIES UNDER THE KYOTO PROTOCOL**

First session

Bonn, 17–25 May 2006

Agenda item 5

Report on the session

**Draft report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments
for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol on its first session**

Rapporteur: Mr. Evans Njewa (Malawi)

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(To be completed)

I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

A. Welcoming ceremony

1. The formal opening of the first session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol (AWG) on 17 May 2006 was preceded by a welcoming ceremony on 15 May 2006. Statements were made by Ms. Rona Ambrose, Minister of the Environment of Canada, President of the Conference of the Parties (COP) and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (COP/MOP); Mr. Sigmar Gabriel, Federal Minister for Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety of Germany; and Mr. Richard Kinley, Officer-in-Charge of the UNFCCC secretariat.

B. Opening of the session

2. The first session of the AWG was held at the Maritim Hotel, Bonn, Germany, from 17 to 25 May 2006. It was opened by Mr. Enele Sopoaga (Tuvalu), Vice-President of the COP and the COP/MOP, acting on behalf of the President.

(To be completed)

II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

A. Election of the Chair

(Agenda item 2 (a))

3. At its 1st meeting, on 17 May, on a proposal by the Vice-President, acting on behalf of the President, the AWG elected by acclamation Mr. Michael Zammit Cutajar (Malta) as its Chair.

B. Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda item 2 (b))

4. At its 2nd meeting, on 17 May, the AWG considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/KP/AWG/2006/1). At the same meeting, the agenda was adopted as follows:

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Election of the Chair;
 - (b) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (c) Organization of the work of the session;
 - (d) Election of officers other than the Chair.
3. Planning of future work.
4. Other matters.
5. Report on the session.

C. Organization of the work of the session

(Agenda item 2 (c))

(To be completed)

D. Election of officers other than the Chair

(Agenda item 2 (d))

5. At its 1st meeting, on 17 May, on a proposal by the Vice-President, acting on behalf of the President, the AWG elected by acclamation Mr. Luiz Alberto Figueiredo Machado (Brazil) as its Vice-Chair.

6. At its 3rd meeting, on 23 May, the Chair informed the AWG that agreement had been reached among the regional groups and proposed the nominee for election as Rapporteur. The AWG elected Mr. Evans Njewa (Malawi) as its Rapporteur.

(To be completed)

III. Planning of future work

(Agenda item 3)

(To be completed)

IV. Other matters

(Agenda item 4)

(To be completed)

V. Report on the session

(Agenda item 5)

7. At its xx meeting, on xx May, the AWG considered the draft report on its first session (FCCC/KP/AWG/2006/L.1). At the same meeting, on a proposal by the Chair, the AWG authorized the Rapporteur to complete the report on the session, with the assistance of the secretariat and under the guidance of the Chair.

Annexes

(To be completed)
