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Greenhouse gas data interface

Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) took note of document FCCC/SBSTA/2006/MISC.6 containing views on an interface to greenhouse gas (GHG) inventory data, and of the oral report provided by the secretariat on progress in implementing the data interface.
2. The SBSTA requested the secretariat to continue to improve access to and regularly update GHG inventory information through the UNFCCC website. It recalled its request to the secretariat (FCCC/SBSTA/2004/13, para. 58) to develop a simple and user-friendly interface available on the UNFCCC website and on CD-ROM to assist Parties to search and sort available GHG inventory data. The SBSTA requested the secretariat to present the data interface to Parties by the end of 2006 with a view to making it fully operational before the first sessional period in 2007 (May 2007).
3. The SBSTA, recalling its request for views at SBSTA 21 (FCCC/SBSTA/2004/13, para. 58 (b)), and subject to the data interface being presented by the secretariat by the end of 2006, invited Parties to provide to the secretariat, by 23 February 2007, views on the data interface, on possible improvements, including the extent of its scope and coverage, and on next steps in progressing work on the data interface.
4. The SBSTA agreed to continue to consider the further development of the data interface at its twenty-sixth session (May 2007), with a view to providing the secretariat with further guidance on the data interface.
