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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

Addendum

Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation

The Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its twenty-sixth 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 third session:

Draft decision -/CMP.3

**Demonstration of progress in achieving commitments under the Kyoto
Protocol by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention**

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

Recalling Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling also decisions 22/CP.7 and 25/CP.8,

Noting with appreciation the work by the secretariat in preparing the synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol,¹

¹ FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2.

1. *Acknowledges* the progress made by reporting Parties included in Annex I to the Convention (Annex I Parties) that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol in developing and implementing policies and measures, and reducing greenhouse gas emissions; the progress made by Parties included in Annex II to the Convention (Annex II Parties) that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol in providing financial resources and assistance in capacity-building to developing countries; and the initiatives put forward and financial resources allocated by a number of Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol in facilitating technology transfer to developing countries;

2. *Acknowledges also* the decrease in total aggregated greenhouse gas emissions of Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol; notes that the decrease in emissions at the time of reporting mainly resulted from decrease in emissions in Annex I Parties with economies in transition that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol; notes further that emissions from some Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol have increased above their base year levels or compared to their Kyoto targets at the time of reporting, as reflected in the table included in the annex to this decision;

3. *Recognizes* that, in accordance with projections data, all Annex I Parties with economies in transition that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and several Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and that are not Parties with economies in transition expect to meet their Kyoto targets with implemented policies and measures; a number of other Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto protocol have already elaborated and are implementing additional policies and measures, including the use of carbon sinks, and have put the relevant legislation in place and allocated financial resources to use the Kyoto mechanisms² to achieve their Kyoto targets; and that for other Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and that are not Parties with economies in transition, further actions, such as policies and measures and use of the Kyoto mechanisms, are needed to achieve their Kyoto targets;

4. *Calls on* Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol to continue, or, where appropriate, intensify, their efforts aimed at reducing or limiting their greenhouse gas emissions in accordance with their commitments inscribed in Annex B and in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 1, of the Kyoto Protocol; and on Annex II Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol to continue, or, where appropriate, intensify, their efforts aimed at providing financial resources and assistance in capacity-building to developing countries, and to continue intensifying their efforts aimed at facilitating technology transfer to developing countries.

² FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2, table 1.

ANNEX

Submission date of reports demonstrating progress under the Kyoto Protocol from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and data on total greenhouse gas emissions without land use, land-use change and forestry reported therein^a

Annex I Party	Submission date of report demonstrating progress (RDP)	Total greenhouse gas emissions without land use, land-use change and forestry (million tonnes CO ₂ equivalent)		Changes in emissions for base year to 2003, or 2004 (%)
		Base year reported in RDP	Latest year, 2003, or 2004 reported in RDP ^b	
Belarus	29-May-06	127.4 ^c	69.8	-45.2
Bulgaria	31-Aug-06	138.4 ^d	69.2	-50.0
Canada	15-Nov-06	599.0 ^c	758.0 ^b	26.5
Czech Republic	3-Feb-06	192.0 ^c	147.1	-23.3
Estonia	30-Dec-05	42.6	21.2	-50.3
European Community ^e	22-Dec-05	4145.0	4074.5	-1.7
Austria	18-Oct-06	78.5	91.6	16.6
Belgium	23-Dec-05	146.8	147.7	0.6
Denmark	30-Dec-05	69.6	74.0	6.3
Finland	14-Feb-06	71.5	81.8 ^b	14.4
France	27-Jul-06	564.8 ^c	552.7	-2.1
Germany	1-Aug-06	1230.0	1024.4	-16.7
Greece	10-Mar-06	111.7	137.6	23.3
Ireland	16-Oct-06	55.8	68.7 ^b	23.1
Italy	11-Nov-06	519.5 ^c	575.7 ^b	10.8
Luxembourg	submission pending			
Netherlands	22-Dec-05	213.0	215.0	0.9
Portugal	22-Jun-06	60.8	84.5 ^b	39.1
Spain	21-Apr-06	286.1	402.3	40.6
Sweden	30-Dec-05	72.2 ^c	70.6	-2.2
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	8-Mar-06	766.7	654.8 ^b	-14.6
Hungary	17-Jan-06	122.2 ^d	83.2	-31.9
Iceland ^f	28-Apr-06	3.3 ^c	3.1	-6.1
Japan	6-Feb-06	1237.0	1339.1	8.3
Latvia	24-May-06	25.4 ^c	10.5	-58.5
Liechtenstein	25-Sep-06	0.3 ^c	0.3	5.3
Lithuania	6-Feb-06	50.9 ^c	17.2	-66.2
Monaco ^g				
New Zealand	4-May-06	61.5 ^c	75.3	22.5
Norway	16-Feb-06	50.1 ^c	54.8	9.4
Poland	29-Dec-06	568.8 ^d	382.8	-32.7
Romania	31-Jan-06	265.1 ^d	142.9	-46.1
Russian Federation	13-Feb-07	3216.0	2152.0 ^b	-33.1
Slovakia	30-Dec-05	72.1 ^c	51.6	-28.4
Slovenia	12-Jun-06	20.2 ^d	19.8	-1.9
Switzerland	2-Dec-05	52.4 ^c	52.3	-0.4
Ukraine	3-Nov-06	925.4 ^c	416.0	-55.0

^a Emission levels in 2003 or 2004 only reflect the emissions reported for these years and do not necessarily reflect the ability of a Party to meet its Kyoto target (see paragraphs 2 and 3 of this decision).

^b In the absence of data from reports demonstrating progress (RDP) on 2003 emission levels, data shown in this column and in the next column indicate emission levels or trends included in the RDP for year 2004.

^c Data shown in column "base year" might not fully reflect the Party's decision on its base year for fluorinated gases (HFCs, PFCs, SF₆).

^d Base year data (under the Convention) are used here instead of 1990 data (as per decisions 9/CP.2 and 11/CP.4) for Bulgaria (1988), Hungary (average of 1985–1987), Poland (1988), Romania (1989) and Slovenia (1986).

^e The 15 member States of the European Community which are Parties to the agreement under Article 4 of the Kyoto Protocol must achieve a total combined level of emissions reduction of 8% compared to base year emissions. Within this total combined level of emission reduction several member States are permitted to increase their emissions: Greece (25%), Ireland (13%), Portugal (27%), Spain (15%) and Sweden (4%). Other member States have to decrease or stabilize their emissions, Austria (-13%), Belgium (-7.5%), Denmark (-21%), Finland (0%), France (0%), Germany (-21%), Italy (-6.5%), Luxembourg (-28%), the Netherlands (-6%), and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (-12.5%).

^f Emission data for 2003 for Iceland excludes CO₂ emissions covered by decision 14/CP.7.

^g Submission date for report demonstrating progress is not applicable for Monaco as it ratified the Kyoto Protocol on 26 February 2006.
