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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) took note of the progress report by the secretariat on the implementation of the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change, and took note of documents FCCC/SBSTA/2007/MISC.4 and Add.1 and 2, and FCCC/SBSTA/2007/MISC.5.

2. The SBSTA also took note of the progress report by the secretariat, prepared under the guidance of the Chair of the SBSTA, on the steps taken towards the implementation of the Nairobi work programme, including organizing the workshops on climate related risks and extreme events and on adaptation planning and practices (FCCC/SBSTA/2006/11, paras. 48 and 58), and in involving relevant organizations and disseminating information on the work programme to relevant stakeholders.

3. The SBSTA welcomed the statements and documents provided by the secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, the United Nations Development Programme, the World Meteorological Organization, the World Bank, the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and the Global Change System for Analysis, Research and Training, on their activities towards the implementation of the Nairobi work programme. It urged other relevant organizations to undertake their own activities in support of the objective and themes identified in the annex to decision 2/CP.11 and in the conclusions of the SBSTA at its twenty-fifth session (FCCC/SBSTA/2006/11, paras. 11–71), and to share the outcomes of these activities with the SBSTA at its subsequent sessions, as appropriate.

4. The SBSTA expressed its gratitude to the Governments of Australia, Canada, Japan, the Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland for their contributions towards the implementation of the Nairobi work programme.

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1 <http://unfccc.int/3633.php>.