AD HOC WORKING GROUP ON LONG-TERM COOPERATIVE ACTION
UNDER THE CONVENTION
Seventh session
Bangkok, 28 September to 9 October 2009, and Barcelona, 2–6 November 2009

Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda
Organizational matters
Adoption of the agenda

Provisional agenda and annotations
Note by the Executive Secretary*

I. Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session.

2. Organizational matters:
   (a) Adoption of the agenda;
   (b) Organization of the work of the session.

3. Enabling the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action now, up to and beyond 2012, by addressing, inter alia:
   (a) A shared vision for long-term cooperative action;
   (b) Enhanced national/international action on mitigation of climate change;
   (c) Enhanced action on adaptation;
   (d) Enhanced action on technology development and transfer to support action on mitigation and adaptation;
   (e) Enhanced action on the provision of financial resources and investment to support action on mitigation and adaptation and technology cooperation.

4. Other matters.


* This document was submitted after the due date owing to the short interval between the informal meeting of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention and the first part of its seventh session.
II. Background

1. By its decision 1/CP.13 (the Bali Action Plan), the Conference of the Parties (COP) launched a comprehensive process to enable the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action, now, up to and beyond 2012, in order to reach an agreed outcome and adopt a decision at its fifteenth session. It decided that the process shall be conducted under a subsidiary body under the Convention, the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention (AWG-LCA), that shall complete its work in 2009.

III. Annotations to the provisional agenda

1. Opening of the session

2. The seventh session of the AWG-LCA will be opened by the Chair on Monday, 28 September 2009, at the United Nations Conference Centre at the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific in Bangkok, Thailand.

2. Organizational matters

(a) Adoption of the agenda

3. The provisional agenda for the session will be presented for adoption.

(b) Organization of the work of the session

4. **Background:** The AWG-LCA, at its first session, agreed that its sessions shall be organized in such a manner for there to be sufficient time available for the negotiations of the AWG-LCA in order to enable the COP to reach an agreed outcome and adopt a decision at its fifteenth session.1

5. The first part of the seventh session of the AWG-LCA will be held in Bangkok from 28 September to 9 October 2009, in conjunction with the first part of the ninth session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol (AWG-KP). The session will be resumed and concluded from 2 to 6 November, as requested by the AWG-LCA at its fifth session,2 in Barcelona, Spain. The resumed seventh session of the AWG-LCA will be held in conjunction with the resumed ninth session of the AWG-KP.

6. The Chair of the AWG-LCA has prepared a note (FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/12) on the scenario for the first part of the seventh session. The Chair will also prepare a note (FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/X) on the scenario for the resumed seventh session. Delegates are invited to consult these scenario notes for further information and proposals on the organization of work.

7. The AWG-LCA will meet in an opening plenary on Monday, 28 September 2009. The Chair will invite statements on behalf of major groups of Parties. Delegations are requested to keep their oral statements as brief as possible and to give a hard copy to the conference officers in advance to facilitate the work of the interpreters. Those wishing to make a written statement available to all delegates should bring copies for distribution.

8. Parties are invited to refer to the overview of the session posted on the UNFCCC website and to consult the Daily Programme, published during the session, for a detailed and up-to-date schedule of the work of the AWG-LCA.

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1 FCCC/AWGLCA/2008/3, paragraph 24.
2 FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/5, paragraph 28.
9. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its twenty-fourth session,³ recommended that meetings should normally end by 6 p.m. but may, in exceptional circumstances, continue no later than 9 p.m. This session of the AWG-LCA will be organized accordingly.

10. **Action:** The AWG-LCA will be invited to agree on the organization of work for the session.

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3. **Enabling the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention through long-term cooperative action now, up to and beyond 2012, by addressing, inter alia:**

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11. **Background:** The AWG-LCA, at its sixth session, had before it a negotiating text (FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/8) prepared by its Chair as requested by the AWG-LCA at its fourth session⁴. During the sixth session, Parties provided general comments on structure and content, stated reservations and objections to elements of the text, and proposed additions and modifications. This resulted in a revised negotiating text, which is contained in document FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/INF.1. Further input on the negotiating text received from Parties during the subsequent informal meeting of the AWG-LCA held in Bonn, Germany, on 10–14 August 2009 is contained in document FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/INF.1/Add.1.

12. During the informal meeting mentioned in paragraph 11 above, the AWG-LCA undertook work on the revised negotiating text. The results of this work, and work by the facilitators after the meeting, are reflected in document FCCC/AWGLCA/2009/INF.2 and Add.1 and 2.

13. **Action:** The AWG-LCA will be invited to continue and accelerate its negotiations on the agreed outcome on the basis of the documents before it, mentioned in paragraphs 11 and 12 above.

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³ FCCC/SBI/2006/11, paragraph 102.
⁴ FCCC/AWGLCA/2008/17, paragraph 26 (b).
4. Other matters

14. Any other matters arising during the session will be taken up under this item.

5. Report on the session

15. Background: A draft report on the work of the session will be prepared for adoption by the AWG-LCA.

16. Action: The AWG-LCA will be invited to adopt the draft report and authorize the Rapporteur to complete the report, under the guidance of the Chair and with the assistance of the secretariat.
**Annex**

**Documents prepared for the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention at its seventh session**

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