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Submissions from Parties

Addendum

1. In addition to the four submissions contained in document FCCC/SBI/2009/MISC.3, one further submission was received on 7 May 2009.

2. In accordance with the procedure for miscellaneous documents, this submission is attached and reproduced* in the language in which it was received and without formal editing.

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SUBMISSION FROM CHINA

China’s views on an approach to be taken by the Executive Secretary with regard to the collection of fees with a view to ensuring sufficient and stable funding for the ITL

In accordance with FCCC/SBI/2008/L.18, China submits its views on an approach to be taken by the executive secretary with regard to the collection of fees with a view to ensuring sufficient and stable funding for the ITL.

1. It is the view of China that the operation of International Transaction Log (ITL) shall be carried out in a transparent and cost-effective manner. With the completion of ITL development and the operation of the system, measures to reduce and optimize the operation costs should be identified and implemented by the ITL administrator.

2. Regarding the collection of fees to ensure sufficient and stable funding for the ITL, the current approach which is based on fixed fees and Kyoto adjusted scale shall continue.