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I. Introduction

1. In a communication to the secretariat dated 10 March 2011, the Democratic Republic of Congo on behalf of the African Group made a request to include an item on the provisional agenda of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention (AWG-LCA) at its fourteenth session.
2. In accordance with rule 12 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, and in agreement with the Chair, this item is included in this supplementary provisional agenda below as item 10.

* The second part of the fourteenth session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention will be held in conjunction with the second part of the sixteenth session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol and the thirty-fourth sessions of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice. The exact dates of the resumed sessions of the ad hoc working groups will be announced in due course.

** This document was submitted after the due date owing to the short interval between the thirteenth and fourteenth sessions of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-term Cooperative Action under the Convention.

II. Supplementary provisional agenda

3. The supplementary provisional agenda for the fourteenth session of the AWG-LCA is as follows:

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (b) Organization of the work of the session.
3. Global goal for emission reductions and global peaking.
4. Adaptation Committee.
5. Work programme on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention.
6. Work programme on enhanced measurement, reporting and verification for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention.
7. Registry.
8. Financing options for the full implementation of mitigation action in the forest sector.
9. Standing Committee.
10. Scaled-up, new and additional, predictable and adequate funding to developing countries, in accordance with paragraph 97 of the Cancun Agreements.
11. Market-based and non-market-based mechanisms.
12. Arrangements to fully operationalize the Technology Mechanism.
13. Capacity-building.
14. Review.
15. Issues relating to Parties with economies in transition and Parties with special circumstances.
16. Legal options.
17. Other matters.
18. Report on the session.

III. Annotations to the supplementary provisional agenda

10. Scaled-up, new and additional, predictable and adequate funding to developing countries, in accordance with paragraph 97 of the Cancun Agreements

4. *Background:* The Democratic Republic of Congo on behalf of the African Group, by a communication dated 10 March 2011, requested the secretariat to include this item in the provisional agenda of the AWG-LCA at its fourteenth session.

5. In the same communication, the Democratic Republic of Congo submitted the following annotation note to this agenda item on behalf of the African Group.

- Paragraph 18 of decision 1/CP.16 requested developed country Parties to provide developing country Parties, with long-term, scaled-up, predictable, new and

additional finance, technology and capacity-building consistent with relevant provisions, to implement urgent, short-, medium-, and long-term adaptation actions, plans, programmes and projects at local, national, sub-regional and regional levels, in and across different economic and social sectors and ecosystems, as well as to undertake the activities referred to in paragraphs 14–16 and 30, 32 and 33 of decision 1/CP.16 of the “Cancun Agreements”.

- Paragraph 98 of decision 1/CP.16 recognizes the commitment of developed country Parties, in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation, to a goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year by 2020 to address the needs of developing countries.
 - Paragraph 1 (e) of the Bali Action Plan¹ addressed the enhanced action on the provision of financial resources and investment to support action on mitigation and adaptation and technology cooperation, including, inter alia, consideration of the improved access to adequate, predictable and sustainable financial resources and financial and technical support, and the provision of new and additional resources, including official and concessional funding for developing country Parties.
 - In paragraph 97 of decision 1/CP.16, Parties decided that, in accordance with relevant provisions of the Convention, scaled-up, new and additional, predictable and adequate funding shall be provided to developing country Parties, taking into account the urgent and immediate needs of developing countries that are particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change.
 - As providing financial support to developing countries is indispensable for the implementation of the Convention, and the relevant decisions of the Conference of the Parties, in particular the operationalization of the Cancun Agreements by the seventeenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 17) in Durban, the African group requests the addition of the above-mentioned item to the provisional agenda of the AWG-LCA at its fourteenth and subsequent sessions.
6. *Action:* The AWG-LCA will be invited to consider this issue and to determine appropriate action.

¹ Decision 1/CP.13.