Section A [Preamble]¹

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Observations:

- Some Parties were of the view that a more productive discussion of the preambular section could take place at a later stage, when other parts of the text have been further developed.
- Some Parties indicated the usefulness of identifying which other paragraphs of the text relate to the preambular paragraphs.
- Several Parties noted their preference for a concise preambular section. Some of these Parties referred to the example of the preambular section of the Kyoto Protocol, while other Parties cautioned against the use of this example. Another Party observed that the length of the preambular section would depend, in part, on the content and length of section C, noting an overlap in the content of these two sections.
- A Party invited other Parties to consider deleting Option 1, which is placeholder for a preamble.

¹ Sections and paragraphs refer to those in document FCCC/ADP/2015/1.