



Bangkok Climate Change Conference September 2018 SBSTA 48.2, SBI 48.2, APA 1-6 Bangkok, 4 - 9 September 2018

# **Daily Programme**

Today at a Glance

# **Opening Ceremony**

An opening ceremony, to be attended by His Excellency Mr. Frank Bainimarama, President of COP 23/CMP 13/CMA 1.2, His Excellency General Surasak Kanchanarat, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment of the Kingdom of Thailand, Mr. Michal Kurtyka, President Designate of COP 24, Ms. Patricia Espinosa, Executive Secretary of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and Mr. Kaveh Zahedi, Officer in Charge of the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) will mark the opening of the sessions.

A video message from the Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations Ms. Amina J. Mohammed will be delivered during the ceremony.

Participants are asked to take their seats by 9.45 hrs. in ESCAP Hall to ensure that the ceremony can begin promptly at 10.00 hrs.

Security and fire regulations do not permit participants to stand and security will enforce this requirement.

## **PLENARY MEETINGS**

SBSTA – 5 <sup>th</sup> plenary meeting	upon completion of the opening ceremony	ESCAP Hall_583
SBI – 5 <sup>th</sup> plenary meeting APA – 16 <sup>th</sup> plenary meeting Joint plenary meeting	upon completion of SBSTA plenary upon completion of SBI plenary upon completion of APA plenary	ESCAP Hall_583 ESCAP Hall_583 ESCAP Hall_583

Please note that demands of the negotiation process might necessitate changes to this meetings schedule. For real-time information on all meetings, please consult the <u>live meetings schedule</u> on CCTV.

# **MEETINGS OF THE CONVENTION AND PROTOCOL BODIES**

Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA)

**Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI)** 

**Subsidiary Bodies (SB)** 

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA)

### **CLOSED MEETINGS**

**Groups other than the Convention and Protocol Bodies** 

**Observer organizations** 

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Welcome Dinner** 

# **PLENARY MEETINGS**

(Open to all participants)

# **Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA)**

upon completion of the opening ceremony

5<sup>th</sup> meeting



ESCAP Hall\_583

Click <u>here</u> for the full SBSTA provisional agenda, all corresponding documents, and information on organizational matters relating to the SBSTA. Please consult CCTV for the latest <u>meetings schedule</u>.

## **Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI)**

upon completion of SBSTA plenary

5<sup>th</sup> meeting



**ESCAP Hall 583** 

Click <u>here</u> for the full SBI provisional agenda, all corresponding documents, and information on organizational matters relating to the SBI. Please consult CCTV for the latest <u>meetings schedule</u>.

# Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA)

upon completion of SBI plenary

16th meeting



ESCAP Hall\_583

Click <u>here</u> for the full APA agenda, all corresponding documents, and information on organizational matters relating to the APA. Please consult CCTV for the latest <u>meetings schedule</u>.

## **CLOSED MEETINGS**

# **Groups other than the Convention and Protocol Bodies**

Participants are kindly requested to consult the <a href="CCTV">CCTV monitors</a> for any further changes or updates.

08.00 - 09.00	African Group	Conference Room 2
08.00 - 09.00	Small Island Developing States	Meeting Room A
08.00 - 09.00	Independent Association for Latin America and the Caribbean	Meeting Room H
09.00 – 10.00	Group of 77 and China	Conference Room 1
09.00 - 10.00	Environmental Integrity Group	Meeting Room D
13.00 – 14.00	Arab Group	Conference Room 2
13.00 – 14.00	Least Developed Countries	Conference Room 4
13.00 – 14.00	Coalition for Rainforest Nations	Meeting Room H
14.00 – 15.00	Group of 77 and China	Conference Room 1
18.00 – 19.00	Independent Association for Latin America and the Caribbean	Conference Room 1
18.00 – 19.00	African Group	Conference Room 2
18.00 – 19.00	Small Island Developing States	Meeting Room A
18.00 – 19.00	Like-Minded Developing Countries	Conference Room 4
19.00 – 20.00	Least Developed Countries	Conference Room 4

# Meetings of observer organizations

Participants are kindly requested to consult the <a href="CCTV">CCTV monitors</a> for any further changes or updates.

08.00 – 08.30	Research and independent non-governmental organizations (RINGO)	Meeting Room D
08.30 – 09.00	Business and industry non-governmental organizations (BINGO)	Meeting Room D
09.00 - 10.00	Youth non-governmental organizations (YOUNGO)	Meeting Room A
09.00 - 10.00	Indigenous peoples organizations (IPO)	Conference Room 2

# **Ticketing for NGO observers**

Due to space constraints, the access of NGO observers to open informal consultations will have to be limited in the following meeting rooms: Conference Room 4, Meeting Room A and Meeting Room H.

Tickets will be distributed through the respective <u>Constituencies</u>. Please approach your Constituency contact for tickets.

There are a very limited number of tickets for NGOs that do not belong to a Constituency. Requests will be accommodated to the extent possible. Please contact the Observer Organizations Liaison Unit at <a href="mailto:cool@unfccc.int">cool@unfccc.int</a> for such requests.

# Preliminary schedule of meetings for Wednesday, 5 September 2018

This preliminary schedule is designed to give participants an overview for planning purposes. The information is **indicative and subject to change**, depending on the requirements of the negotiating process. Please consult the relevant day's Daily Programme for final details, and the <a href="CCTV">CCTV</a> monitors for any last-minute changes.

# **MEETINGS OF THE CONVENTION AND PROTOCOL BODIES**

Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA)
Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI)
Joint SBSTA and SBI meetings (SBSTA / SBI)
Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA)

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Welcome Dinner**

On the occasion of the United Nations Climate Change Conference 2018 taking place in Bangkok, His Excellency General Surasak Karnjanarat, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment of the Kingdom of Thailand, is pleased to invite heads of delegation plus one additional Party delegate to a welcome dinner on Tuesday, 4 September 2018 from 18.30 to 21.30 hrs.

The buffet dinner will be held in the Chaopraya Room of the Royal Thai Navy Convention Center, Bangkok.

<u>The dinner is by invitation only.</u> Invitations for each Party head of delegation plus one additional Party delegate will be distributed in the plenary prior to the opening of the conference on Tuesday, 4 September 2018.

Transportation by bus to the Royal Thai Navy Convention Center courtesy of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment will be provided from 18.00 to 18.30 hrs. from the entrance of UNESCAP. Delegates attending the dinner are requested to be punctual to facilitate being at the venue in time.

At 21.00 hrs. bus transportation will be provided from the front porch of the Royal Thai Navy Convention Center to 3 drop-off locations as follows:

Wat Bowonniwet Vihara

**MBK** 

Victory monument BTS station

Guests are free to use other methods of transportation after the dinner.

As the dinner is by invitation only, please have the invitation to the dinner for presentation to representatives from the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand who will be on hand at the buses to assist.

## **USEFUL INFORMATION**

#### Election of officers of bodies under the Convention and the Protocol

Please consult the <u>UNFCCC elections website</u> for latest information on election procedures and daily updates of election nominations and election results.

# **Press briefings**

The live daily schedule of press briefings is available <u>here</u>. Please consult the <u>CCTV monitors</u> for changes or updates.

# List of participants

The provisional list of registered participants is available electronically on the <u>UNFCCC website</u>. Any corrections should be sent or given to <u>Ms. Eva Kulage</u> (Registration Counter) by noon, at the latest, on Friday, 7 September 2018.

#### **Document Services**

Participants will be able to access documents prepared for and during the session in the following ways:

#### Electronically

- via the UNFCCC website:
  - o SBSTA 48.2
  - o SBI 48.2
  - o APA 1.6
- via the "Negotiator app", available in the Google and iTunes stores

#### **Print**

at <u>the computer centre</u> or at the documents counter

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Official website in English and Spanish

UNFCCC on Twitter, español UNFCCC Executive Secretary Patricia Espinosa on Twitter

UNFCCC on Facebook
UNFCCC on LinkedIn
UNFCCC on Instagram

To download the Negotiator App and see the full list of the secretariat's channels click here.

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The following organizations kindly provide daily web coverage, daily reports and a summary and analysis of the SB 48.2 meetings on their webpages:

TWN (by TWN) ECO (by CAN) ENB (by IISD)

## Logistical information

Logistical information can be found in the <u>Information for Participants</u> brochure and on <u>www.unfccc.int</u>. Information includes: availability of meeting rooms; virtual participation; media and press; transportation; lost and found; etc.

#### Free Wireless Internet

Please connect to network "PlugNPlay" to access free wireless internet on the conference premises. Kindly report any issues to the Computer Centre on the 1st floor.

#### **Medical and Security emergencies**

First aid and emergency medical services are available from 3 September to 10 September, opening hours from 9.00 to 21.00 hrs.

A nurse will be stationed in the First Aid Room (close to Post Office) on the Ground Floor of the UNCC, as well as an ambulance will be available on site.

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United Nations Security Control Centre (24/7): +66 2 288 1102, +66 2 288 1113 United Nations Security emergency numbers: +66 2 288 1100, +66 81 807 8471

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Tourist police: 1155 (dedicated English-speaking staff)

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