



Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement

Sixth part of the first session

Bangkok, 4–9 September 2018

Agenda items 3–8¹

Paris Agreement work programme

Draft conclusions proposed by the Co-Chairs

1. The Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA) took note of the further progress made at APA 1.6, aiming to complete its work on the Paris Agreement work programme (PAWP) in a timely manner and to forward the outcomes to the Conference of the Parties (COP) at its twenty-fourth session (December 2018) at the latest.
2. The APA requested the secretariat to update, on the basis of the outcomes of this session (see the annex), the online platform referred to in paragraph 3 of decision 1/CP.23, which provides an overview of the work of the COP and the subsidiary and constituted bodies on the PAWP. The APA agreed that the progress achieved at this session provides a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on PAWP matters and their successful completion at COP 24.
3. The APA agreed that the presiding officers of the APA, the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) should prepare a joint reflections note addressing progress made to date and identifying ways forward, including textual proposals that would be helpful for advancing Parties' deliberations. The purpose of doing so would be to address all PAWP matters so as to ensure their balanced and coordinated consideration by the APA, the SBSTA and the SBI, and to facilitate successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24. To that end, the APA requested its Co-Chairs to work closely with the other presiding officers on such a note and to release it by mid-October 2018.

¹ See document FCCC/APA/2018/3 for the titles of the agenda items.



Annex

The Bangkok outcome

1. This annex provides references to the outcomes of the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA) at the sixth part of its first session and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) at the second part of their forty-eighth sessions, held in Bangkok from 4 to 9 September 2018. The outcomes are structured in accordance with annex I to decision 1/CP.23, consistently with the agenda items that were taken up by the subsidiary bodies at these sessions.

2. In addition to the outcomes of the negotiations on the individual agenda items listed below, a compilation of all such outcomes is available on the UNFCCC website at <https://unfccc.int/node/28798/> (version of 9 September 2018).

Matters relating to Article 4 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 22–35 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Further guidance in relation to the mitigation section of decision 1/CP.21	https://unfccc.int/documents/182109
SBI	Development of modalities and procedures for the operation and use of a public registry referred to in Article 4, paragraph 12, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182106
	Common time frames for nationally determined contributions referred to in Article 4, paragraph 10, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/181913
SBSTA and SBI jointly	Modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures	https://unfccc.int/documents/181953

Matters relating to Article 6 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 36–40 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
SBSTA	Guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182093
	Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182091
	Work programme under the framework for non-market approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182092

Matters relating to Article 7 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 41, 42 and 45 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Further guidance in relation to the adaptation communication, including, inter alia, as a component of nationally determined contributions, referred to in Article 7, paragraphs 10 and 11, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182087
SBI	Development of modalities and procedures for the operation and use of a public registry referred to in Article 7, paragraph 12, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182111
SBSTA and SBI jointly	Matters referred to in paragraphs 41, 42 and 45 of decision 1/CP.21	https://unfccc.int/documents/77091

Matters relating to Article 9 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 52–64 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
SBI	Identification of the information to be provided by Parties in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182115
SBSTA	Modalities for the accounting of financial resources provided and mobilized through public interventions in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 7, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182090
APA	Preparing for the convening of the first session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement / matters relating to the Adaptation Fund	https://unfccc.int/documents/182117

Matters relating to Article 10 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 66–70 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
SBI	Development and transfer of technologies: scope of and modalities for the periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism in relation to supporting the implementation of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/181801
SBSTA	Technology framework under Article 10, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182114

Matters relating to Article 13 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 84–98 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Modalities, procedures and guidelines for the transparency framework for action and support referred to in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182088

Matters relating to Article 14 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 99–101 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Matters relating to the global stocktake referred to in Article 14 of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182097

Matters relating to Article 15 of the Paris Agreement and paragraphs 102 and 103 of decision 1/CP.21

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Modalities and procedures for the effective operation of the committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement	https://unfccc.int/documents/182082

Possible additional matters relating to the implementation of the Paris Agreement

Negotiation body	Negotiation item	Link to outcome
APA	Further matters related to implementation of the Paris Agreement: preparing for the convening of the first session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement / possible additional matters ¹	https://unfccc.int/documents/182077

¹ Different views have been expressed by Parties on whether the possible additional matters should be added to the Paris Agreement work programme for the first session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA). The possible additional matters are: (1) modalities for biennially communicating finance information on the provision of public financial resources to developing countries in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement; (2) initial guidance by the CMA to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism (the Green Climate Fund and the Global Environment Facility) under Article 9, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement and decision 1/CP.21, paragraphs 58 and 61–63; (3) initial guidance by the CMA to the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund in accordance with decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 58; (4) guidance by the CMA on the adjustment of existing nationally determined contributions under Article 4, paragraph 11, of the Paris Agreement; and (5) setting a new collective quantified goal on finance in accordance with decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 53.