Material to advance Parties' work on Article 6.8 and 6.9 of the Paris Agreement

The material below is designed to be **an input into the process that Parties are undertaking** to address the request given to SBSTA in 1/CP.21 para 39.

It aims to reflect the inputs of a range of people from different Parties who participated in a meeting held in Wellington, New Zealand 10-12 July 2018, to discuss this element of Article 6. They looked closely into elements of the Chair's informal note as well as Party positions expressed in previous submissions, seeking to develop a useful input for progress. This material is not the position of any Party or Group, but rather is an input that may help to advance the work under this agenda item.

Draft decision for Article 6.8

Work programme of the framework for non-market approaches as defined in Article 6, paragraph 9, of the Paris Agreement

The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement,

Recalling the relevant provisions of the Paris Agreement in particular Article 6,

Recalling decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 39,

Also recalling decisions ...

Recognizing that voluntary cooperation in the implementation of Parties' nationally determined contributions can allow for higher ambition and that the UNFCCC and its constituent bodies can play a catalytic role in respect of such cooperation,

Emphasizing the need to promote mitigation and adaptation ambition; enhance public and private sector participation in the implementation of nationally determined contributions; and enable opportunities for coordination across instruments and relevant institutional arrangements;

- 1. Decides to establish a work programme under the framework for non-market approaches to sustainable development with the objective of considering how to enhance linkages and create synergy between, inter alia, mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology transfer and capacity-building, and how to facilitate the implementation and coordination of non-market approaches as established by Article 6, paragraph 9 of the Paris Agreement;
- 2. Adopts the initial work programme as contained in the annex to this decision, with a view to recommending specific actions at its fifty-first session (December 2019) including a possible draft decision for consideration by the CMA at its second session:

- 3. *Urges*, all Parties to participate in the implementation of the work programme;
- 4. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice, under the guidance of its Chair and with the assistance of the secretariat to coordinate the implementation of the work programme, subject to the availability of resources;
- 5. *Requests* the secretariat to prepare, subject to the availability of financial resources, the technical paper referred to in the annex to this decision, drawing on, inter alia, earlier Party submissions, potential further submissions and the Chair's informal note, for consideration at a workshop to be convened at its fiftieth session (June 2019);
- 6. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat pursuant to the provisions contained in paragraph 5 above.

ANNEX:

Purpose:

The purpose of the work programme is to:

- identify opportunities to enhance linkages and create synergy between, inter alia, mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology transfer and capacity-building; and
- consider how to facilitate the implementation and coordination of non-market approaches as established by Article 6, paragraph 9 of the Paris Agreement.

Expected outcomes:

The expected outcomes of the initial work programme are:

- (a) information on opportunities to enhance linkages and create synergy between, inter alia, mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology transfer and capacity-building;
- (b) draft decisions on the next steps required for the operationalisation of the framework for non-market approaches;

The expected outcomes of the completed work programme are enhanced linkages and synergy as described above and the operationalisation of the framework for non-market approaches so that Parties will be able to engage in integrated, holistic and balanced non-market approaches to assist in the implementation of their nationally determined contributions.

Timeframes:

The work programme outlined in the Roadmap 2019 (below) is the initial phase. Parties will consider what further work may be required, potentially a deeper phase, and recommend decisions on the work programme the fifty-first session (December 2019). Elements such as inter alia, governance, tools, and guidance may be elaborated in a deeper phase if this is decided by Parties.

Elements		Timeframes
Call for submissions from Parties on	 the operationalisation of framework opportunities to enhance linkages and create synergy between, inter alia, mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology transfer and capacity-building inputs into the technical paper below; 	By 30 March 2019
Technical Paper prepared by Secretariat (including a desk top review and taking into account previous submissions and the Chair's informal note)	Identifying opportunities to enhance linkages and create synergy between, inter alia, mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology transfer and capacity-building;	For consideration by Parties at the fiftieth session (June 2019)
Workshop at which Parties will	 discuss submissions and the Technical Paper prepared by the secretariat consider what decisions might be recommended on next steps and the operationalisation of the Framework for Non-Market Approaches (FNMA) 	SBSTA at the fiftieth session (June 2019)
Report on Workshop by secretariat		For consideration by Parties prior to the fifty-first session (December 2019)
Decision on next phase	To set out work for 2020On the operationalisation of the FNMA	