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**Informal note by the Chairs of the subsidiary bodies on
SBSTA 58 provisional agenda item 18 and SBI 58
supplementary provisional agenda item 21: Sharm el-Sheikh
mitigation ambition and implementation work programme**

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1. Pending the adoption of their agendas at SB 58, the SBSTA and the SBI initiated work on all provisional agenda items. This included convening four informal consultations on the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme between 8 and 13 June 2023.
 2. On 14 June 2023, the agendas for SBSTA 58 and SBI 58 were adopted, both excluding the item on the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme, with the understanding that the Chairs of the subsidiary bodies would prepare, under their own authority, an informal note to reflect the discussions held during the informal consultations on this matter at the sessions.
 3. During those informal consultations, Parties noted and welcomed the start of activities under the work programme and the appointment of the co-chairs of the work programme, Amr Osama Abdel-Aziz and Lola Vallejo. In addition, they provided suggestions for enhancing the organization and substance of future global dialogues and investment-focused events under the work programme.
 4. During the informal consultations, some Parties expressed the view that they should not discuss substance related to mitigation. However, others reflected on next steps towards developing a CMA decision on the work programme.
 5. The Chairs of the subsidiary bodies recognize that not all Parties fully expressed their views during the informal consultations and that this informal note provides a non-exhaustive compilation of views. It does not prejudice further work or prevent Parties from expressing their views on this matter at any time. It does not represent agreement among Parties and is without prejudice to what will form the basis of the negotiations under this agenda item at SB 59 (November–December 2023).
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