

KCI Co-chairs' statement at the SBI /SBSTA opening plenary

Agenda items: SBI 14/SBSTA 7

- Thank you Chair and Good Morning Colleagues.
- On behalf on my co-chair, I am happy to inform you that as per the decision 7/CMA.1 the **Katowice Committee of Expert on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures (KCI)** held its first meeting on **13th -14th June**.
- The committee comprised of members from Botswana, Egypt, Estonia, Maldives, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Singapore, United States, United Kingdom.
- Members met for the **first time** and deliberated on **nine** agenda items.
- At its first meeting, the KCI **successfully delivered** on its (i) Outline for its annual report (ii) reporting formats for its meeting reports (iii) **Rules of Procedure** for its operation (iv) **views on the development** of the workplan of the forum and its KCI.
- On behalf on my co-chair, I would like to **thank** all KCI members for their commitment and contribution for successful outcome of the first meeting.