



Subsidiary Body for Implementation

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Agenda item 20(a–d)

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Continuous review of the functions and operations of the secretariat

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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) took note of the information contained in the documents on administrative, financial and institutional matters.¹
2. The SBI authorized the Executive Secretary to notify Parties of their contributions to the core budget for 2022 and 2023 based on the revised scales for 2022–2023 contained in document FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.1.
3. The SBI considered the concerns raised by the secretariat in its note on the legal status of the secretariat.²
4. The SBI concluded that solutions have been found for addressing the concerns raised in the note, systemic issues have not arisen and the secretariat has been functioning and conducting its operations effectively.
5. The SBI took note that, pursuant to Article 8, paragraph 2(f), of the Convention, the secretariat, under the overall guidance of the Conference of the Parties, has concluded and continues to conclude administrative and contractual arrangements as may be required for the effective discharge of its functions.
6. The SBI agreed to revisit the matters described in paragraphs 3–5 above, if necessary, in the future.
7. The SBI recommended draft decisions on administrative, financial and institutional matters for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-seventh session (November 2022) and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol at its seventeenth session (November 2022), respectively (for the text of the draft decisions, see document FCCC/SBI/2022/L.11/Add.1–2).

¹ FCCC/SBI/2022/3 and Add.1, FCCC/SBI/2022/9, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.1, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.2, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.3, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.7 and FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.9.

² Available at <https://unfccc.int/documents/307285>.

