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## II. Annotations to the provisional agenda

#### 1. Opening of the session

1. The first plenary meeting of the forty-ninth session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) will be convened on Sunday, 2 December 2018, and presided over by the Chair, Mr. Paul Watkinson (France), to launch work on all issues.

### 2. Organizational matters

(a) Adoption of the agenda

2. The provisional agenda, prepared by the Executive Secretary in agreement with the Chair, will be presented for adoption.

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Further information	https://unfccc.int/event/sbsta-49

#### (b) Organization of the work of the session

3. The agenda covers matters relating to the Convention, the Paris Agreement and the Kyoto Protocol. It is essential that Parties continue to work diligently on all agenda items to ensure balanced progress. The Conference of the Parties (COP), at its twenty-third session, reiterated its request to the subsidiary and constituted bodies to accelerate their work on the Paris Agreement work programme (PAWP) and to forward the outcomes to COP 24 at the

latest.<sup>1</sup> The SBSTA will call on Parties to support it in responding to that request, especially given that the PAWP is due for completion at COP 24.

4. In accordance with decision 1/CP.23, an additional negotiating session for all three subsidiary bodies was held from 4 to 9 September 2018 in Bangkok to address matters relating to the PAWP. For SBSTA, this was the resumed second part SBSTA 48, which took up only PAWP-related agenda items on the SBSTA 48 agenda, that is, items 4, 5, 9(b), 12(a-c) and 13.

5. On the provisional agenda for this session, PAWP-related are agenda items 3 (with regard to the matters referred to in paragraphs 41, 42 and 45 of decision 1/CP.21), 5(a), 9(b), 11(a–c) and 12. SBSTA 48.2 agreed that the presiding officers of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Paris Agreement (APA), the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) and the SBSTA should prepare a joint reflections note<sup>2</sup> addressing progress made to date and identifying ways forward in relation to the PAWP, including textual proposals that would be helpful for advancing Parties' deliberations.<sup>3</sup> The SBSTA Chair has been working closely with the other presiding officers to make the note available by mid-October 2018.

6. Detailed information on the work of the session will be posted on the SBSTA 49 web page.<sup>4</sup> Further details of the organization of the work pertaining to the consideration of the PAWP-related agenda items will be provided in the joint reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above. While the aim of the session is to ensure that there are substantive results wherever possible, time will be a constraint for all items. Along with the other presiding officers, the SBSTA Chair will consult with Parties on how to advance work in a balanced, efficient and expeditious manner across all items, including on whether it may be necessary to consider deferring the consideration of some non-PAWP-related items that may not require agreement or guidance in Katowice to the next session.

7. Delegates are invited to refer to the overview schedule and the in-session Daily Programme<sup>5</sup> and to regularly consult the closed-circuit television screens for an up-to-date schedule of the work of the SBSTA. In order to maximize negotiation time and ensure timely closure of the session, presiding officers will propose, in consultation with Parties and in a transparent manner, time-saving approaches to the organization and scheduling of meetings during the session, taking into account previous relevant SBI conclusions.<sup>6</sup> In this context, the presiding officers of the SBSTA, the SBI and the APA will propose cut-off times for group work and deadlines for the submission of conclusions to ensure that, to the degree possible, they are available in all six official languages of the United Nations for the closing plenary.

(c) Election of officers other than the Chair

8. *Background*: The SBSTA will elect its Vice-Chair and Rapporteur. The current Vice-Chair and Rapporteur will remain in office until their successors are elected. Parties are invited to give active consideration to the nomination of women to these posts.

9. When the SBSTA exercises its functions with regard to matters concerning the Kyoto Protocol, any member of its Bureau representing a Party to the Convention but, at that time, not a Party to the Kyoto Protocol shall be replaced by an additional member to be elected by and among the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol. This applies mutatis mutandis to the Paris Agreement.

10. Action: The SBSTA will be invited to elect its officers at the earliest opportunity following the completion of consultations. If necessary, the SBSTA will be invited to elect additional officers to replace the Vice-Chair and/or Rapporteur if representing a State that is a Party to the Convention but not to the Kyoto Protocol or the Paris Agreement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision 1/CP.23, paragraph 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> To be made available at <u>https://unfccc.int/event/sbsta-49</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6 paragraph 14.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> https://unfccc.int/event/sbsta-49.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Available at <u>https://unfccc.int/dp-cop24</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> FCCC/SBI/2014/8, paragraphs 218-221.

*Further information* <u>http://unfccc.int/6558</u>

#### (d) Mandated events

11. As requested at SBSTA 48.1, the following events will take place in conjunction with this session:

(a) The 12<sup>th</sup> Focal Point Forum of the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change, whose topic is economic diversification;<sup>7</sup>

(b) A workshop with constituted bodies under the Convention on topic 2(a) of the Koronivia joint work on agriculture, namely modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and future topics that may arise from this work<sup>8</sup> (see para. 36 below);

(c) A one-day meeting to review the work of the improved forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures (see para. 42 below).

# **3.** Report of the Adaptation Committee: 2018 report; and matters referred to in paragraphs 41, 42 and 45 of decision 1/CP.21

12. *Background*: COP 17 requested the Adaptation Committee (AC) to report annually to the COP through the subsidiary bodies.<sup>9</sup> Two regular meetings of the AC were to take place in Bonn in 2018: the 13<sup>th</sup> meeting from 27 February to 2 March and the 14<sup>th</sup> meeting from 24 to 26 October. The 2018 report of the AC reflects the outcomes of those meetings and of intersessional work of the AC.

13. By decision 1/CP.21, paragraphs 41, 42 and 45, the AC (together with the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG) in relation to paragraphs 41 and 45) was requested to undertake work on several issues related to adaptation under the Paris Agreement and to make recommendations for consideration and adoption at CMA 1. These recommendations were included in the 2017 report of the AC.<sup>10</sup> SBI 47 and SBSTA 47 noted that the AC had completed its work on the recommendations and agreed that consideration thereof would continue at SBI 48 and SBSTA 48. At SBI 48 and SBSTA 48 the consideration of the group established under the SBI agenda item "Matters relating to the least developed countries")<sup>11</sup> with a view to the SBI and the SBSTA forwarding the recommendations to COP 24 for consideration and adoption at CMA 1.

14. The matters referred to in paragraph 13 above were considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>12</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on these matters.

15. *Action*: The SBSTA and the SBI will be invited to consider the 2018 report of the AC and to recommend draft conclusions and/or a draft decision resulting from the implementation of the workplan of the AC in 2018 for consideration and adoption at COP 24.

16. To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA and the SBI will also be invited to complete their consideration of the recommendations of the AC to the CMA in response to decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 42, as well as of the joint recommendations of the AC and the LEG to the CMA in response to decision 1/CP.21, paragraphs 41 and 45.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 23.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 2(a).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Decision 2/CP.17, paragraph 96.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> FCCC/SB/2017/2 and FCCC/SB/2017/2/Add.1-FCCC/SBI/2017/14/Add.1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2017/7, paragraphs 30–32.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2 <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/77091</u>

*Further information* <u>http://unfccc.int/6053</u>

## 4. Report of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts

17. *Background*: COP 19 and 20 requested the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts to report annually to the COP through the subsidiary bodies and to make recommendations, as appropriate.<sup>13</sup> Article 8, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement provides that the Warsaw International Mechanism shall be subject to the authority and guidance of the CMA.

18. COP 21 requested<sup>14</sup> the Executive Committee to establish a task force to develop recommendations for integrated approaches to averting, minimizing and addressing displacement related to the adverse impacts of climate change. Accordingly, the report of the Executive Committee contains, inter alia, recommendations resulting from the work of the task force on displacement.

19. COP 22 approved the indicative framework for the five-year rolling workplan of the Executive Committee as the basis for developing corresponding activities.<sup>15</sup> Two regular meetings of the Executive Committee took place in Bonn in 2018: the 7<sup>th</sup> meeting was convened from 13 to 16 March and the 8<sup>th</sup> meeting from 18 to 21 September.

20. *Action*: The SBSTA and the SBI will be invited to consider the report of the Executive Committee and to recommend any further action.

FCCC/SB/2018/1	Report of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts
Further information	http://unfccc.int/7545 and http://unfccc.int/6056

## 5. Development and transfer of technologies

#### (a) <u>Technology framework under Article 10</u>, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement

21. *Background*: COP 21 requested SBSTA 44 to initiate the elaboration of the technology framework established under Article 10, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement and to report on its findings to the COP with a view to the COP making a recommendation on the framework for consideration and adoption at CMA 1.<sup>16</sup> The matter was first considered at SBSTA 44, and subsequently at SBSTA 45, 46, 47 and 48.1.

22. The elaboration of the technology framework was again considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>17</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on these matters

23. *Action*: To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA will be invited to complete its work on the elaboration of the technology framework.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2 <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/182114</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Decisions 2/CP.19, paragraph 3, and 2/CP.20, paragraph 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Decisions 1/CP.21, paragraph 49.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Decision 3/CP.22, paragraph 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 67.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

*Further information* <u>http://unfccc.int/ttclear</u>

(b) <u>Joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology</u> <u>Centre and Network</u>

24. *Background*: COP 20 decided that the Technology Executive Committee (TEC) and the Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN) shall continue to prepare a joint annual report to the COP, through the subsidiary bodies, on their respective activities and the performance of their respective functions.<sup>18</sup> In 2018 the TEC convened its 16<sup>th</sup> meeting from 13 to 16 March and its 17<sup>th</sup> meeting from 25 to 28 September, both in Bonn. The Advisory Board of the CTCN held its 11<sup>th</sup> meeting from 7 to 9 March in Copenhagen and its 12<sup>th</sup> meeting from 3 to 5 October in Vienna.

25. *Action:* The SBSTA and the SBI will be invited to consider the joint annual report of the TEC and the CTCN and to recommend a draft decision thereon for consideration and adoption at COP 24.

FCCC/SB/2018/2	Joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network for 2018
Further information	http://unfccc.int/ttclear

#### 6. Research and systematic observation

26. *Background*: During the second sessional period of each year, the SBSTA focuses its considerations on systematic observation.<sup>19</sup>

27. SBSTA 45 noted the Earth Information Day organized in 2016 by the secretariat under the guidance of the SBSTA Chair, and invited Parties to consider inviting the secretariat to organize similar events during the implementation of the Global Climate Observing System (GCOS) implementation plan, *The Global Observing System for Climate: Implementation Needs*,<sup>20</sup> on the basis of views submitted by Parties by SBSTA 49.<sup>21</sup>

28. SBSTA 45<sup>22</sup> also noted the need for regional workshops, as identified in the GCOS implementation plan. In this regard:

(a) A joint GCOS, Copernicus, WMO Integrated Global Observing System (WIGOS) and GFCS regional workshop on improving the value chain from observations to climate services to support climate policy, adaptation and mitigation in East Africa was held in Uganda in 2018.

(b) GCOS and WIGOS produced the Pacific region observing network plan in collaboration with the secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme, the Pacific Islands Communication and Infrastructure Panel and the Pacific Meteorological Council as an outcome of the regional workshop for Pacific small Island developing States, held in Fiji in 2017 and noted at SBSTA 47.<sup>23</sup>

29. In line with mandates given at SBSTA 45 and 47, the SBSTA invited on a regular basis, as appropriate:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Decision 17/CP.20, paragraph 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2012/5, paragraph 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Available at <u>https://public.wmo.int/en/resources/library/global-observing-system-climate-implementation-needs.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/4, paragraph 44.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/4, paragraph 39.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2017/7, paragraph 55.

(a) The secretariat of GCOS to report on progress made in the implementation of the GCOS IP  $2016;^{24}$ 

(b) WMO to provide submissions on the state of the global climate;<sup>25</sup>

(c) WMO to report on progress in implementing the Global Framework for Climate Services (GFCS);<sup>26</sup>

(d) The Committee on Earth Observation Satellites and the Coordination Group for Meteorological Satellites to report on progress.<sup>27</sup>

30. *Action*: The SBSTA will be invited to consider this matter and the information received with a view to determining any further action it deems appropriate.

Submissions	http://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionportal/Pages/H ome.aspx (under "sessions", select SBSTA 49)
Further information	https://unfccc.int/topics/science/workstreams/systemati c-observation

## 7. Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform

31. *Background*: Decision 2/CP.23 defined the overall purpose and functions of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform and the initial steps towards the operationalization of the platform.

32. In the same decision, the COP recommended that the processes under the Platform, including its operationalization, take into account, inter alia, the interests and views of local communities and indigenous peoples, as well as the effective participation of indigenous peoples, equal status of indigenous peoples and Parties including in leadership roles, self-selection of indigenous peoples' representatives in accordance with indigenous peoples' own procedures, and adequate funding from the secretariat and voluntary contributions to enable the functions of the platform.

33. SBSTA 48.1 considered the further operationalization of the platform in accordance with decision 2/CP.23, including the establishment of a facilitative working group, which would not be a negotiating body under the Convention, and the modalities for the development of a workplan for the full implementation of the functions of the platform with balanced representation of local communities and indigenous peoples and Parties. The first activity of the platform, a multi-stakeholder workshop on implementing its functions, was held in conjunction with SBSTA 48.1 on 1 May 2018.<sup>28</sup>

34. *Action*: The SBSTA will be invited to continue its consideration of this matter on the basis of the draft decision text proposed at SBSTA 48.1 by the co-facilitators of the informal consultations on this agenda item,<sup>29</sup> and to conclude its consideration by making recommendations for consideration and adoption at COP 24.

Further information

http://unfccc.int/10475

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/4, paragraph 41.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/4, paragraph 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2017/7, paragraph 57.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2017/7, paragraph 56.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> More information on the workshop is available at <u>https://unfccc.int/topics/local-communities-and-indigenous-peoples-platform/events-and-meetings/workshops-meetings/multi-stakeholder-workshop-on-the-local-communities-and-indigenous-peoples-platform.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Available at <u>https://unfccc.int/process-and-meetings/conferences/bonn-climate-change-conference-april-2018/sessions/sbsta-48#eq-11.</u>

## 8. Koronivia joint work on agriculture

35. *Background*: COP 23 requested the SBSTA and the SBI to jointly address issues related to agriculture, including through workshops and expert meetings, working with constituted bodies under the Convention and taking into consideration the vulnerabilities of agriculture to climate change and approaches to addressing food security.<sup>30</sup>

36. SBSTA 48.1 and SBI 48.1 initiated the Koronivia joint work on agriculture and developed the Koronivia road map setting out activities until November 2020.<sup>31</sup> They requested the secretariat to organize, in conjunction with SBSTA 49 and SBI 49, a workshop with constituted bodies under the Convention on the Koronivia joint work on agriculture topic 2(a), namely modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and future topics that may arise from this work.<sup>32</sup> SBSTA 48.1 and SBI 48.1 further agreed that consideration of this matter would continue at SBSTA 49 and SBI 49.<sup>33</sup>

37. As invited,<sup>34</sup> Parties and observers submitted their views on the workshop referred to in paragraph 36 above.

38. *Action*: The SBSTA and the SBI will continue their consideration of the Koronivia joint work on agriculture with a view to reporting thereon at COP 26 (November 2020).

Submissions	<u>http://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionportal/Pages/Home.aspx</u> (under "sessions", select SBSTA 49)
Further information	http://unfccc.int/8793

## 9. Impact of the implementation of response measures

#### (a) Improved forum and work programme

39. *Background*: SBSTA 44 and SBI 44 agreed<sup>35</sup> to implement the work programme on the impact of the implementation of response measures<sup>36</sup> under the guidance of the Chairs of the SBSTA and the SBI.

40. SBSTA 48.1 and SBI 48.1 took note of the views expressed on the scope of the review of the work of the improved forum to take place at SBSTA 49 and SBI 49, and agreed on the scope of the review.<sup>37</sup> Parties and observers submitted their views on the work of the improved forum on the basis of the agreed scope of the review, and the secretariat prepared a synthesis report based on the submissions with a view to informing the discussions on this matter at SBSTA 49 and SBI 49.

41. At SBSTA 48.1 and SBI 48.1, under the guidance of the Chairs of the SBSTA and the SBI the secretariat organized a two-day training workshop on the use of economic modelling tools related to the areas of the work programme of the improved forum.<sup>38</sup> The secretariat prepared a report on the workshop for consideration at SBSTA 49 and SBI 49.

42. SBSTA 48.1 and SBI 48.1 agreed<sup>39</sup> on the conduct of a one-day review of the work of the improved forum in conjunction with SBSTA 49 and SBI 49 with a view to the conclusion of the review of the work of the improved forum at those sessions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 60 and annex I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 61 and annex I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 66.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 65 and annex I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/2, paragraph 53.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2016/2, annex II.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 72 and annex II.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> In line with document FCCC/SBSTA/2017/7, paragraph 69.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 74.

43. *Action*: The SBSTA and the SBI will be invited to complete the review of the forum's work and to make recommendations thereon for consideration and adoption at COP 24.

FCCC/SB/2018/INF.3	Use of economic modelling tools related to the areas of the work programme of the improved forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures. Workshop report by the secretariat
FCCC/SB/2018/INF.4	Work of the improved forum. Synthesis report by the secretariat
Submissions	http://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionportal/Pages/Home.aspx (under "sessions", select SBSTA 49)
Further information	http://unfccc.int/4908

#### (b) <u>Modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the</u> <u>impact of the implementation of response measures</u>

44. *Background*: COP 21 decided that the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures under the subsidiary bodies shall continue and shall serve the Paris Agreement.<sup>40</sup> It also decided that the SBSTA and the SBI shall recommend, for consideration and adoption at CMA 1, the modalities, work programme and functions of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures to address the effects of the implementation of response measures under the Paris Agreement.<sup>41</sup>

45. This matter was considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>42</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on this matter.

46. *Action*: To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA and the SBI will be invited to complete their work on the modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2	https://unfccc.int/documents/181953
Further information	http://unfccc.int//4908

### (c) <u>Matters relating to Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol</u>

47. *Background*: SBSTA 48.1 agreed that this agenda sub-item would be considered together with the SBSTA and SBI agenda sub-item "Improved forum and work programme" in a joint SBSTA/SBI forum. SBSTA 48.1 also agreed that consideration of this matter would continue at SBSTA 49.<sup>43</sup>

48. Action: The SBSTA will be invited to continue its consideration of this matter.

# 10. Methodological issues under the Convention: emissions from fuel used for international aviation and maritime transport

49. *Background*: SBSTA 48.1 considered this agenda item and was not able to conclude its consideration of this matter. In accordance with rule 16 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, this matter has been included on the provisional agenda for this session.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 33.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 34.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 80.

50. Action: The SBSTA will be invited to continue its consideration of this matter.

Submissions from the International Civil Aviation Organization and the International Maritime Organization	<u>http://unfccc.int/documentation/submissions_from</u>
Further information	http://unfccc.int/1057

### 11. Matters relating to Article 6 of the Paris Agreement

(a) <u>Guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris</u> <u>Agreement</u>

51. *Background*: COP 21 requested the SBSTA to develop and recommend the guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement for consideration and adoption at CMA 1, including guidance to ensure that double counting is avoided on the basis of a corresponding adjustment by Parties for both anthropogenic emissions by sources and removals by sinks covered by their nationally determined contributions under the Paris Agreement.<sup>44</sup>

52. The matter referred to in paragraph 51 above was considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>45</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on this matter.

53. *Action*: To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA will be invited to complete its work on the guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2	Original version: https://unfccc.int/documents/182093
	Corrected version: <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/182934</u>
Further information	http://unfccc.int/9644

# (b) <u>Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement</u>

54. *Background*: COP 21 requested the SBSTA to develop and recommend rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement for consideration and adoption at CMA  $1.^{46}$ 

55. The matter referred to in paragraph 54 above was considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>47</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on this matter.

56. *Action*: To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA will be invited to complete its work on the rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 36.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 38.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2	Original version: https://unfccc.int/documents/182091
	Corrected version: <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/182937</u>
Further information	http://unfccc.int/9644

#### (c) <u>Work programme under the framework for non-market approaches referred to in Article 6,</u> paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement

57. *Background*: COP 21 requested the SBSTA to undertake a work programme under the framework for non-market approaches to sustainable development referred to in Article 6, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement, 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. The COP also requested the SBSTA to recommend a draft decision on the work programme, taking into account the views of Parties, for consideration and adoption at CMA 1.<sup>48</sup>

58. The matter referred to in paragraph 57 above was considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>49</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on this matter.

59. Action: To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA will be invited to complete its work on the work programme under the framework for non-market approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2	Original version: <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/182092</u>
	Corrected version: <u>https://unfccc.int/documents/182939</u>
Further information	http://unfccc.int/9644

## 12. Modalities for the accounting of financial resources provided and mobilized through public interventions in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 7, of the Paris Agreement

60. *Background:* COP 21 requested the SBSTA to develop modalities for the accounting of financial resources provided and mobilized through public interventions in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 7, of the Paris Agreement for consideration at COP 24 with a view to the COP making a recommendation for consideration and adoption at CMA 1.<sup>50</sup>

61. This matter was considered at SBSTA 48.2, which agreed that the progress achieved at that session would provide a useful basis for further negotiations by Parties on the PAWP and its successful completion at COP 24.<sup>51</sup> Further details thereon will be provided in the reflections note referred to in paragraph 5 above, which identifies ways forward, including textual proposals on this matter.

62. *Action:* To ensure successful completion of the PAWP at COP 24, the SBSTA will be invited to complete its work on the modalities for the accounting of financial resources

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> Decision 1/CP.21 paragraphs 39 and 40.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 57.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2018/6, paragraph 13.

provided and mobilized through public interventions in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 7, of the Paris Agreement.

Outcome of SBSTA 48.2	https://unfccc.int/documents/182090
Further information	http://unfccc.int/10121 and http://unfccc.int/8892

## **13.** Reports on other activities

(a) <u>Annual report on the technical review of information reported under the Convention by</u> <u>Parties included in Annex I to the Convention in their biennial reports and national</u> <u>communications</u>

63. *Background*: In accordance with decision 13/CP.20, annex, paragraphs 40 and 44, the secretariat prepares an annual report containing information on the composition of expert review teams (ERTs), the annual report of the lead reviewers and the latest information on the technical review of information reported under the Convention related to biennial reports and national communications by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention.

64. *Action*: The SBSTA will be invited to take note of the information contained in the above-mentioned report.

FCCC/SBSTA/2018/INF.5	Technical review of information reported under the Convention by Annex I Parties in their biennial reports and national communications. Report by the secretariat
Further information	http://unfccc.int/10297_and http://unfccc.int/2763_

(b) <u>Annual report on the technical review of greenhouse gas inventories of Parties included in</u> <u>Annex I to the Convention</u>

65. *Background*: The secretariat prepares an annual report containing the latest information on the technical review of the greenhouse gas inventories submitted by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention, including information on the composition of ERTs and the selection of experts and lead reviewers for ERTs, and suggestions on how to improve the quality, efficiency and consistency of the review.<sup>52</sup>

66. *Action*: The SBSTA will be invited to take note of the information contained in the above-mentioned report.

FCCC/SBSTA/2018/INF.3	Technical review of greenhouse gas inventories of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention. Report by the secretariat
Further information	http://unfccc.int/2762

(c) <u>Annual report on the technical review of greenhouse gas inventories and other information</u> reported by Parties included in Annex I, as defined in Article 1, paragraph 7, of the Kyoto <u>Protocol</u>

67. *Background*: The secretariat prepares an annual report containing the latest information on the technical review of greenhouse gas inventories and other information reported by Parties included in Annex I, as defined in Article 1, paragraph 7, of the Kyoto Protocol.<sup>53</sup> The report also includes information on the review of the reports to facilitate the calculation of the assigned amount for the second commitment period pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 bis, 8 and 8 bis, of the Kyoto Protocol.<sup>54</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup> Decision 13/CP.20, annex, paragraphs 40 and 44.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup> Decision 22/CMP.1, annex, paragraphs 35 and 40.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup> Decision 2/CMP.8, paragraph 2.

 above-mentioned report.

 FCCC/SBSTA/2018/INF.4
 Technical review of greenhouse gas inventories and other information reported by Parties included in Annex I, as defined in Article 1, paragraph 7, of the Kyoto Protocol. Report by the secretariat

 Further information
 http://unfccc.int/2762

68. *Action*: The SBSTA will be invited to take note of the information contained in the above-mentioned report.

### 14. Other matters

69. Any other matters that arise during the session will be taken up under this agenda item.

## 15. Closure of and report on the session

70. After the draft report on the session has been presented to the SBSTA for consideration and adoption, the Chair will declare the session closed.