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	SBSTA Chair	SBSTA Vice-Chair	SBSTA Rapporteur
SBSTA 56 2022	Africa Mr. Tosi Mpanu Mpanu (Democratic Republic of the Congo)	Eastern Europe Mr. Kakhaberi Mdivani (Georgia)	Africa Ms. Zita Kassa Wilks (Gabon)
SBSTA 52-55 2021	Africa Mr. Tosi Mpanu Mpanu (Democratic Republic of the Congo)	Eastern Europe Mr. Kakhaberi Mdivani (Georgia)	Africa¹ Ms. Stella Gama (Malawi)
<i>SBSTA 52 2020²</i>	<i>Africa</i> <i>Mr. Tosi Mpanu Mpanu</i> <i>(Democratic Republic of the</i> <i>Congo)</i>	<i>Eastern Europe</i> <i>Mr. Kakhaberi Mdivani</i> <i>(Georgia)</i>	<i>Africa³</i> <i>Ms. Stella Gama</i> <i>(Malawi)</i>
SBSTA 51 2019	Western Europe Mr. Paul Watkinson (France)	Eastern Europe Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia)	Africa Ms. Stella Gama (Malawi)
SBSTA 50 2019	Western Europe Mr. Paul Watkinson (France)	Eastern Europe Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia)	Africa Ms. Stella Gama (Malawi)
SBSTA 49 2018	Western Europe Mr. Paul Watkinson (France)	Eastern Europe Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 48 2018	Western Europe Mr. Paul Watkinson (France)	Eastern Europe Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 47 2017	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 46 2017	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Schaffhauser (Hungary)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 45 2016	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Schaffhauser (Hungary)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 44 2016	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Schaffhauser (Hungary)	SIDS Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe)
SBSTA 43 2015	Eastern Europe Ms. Lidia Wojtal (Poland)	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe Ms. Stasile Znutiene (Lithuania)
SBSTA 42 2015	Eastern Europe⁴ Mr. Tomasz Chruszczow (Poland) replaced by Ms. Lidia Wojtal (Poland)	GRULAC Mr. Carlos Fuller (Belize)	Eastern Europe⁵ Ms. Jurga Rabazauskaite-Survile (Lithuania) replaced by Ms. Stazile Znutiene (Lithuania)
SBSTA 41 2014	Africa Mr. Emmanuel Dumisani Dlamini (Swaziland)	Eastern Europe Mr. Narcis Paulin Jeler (Romania)	Eastern Europe Ms. Jurga Rabazauskaite-Survile (Lithuania)
SBSTA 40 2014	Africa Mr. Emmanuel Dumisani Dlamini (Swaziland)	Eastern Europe Mr. Narcis Paulin Jeler (Romania)	Eastern Europe Ms. Diana Harutyunyan (Armenia)
SBSTA 39 2013	Africa Mr. Richard Muyungi (Tanzania)	Eastern Europe Mr. Narcis Paulin Jeler (Romania)	Eastern Europe Ms. Diana Harutyunyan (Armenia)
SBSTA 38 2013	Africa Mr. Richard Muyungi (Tanzania)	Eastern Europe Mr. Narcis Paulin Jeler (Romania)	SIDS Mr. Collin Beck (Solomon Islands)

¹ Ms. Stella Gama remains in office and will be re-elected at SBSTA 52.

² Superseded by the 2021 session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (May–June), as per the by Bureau of the COP, the CMP and the CMA at its meeting on 15 April 2021 (see [the message on the outcomes of the meeting](#)).

³ Ms. Stella Gama remains in office and will be re-elected at SBSTA 52.

⁴ In accordance with rule 25 of the draft rules of procedure of the COP, the Government of Poland has named Ms. Lidia Wojtal, to serve as Chair of SBSTA to replace Mr. Tomasz Chruszczow.

⁵ In accordance with rule 25 of the draft rules of procedure of the COP, the Government of Lithuania has named Ms. Stazile Znutiene to serve as Rapporteur of SBSTA to replace Ms. Jurga Rabazauskaite-Survile.

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SBSTA 37 2012	Africa Mr. Richard Muyungi (Tanzania)	Eastern Europe Mr. Narcis Paulin Jeler (Romania)	SIDS Mr. Collin Beck (Solomon Islands)
SBSTA 36 2012	Africa Mr. Richard Muyungi (Tanzania)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Mihir Kanti Majumder (Bangladesh)	SIDS Mr. Collin Beck (Solomon Islands)
SBSTA 35 2011	Africa⁶ Mr. Mama Konaté (Mali)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Mihir Kanti Majumder (Bangladesh)	SIDS Mr. Collin Beck (Solomon Islands)
SBSTA 34 2011	Africa Mr. Mama Konaté (Mali)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Mihir Kanti Majumder (Bangladesh)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Purushottam Ghimire (Nepal)
SBSTA 33 2010	Africa Mr. Mama Konaté (Mali)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Mihir Kanti Majumder (Bangladesh)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Purushottam Ghimire (Nepal)
SBSTA 32 2010	Africa Mr. Mama Konaté (Mali)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Mihir Kanti Majumder (Bangladesh)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Purushottam Ghimire (Nepal)
SBSTA 31 2009	WEOG Ms. Helen Plume (New Zealand)	Asia-Pacific Mr. A. H. M. Rezaul Kabir (Bangladesh)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Purushottam Ghimire (Nepal)
SBSTA 30 2009	WEOG Ms. Helen Plume (New Zealand)	Asia-Pacific Mr. A. H. M. Rezaul Kabir (Bangladesh)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Purushottam Ghimire (Nepal)
SBSTA 29 2008	WEOG Ms. Helen Plume (New Zealand)	Eastern Europe Ms. Ermira Fida (Albania)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Meena Khanal (Nepal)
SBSTA 28 2008	WEOG Ms. Helen Plume (New Zealand)	Eastern Europe Ms. Ermira Fida (Albania)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Meena Khanal (Nepal)
SBSTA 27 2007	GRULAC Mr. Kishan Kumarsingh (Trinidad and Tobago)	Eastern Europe Ms. Ermira Fida (Albania)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Jawed Ali Khan (Pakistan)
SBSTA 26 2007	GRULAC Mr. Kishan Kumarsingh (Trinidad and Tobago)	Eastern Europe Ms. Ermira Fida (Albania)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Jawed Ali Khan (Pakistan)
SBSTA 25 2006	GRULAC Mr. Kishan Kumarsingh (Trinidad and Tobago)	SIDS Mr. Amjad Abdulla (Maldives)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Jawed Ali Khan (Pakistan)
SBSTA 24 2006	GRULAC Mr. Kishan Kumarsingh (Trinidad and Tobago)	SIDS Mr. Amjad Abdulla (Maldives)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Jawed Ali Khan (Pakistan)
SBSTA 23 2005	Africa Mr. Abdullatif S. Benrageb (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)	SIDS Mr. Amjad Abdulla (Maldives)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Ibrahim Bin Ahmed Al-Ajmi (Oman)
SBSTA 22 2005	Africa Mr. Abdullatif S. Benrageb (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)	SIDS Mr. Amjad Abdulla (Maldives)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Ibrahim Bin Ahmed Al-Ajmi (Oman)
SBSTA 21 2004	Africa Mr. Abdullatif S. Benrageb (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)	GRULAC Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas)	Asia-Pacific Mr. Ibrahim Bin Ahmed Al-Ajmi (Oman)

⁶ In accordance with rule 25 of the draft rules of procedure of the COP, the Government of Mali, in consultation with the African Group, has named Mr. Richard Muyungi to serve as Chair of SBSTA to replace the late Mr. Mama Konaté.

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SBSTA 19 2003	WEOG Mr. Halldor Thorgeirsson (Iceland)	GRULAC Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Tatyana Ososkova (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 18 2003	WEOG Mr. Halldor Thorgeirsson (Iceland)	GRULAC Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Tatyana Ososkova (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 17 2002	WEOG Mr. Halldor Thorgeirsson (Iceland)	GRULAC Mr. Philip Weech (Bahamas)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Tatyana Ososkova (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 16 2002	WEOG Mr. Halldor Thorgeirsson (Iceland)	GRULAC Mr. Philip Weech (Bahamas)	Asia-Pacific Ms. Tatyana Ososkova (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 15 2001	WEOG Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 14 2001	WEOG Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 13 2000	WEOG Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 12 2000	WEOG Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 11 1999	WEOG Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 10 1999	Asia-Pacific Mr. Kok Kee Chow (Malaysia)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 9 1998	Asia-Pacific Mr. Kok Kee Chow (Malaysia)	Africa Mr. Lambert Gnapelet (Central African Republic)	Eastern Europe Mr. Andrej Kranjc (Slovenia)
SBSTA 8 1998	Asia-Pacific Mr. Kok Kee Chow (Malaysia)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	GRULAC Mr. Alvaro J. Rodriguez (Colombia)
SBSTA 7 1997	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	GRULAC Mr. Alvaro J. Rodriguez (Colombia)
SBSTA 6 1997	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	GRULAC Mr. Alvaro J. Rodriguez (Colombia)
SBSTA 5 1997	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	Asia-Pacific Victor S. Chub (Uzbekistan)

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SBSTA 4 1996	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	Asia-Pacific Victor S. Chub (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 3 1996	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	Asia-Pacific Victor S. Chub (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 2 1996	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	Asia-Pacific Victor S. Chub (Uzbekistan)
SBSTA 1 1995	Eastern Europe Mr. Tibor Farago (Hungary)	Africa Mr. S. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)	Asia-Pacific Victor S. Chub (Uzbekistan)