Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol
Eighteenth session
United Arab Emirates, 30 November to 12 December 2023
Item 2(a) of the provisional agenda
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I. Introduction

1. On 25 November 2023 the secretariat received a request from Brazil on behalf of Brazil, South Africa, India and China (the BASIC countries) to include an item in the provisional agenda for the eighteenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP).1

2. In accordance with rule 12 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, and in agreement with the President of CMP 17, this matter has been included in the supplementary agenda as item 15.

II. Supplementary provisional agenda

3. The supplementary provisional agenda for CMP 18, proposed after consultation with the President of CMP 17, is as follows:

   1. Opening of the session.

   2. Organizational matters:

      (a) Adoption of the agenda;

      (b) Election of additional officers;

      (c) Organization of work, including for the sessions of the subsidiary bodies;

      (d) Approval of the report on credentials.

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1 Available at https://unfccc.int/documents/634014.
3. Reports of the subsidiary bodies:
   (a) Report of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice;
   (b) Report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation.
4. Reporting from and review of Parties included in Annex I:
   (a) National communications;
   (b) Annual compilation and accounting report for the second commitment period for Annex B Parties under the Kyoto Protocol.
5. Matters relating to the clean development mechanism.
6. Matters relating to joint implementation.
7. Matters relating to the Adaptation Fund.
8. Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol.
13. High-level segment:
   (a) Statements by Parties;
   (b) Statements by observer organizations.
15. Concerns with unilateral trade measures related to climate change and their potential adverse impact on equitable and just transitions, in the context of sustainable development and efforts to eradicate poverty.
16. Other matters.
17. Conclusion of the session:
   (a) Adoption of the draft report on the session;
   (b) Closure of the session.

III. Annotations to the provisional agenda

15. Concerns with unilateral trade measures related to climate change and their potential adverse impact on equitable and just transitions, in the context of sustainable development and efforts to eradicate poverty

4. Background: A proposal was received from Brazil on behalf of the BASIC countries on 25 November 2023 to include this matter in the provisional agenda for this session. In accordance with rule 12 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, this item has been included in the provisional agenda.

5. Action: The CMP will be invited to consider this matter and to take any action, as appropriate.

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2 As defined in Article 1, para. 7, of the Kyoto Protocol.