I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

1. The eighteenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP), convened pursuant to Article 13, paragraph 6, of the Kyoto Protocol, was held at Expo City Dubai in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, from 30 November to 12 December 2023. Sultan Ahmed Al Jaber (United Arab Emirates), President of CMP 18, convened the 1st meeting of the session on Thursday, 30 November.\(^1\)

II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

A. Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda item 2(a))

2. At its 1st meeting, the CMP considered document FCCC/KP/CMP/2023/1/Add.2 containing the supplementary provisional agenda. The President recalled the understanding

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\(^1\) Meetings of the CMP referred to in this report are plenary meetings.

\(^2\) CMP 18 was held in conjunction with the twenty-eighth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP) and the fifth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA). The proceedings of the COP and the CMA are contained in separate reports. The proceedings of the joint meetings of the COP, the CMP and the CMA convened at the sessions are contained in the report of the COP and cross-referenced in the reports of the CMP and the CMA.
reached among Parties outlined at the 1st plenary meeting of the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-eighth session.¹

3. The President proposed that the supplementary provisional agenda for CMP 18 be amended to reflect this understanding, with items 14 and 15 deleted.

4. On the proposal by the President, the CMP adopted the agenda 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.
   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:⁴
      (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.
   14. Other matters.
   15. Conclusion of the session:
      (a) Adoption of the draft report on the session;
      (b) Closure of the session.

B. Election of additional officers
   (Agenda sub-item 2(b))
   (To be completed)

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¹ See document FCCC/CP/2023/L.2, paras. 5–8.
⁴ As defined in Article 1, para. 7, of the Kyoto Protocol.
C. Organization of work, including for the sessions of the subsidiary bodies
   (Agenda sub-item 2(c))

   5. At the 1st meeting, the President proposed that the CMP follow the organization of work agreed by the Conference of the Parties.5

   6. The President informed the CMP that the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation may recommend draft decisions or conclusions for consideration and adoption by the CMP under the following items on matters already on their agendas:

   Sub-item 4(a) National communications
   Item 8 Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol
   Item 9 Report of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures
   Item 12 Administrative, financial and institutional matters

   7. The President noted that the CMP would reconvene during the second week of the session to consider the decisions and conclusions for adoption.

   8. The CMP agreed to proceed on the basis of the proposal by the President.

   (To be completed)

III. Agenda items 2(d) to 14

   (To be completed)

IV. Conclusion of the session
   (Agenda item 15)

   A. Adoption of the draft report on the session
      (Agenda sub-item 15(a))

      9. At its xx meeting, on xx December, the CMP considered the draft report on the session and, on a proposal by the President, authorized the Rapporteur to complete the report on the session under the guidance of the President and with the assistance of the secretariat.

   B. Closure of the session
      (Agenda sub-item 15(b))

      (To be completed)