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METHODOLOGICAL ISSUES

ACTIVITIES IMPLEMENTED JOINTLY UNDER THE PILOT PHASE

Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice

The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice, at its seventeenth session, decided to recommend the following draft decision for adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its eighth session:

Draft decision -/CP.8

Activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase

Recalling its decisions 5/CP.1, 10/CP.3, 13/CP.5 and 8/CP.7,

Taking note of the sixth synthesis report on activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase,¹

Having considered the conclusions of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice at its seventeenth session,

Acknowledging that participating in activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase continues to provide an important opportunity for learning by doing,

Further acknowledging the importance of offering opportunities to participate in activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase to those Parties that have not yet had experience of such activities,

Noting that reports on activities implemented jointly may be submitted at any time and are available on the UNFCCC web site,

¹ FCCC/SBSTA/2002/8.

1. *Decides* to continue the pilot phase for activities implemented jointly;
2. *Further decides* to change the frequency of the preparation and consideration of the synthesis report on activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase from annual to biennial;
3. *Requests* the secretariat to make available to the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at their sessions taking place in conjunction with the Conference of the Parties, updates of information submitted;
4. *Further decides* that the deadline for submission of reports on activities implemented jointly under the pilot phase, to be considered in the seventh synthesis report, shall be 1 June 2004.
