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I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

1. The twenty-fifth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) was held at the United Nations Office at Nairobi, Kenya, from 6 to 14 November 2006. The Chair of the SBI, Mr. Thomas Becker (Denmark), opened the session and welcomed all Parties and observers. He also welcomed Mr. József Feiler (Hungary) as Vice-Chair of the SBI and Mr. Phetolo Phage (Botswana) as Rapporteur of the SBI.

II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

A. Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda item 2 (a))

2. At its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, the SBI considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/SBI/2006/12) and the supplementary provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/SBI/2006/12/Add.1). A statement was made by the representative of one Party speaking on behalf of the Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS).

3. At the 1st meeting, following the proposal of the Chair, the SBI adopted the agenda as contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/12/Add.1, with item 15 held in abeyance.

4. At the request of the President of the Conference of the Parties (COP), and together with the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA), the Chair undertook consultations on the item held in abeyance and related items of the provisional agendas of the COP and SBSTA. These consultations resulted in agreement not to include this item on the SBI agenda, but to take up the issue under sub-item 15 (b).

5. At the 4th meeting, following the proposal of the Chair, the SBI adopted the amended agenda as follows:

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (b) Organization of the work of the session;
 - (c) Election of officers other than the Chair;
 - (d) Election of replacement officers.
3. National communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention:
 - (a) Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol;
 - (b) Report on national greenhouse gas inventory data from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention for the period 1990–2004.
4. National communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention:
 - (a) Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention;
 - (b) Provision of financial and technical support.

5. Financial mechanism (Convention):
 - (a) Special Climate Change Fund;
 - (b) Third review of the financial mechanism;
 - (c) Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties;
 - (d) Additional guidance to the Global Environment Facility.
6. Financial mechanism (Kyoto Protocol): Adaptation Fund.
7. Article 6 of the Convention.
8. Implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention:
 - (a) Progress on the implementation of decision 1/CP.10;
 - (b) Matters relating to the least developed countries.
9. Matters relating to Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol.
10. Capacity-building under the Convention.
11. Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol.
12. Amendment of the Kyoto Protocol in respect of procedures and mechanisms relating to compliance.
13. Report of the Administrator of the international transaction log under the Kyoto Protocol.
14. Administrative, financial and institutional matters:
 - (a) Audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005;
 - (b) Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007;
 - (c) Continuing review of the functions and operations of the secretariat;
 - (d) Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol.
15. Other matters:
 - (a) Level of emissions for the base year of Croatia;
 - (b) Any other matters.
16. Report on the session.

B. Organization of the work of the session

(Agenda item 2 (b))

6. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st meeting, on 6 November, at which the Chair drew attention to the proposed programme of work posted on the UNFCCC website. On a proposal by the Chair, the SBI agreed to proceed on the basis of that programme of work.

C. Election of officers other than the Chair

(Agenda item 2 (c))

7. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, respectively. At the 1st meeting, the Chair recalled rule 27 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, whereby the SBI is expected to elect its Vice-Chair and Rapporteur. Such an election was last held at the twenty-fourth session. The Chair informed the SBI that consultations on nominations were being undertaken and that he would keep delegates informed of progress. In the conduct of these consultations, Parties were invited to recall decision 36/CP.7 and to give active consideration to the nomination of women for elective posts in the SBI.

8. At the 4th meeting, the Chair informed the SBI that agreement had been reached among the regional groups, and proposed the nominees for election. The SBI re-elected Mr. Feiler as Vice-Chair and elected Ms. Margaret Sangarwe (Zimbabwe) as Rapporteur. The Chair informed the meeting that the Vice-Chair will serve for a second and final term of one year, and the Rapporteur will serve for an initial term of one year which may be renewed for another year. The Chair noted that the Vice-Chair and Rapporteur will serve for the twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh sessions, and until their successors are elected. He thanked the current SBI Bureau for its work.

D. Election of replacement officers

(Agenda item 2 (d))

9. The elected Vice-Chair represents a Party to both the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol, but the Rapporteur does not. Consequently, in accordance with Article 15, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol, the SBI elected Ms. Koena Morebotsana (Lesotho) as replacement Rapporteur, to serve for the twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh sessions.

III. National communications from Parties included in

Annex I to the Convention

(Agenda item 3)

A. Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 3 (a))

10. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2 and FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.7. Statements were made by representatives of five Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.¹

11. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in informal consultations convened by Ms. Henriette Bersee (Netherlands) and Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Rolle reported on these consultations.

12. As the group could not reach agreed conclusions on this issue and in accordance with rule 16 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, at its 4th meeting the SBI agreed to forward the item to the twenty-sixth session of the SBI (May 2007). The views of the Group of 77 and China submitted during the session are contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.17.

¹ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

B. Report on national greenhouse gas inventory data from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention for the period 1990–2004

(Agenda item 3 (b))

13. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st meeting, on 6 November. It had before it and took note of document FCCC/SBI/2006/26. Statements were made by representatives of three Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²

IV. National communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention

(Agenda item 4)

A. Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention

(Agenda item 4 (a))

1. Proceedings

14. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2006/25. Statements were made by representatives of 13 Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the African Group, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,³ and one on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

15. At the 1st meeting, the Chair invited Ms. Lilian Portillo (Paraguay), Rapporteur of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (CGE), to report on the activities of the group.

16. At the same meeting, the Chair invited the representative of the National Communications Support Programme (NCSP) of the Global Environment Facility (GEF), the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) to make a statement.

17. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item together with sub-item 4 (b) in informal consultations convened by Ms. Bersee and Mr. Rolle. At the 4th meeting, Ms. Bersee reported on these consultations.

18. At the same meeting, the Chair informed the SBI that the membership of the CGE for 2007 was now complete (see annex I).

19. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

20. The SBI took note of the oral report of the chair of the CGE on the outcome of the group's seventh meeting, held in Pretoria, South Africa, on 25–26 September 2006, and welcomed the progress report on the activities of the CGE prepared by the secretariat (FCCC/SBI/2006/25).

² This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

³ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁴ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.25.

21. The SBI noted the outcomes of the hands-on training workshop on vulnerability and adaptation assessments for the Latin America and the Caribbean region held in Asuncion, Paraguay, from 14 to 18 August 2006, and expressed its appreciation to the Government of Paraguay for the technical, financial and logistical support that it provided for the workshop. It also thanked the Government of Cuba, the Hadley Centre for Climate Change of the United Kingdom Meteorology Office, the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, the United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Reduction (ISDR), and the UNDP for providing trainers who elaborated on the use of the methodologies on vulnerability and adaptation assessments.

22. The SBI requested the CGE through the secretariat, within its existing work programme, in cooperation with the ISDR, the United Nations Institute for Training and Research, the NCSP of the GEF, UNDP and UNEP, and other international organizations, to continue to provide technical advice to Parties on the availability and use of tools and methodologies for bottom-up approaches to vulnerability and adaptation assessments.

23. The SBI also noted the outcomes of the hands-on training workshop on national greenhouse gas (GHG) inventories for the Africa region held in Pretoria, South Africa, from 18 to 22 September 2006, and expressed its appreciation to the Government of South Africa for the financial and logistical support that it provided for the workshop and the seventh meeting of the CGE. It recognized the importance of the workshop in building the capacity of experts from the region to identify and use various tools in national GHG inventories.

24. The SBI expressed its gratitude to the Governments of Australia, Finland, Sweden, Switzerland and the United States of America for their financial contributions to the development of training materials and the participation of developing country experts at the above-mentioned workshops. It also expressed its gratitude to the Governments of Canada and Paraguay for translating the training materials into French and Spanish.

25. The SBI commended the CGE and the secretariat for successfully completing the series of regional hands-on training workshops on national GHG inventories and vulnerability and adaptation assessments and the global workshop on mitigation assessments. It also commended the CGE, the secretariat and the NCSP for their efforts in providing technical support to Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (non-Annex I Parties).

26. The SBI endorsed the efforts of the CGE to implement its work programme for 2007, in cooperation with the NCSP. It expressed its gratitude to the Government of Canada for pledging financial resources to support the workshop on exchange of experiences and good practices among non-Annex I Parties in preparing national communications and on cross-cutting issues, but noted that further resources are required. It invited Parties included in Annex II to the Convention, and other Parties included in Annex I to the Convention in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for the workshop as soon as possible.

B. Provision of financial and technical support

(Agenda item 4 (b))

1. Proceedings

27. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, respectively (see paragraph 17 above). It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/24, FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.5 and FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.14. Statements were made by representatives of six Parties, including one

speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁵

28. At the 1st meeting, the Chair invited Ms. Portillo, Rapporteur of the CGE, to report on ways to improve access to financial and technical support to prepare second and subsequent national communications.

29. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁶ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

30. The SBI took note of document FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.5 and welcomed the information made available by the secretariat of the GEF on the financial support provided for the preparation of initial and subsequent national communications from non-Annex I Parties.

31. The SBI invited the GEF to continue to provide information on its activities relating to the preparation of national communications by non-Annex I Parties, including information on the dates of approval of funding and disbursement of funds, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session (December 2007).

32. The SBI took note of the information in document FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.14 and information provided previously by Parties that was used as input for the preparation of document FCCC/SBI/2006/24.

33. The SBI expressed its appreciation to the CGE for document FCCC/SBI/2006/24 on ways to improve access to financial and technical support to prepare second and subsequent national communications.

34. The SBI recommended that the COP, at its twelfth session, invite the GEF to provide updated information on the operational procedures for the expedited financing of national communications from non-Annex I Parties, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-sixth session.

V. Financial mechanism (Convention)

(Agenda item 5)

A. Special Climate Change Fund

(Agenda item 5 (a))

1. Proceedings

35. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it the draft text contained in annex I to document FCCC/SBI/2005/10. Statements were made by representatives of four Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,⁷ and one on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

36. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in informal consultations convened by Mr. Bubu Jallow (Gambia). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Jallow reported on these consultations.

⁵ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁶ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.24.

⁷ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

37. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁸ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

38. The SBI, at its twenty-fifth session, decided to recommend a draft decision⁹ for adoption by the COP at its twelfth session.

B. Third review of the financial mechanism

(Agenda item 5 (b))

1. Proceedings

39. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it the draft text contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/11, annex I. Statements were made by representatives of nine Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,¹⁰ one on behalf of the Group of 77 and China and one on behalf of the least developed countries.

40. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item together with sub-items 5 (c) and (d) in a contact group co-chaired by Ms. Tina Guthrie (Canada) and Mr. Osita Anaedu (Nigeria). At the 4th meeting, Ms. Guthrie reported on the contact group's consultations.

41. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹¹ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

42. The SBI considered the draft text (FCCC/SBI/2006/11, annex I) based on the compilation of views expressed and text submitted by Parties at the twenty-fourth session of the SBI.

43. The SBI decided to recommend a draft decision¹² on this matter for adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twelfth session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/SBI/2006/L.32/Add.1).

C. Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties

(Agenda item 5 (c))

1. Proceedings

44. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively (see paragraph 40 above). It had before it document FCCC/CP/2006/3 and Corr.1. Statements were made by representatives of 14 Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.¹³

45. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited the representative of the GEF secretariat to present the GEF report.

46. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹⁴ proposed by the Chair.

⁸ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.33.

⁹ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 1/CP.12.

¹⁰ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

¹¹ Adopted as document FCCC/SBI/2006/L.32.

¹² For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 2/CP.12.

¹³ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

¹⁴ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.30.

2. Conclusions

47. The SBI, at its twenty-fifth session, decided to recommend draft conclusions¹⁵ for adoption by the COP at its twelfth session (for the text of the conclusions, see FCCC/SBI/2006/L.30).

D. Additional guidance to the Global Environment Facility

(Agenda item 5 (d))

48. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively (see paragraph 40 above). Statements were made by representatives of four Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

49. At its 4th meeting, the SBI was unable to reach agreement on a text for a draft decision¹⁶ and forwarded the draft text¹⁷ to the COP for further consideration.

VI. Financial mechanism (Kyoto Protocol): Adaptation Fund

(Agenda item 6)

1. Proceedings

50. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it the draft text contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/11, annex II, and documents FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.7 and Add.1, FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.11 and FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.16. Statements were made by representatives of 16 Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,¹⁸ one on behalf of AOSIS and one on behalf of the least developed countries.

51. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in a contact group co-chaired by Mr. Adrian Macey (New Zealand) and Mr. Philip Gwage (Uganda). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Macey reported on the contact group's consultations.

52. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹⁹ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

53. The SBI took note of submissions from relevant international institutions contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.16.

54. The SBI further decided to recommend a draft decision²⁰ on this matter for adoption by the COP/MOP at its second session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/SBI/2006/L.29/Add.1).

¹⁵ For the text as adopted, see the conclusions under section V.A of document FCCC/CP/2006/5.

¹⁶ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 3/CP.12.

¹⁷ FCCC/SBI/2006/L.31.

¹⁸ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

¹⁹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.29.

²⁰ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/10/Add.1, decision 5/CMP.2.

VII. Article 6 of the Convention

(Agenda item 7)

1. Proceedings

55. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/17 and FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.15. Statements were made by representatives of eight Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,²¹ one on behalf of the African Group and one on behalf of AOSIS.

56. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited the representative of UNEP to report on UNEP's activities and its cooperation with the secretariat on Article 6 of the Convention.

57. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Ms. Marie Jaudet (France). At the 4th meeting, Ms. Jaudet reported on these consultations.

58. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²² proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

59. The SBI, at its twenty-fifth session, welcomed the progress made by Parties in implementing activities relating to Article 6 of the Convention. It recognized that the development and implementation of these activities have relied thus far mainly on voluntary contributions, and expressed its gratitude to Parties and organizations that are providing financial and technical support.

60. The SBI took note of the synthesis report on regional workshops on Article 6 (FCCC/SBI/2006/17), and reiterated the importance of holding an Article 6 workshop to address the particular needs of small island developing States (SIDS). The SBI expressed its gratitude to the Governments of New Zealand and Norway, as well as to UNEP, for their contributions in this respect. It requested the secretariat to organize this workshop once a host country has been identified.

61. For the purpose of reviewing the New Delhi work programme in 2007, as mandated by decisions 11/CP.8 and 7/CP.10, the SBI invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 23 February 2007, their views on the implementation of this work programme and on a possible future strategic approach. The SBI requested the secretariat to compile these views in a miscellaneous document for consideration at its twenty-sixth session. The SBI also requested the secretariat to prepare a report on the extent of implementation of the work programme, taking into account the views from Parties and drawing on information contained in national communications, document FCCC/SBI/2006/17, the report of the planned SIDS workshop and other relevant reports that may be collated by the secretariat, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

62. To initiate work on the elaboration of an Article 6 implementation work programme that may succeed the New Delhi work programme, the SBI invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 17 August 2007, their views on a possible framework for such a work programme. The SBI requested the secretariat to compile these views in a miscellaneous document and to prepare a working paper presenting a draft future work programme, taking into account the views from Parties and drawing on the proposed strategic approach outlined in document FCCC/SBI/2006/17, for consideration at its twenty-seventh session.

²¹ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

²² Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.26.

63. The SBI took note of the compilation of views from Parties on advancing work on the prototype information network clearing house (CC:iNet) for Article 6 of the Convention (FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.15). It encouraged Parties to continue to contribute to and promote the use of CC:iNet and acknowledged that more work is needed to make it fully functional, multilingual and user-friendly. The SBI requested the secretariat to continue to advance work on this prototype clearing house in line with Parties' views.

64. The SBI expressed its gratitude to the Government of France for its ongoing financial support to the CC:iNet project, and invited other Parties in a position to do so to contribute to its development and operation. It further recalled that an evaluation of the prototype will be undertaken in 2007 and suggested that the methodology to do so be discussed by the SBI at its twenty-sixth session.

65. In order to ensure a stable source of funding for administrative, financial and institutional matters relating to Article 6, the SBI invited the Executive Secretary to consider including this issue in his budget proposal for 2008–2009 for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-sixth session.

66. The SBI noted with appreciation that 35 Parties, as well as UNEP, have established Article 6 focal points and it invited all other interested Parties and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations to do the same and to inform the secretariat accordingly. The SBI encouraged the Parties as well as the Article 6 focal points, as appropriate, to support the promotion of CC:iNet and activities relating to Article 6. The SBI further urged Parties and institutions in a position to do so to support Article 6 activities, including strengthening Article 6 national focal points, in order to promote related activities.

67. The SBI recommended that the COP, at its twelfth session:

- (a) Invite the GEF to produce simple guidelines on how to enhance activities relating to Article 6 in project proposals when applying for GEF funding;
- (b) Recall Article 4, paragraph 1, and Article 6 of the Convention, as well as decisions 11/CP.1, 2/CP.4, 6.CP/8 and 11/CP.8 and urge the GEF to provide further funding, in a more timely manner, to the developing country Parties, in particular the least developed countries and SIDS, to allow these countries to implement activities relating to Article 6 and the New Delhi work programme.

VIII. Implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention

(Agenda item 8)

A. Progress on the implementation of decision 1/CP.10

(Agenda item 8 (a))

68. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/13, FCCC/SBI/2006/18 and FCCC/SBI/2006/19. Statements were made by representatives of five Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²³

69. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited Mr. William Kojo Agyemang-Bonsu (Ghana), chair of the African Regional Workshop, to report to the SBI on this workshop.

²³ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

70. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in a contact group co-chaired by Ms. Angela Churie-Kallhavge (Sweden) and Mr. Samuel Adejuwon (Nigeria). At the 4th meeting, Ms. Churie-Kallhavge reported on the contact group's consultations.

71. As the group could not reach agreed conclusions on this issue and in accordance with rule 16 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, at its 4th meeting the SBI agreed to forward the item to the twenty-sixth session of the SBI.

72. At the same meeting, the Chair took note of an offer by Bangladesh to host a workshop on micro-insurance in the context of the implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention and of its request for donor agencies to support the organization of the workshop.

B. Matters relating to the least developed countries

(Agenda item 8 (b))

1. Proceedings

73. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2006/23. Statements were made by representatives of seven Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²⁴

74. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited Mr. Jallow, Chair of the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG), to report on progress in the implementation of the LEG programme of work.

75. At the 4th meeting, the Chair informed the SBI of the two replacement members of the LEG for 2007 (see annex II).

76. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²⁵ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

77. The SBI took note of the oral report by the Chair of the LEG, and of the written report on the tenth meeting of the LEG held in Kampala, Uganda, from 4 to 6 September 2006 (FCCC/SBI/2006/23).

78. The SBI thanked the Government of Uganda for hosting the tenth meeting of the LEG and expressed its appreciation to the Governments of Belgium, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand and Norway for providing financial resources in support of the work of the LEG.

79. The SBI noted with satisfaction that to date eight national adaptation programmes of action (NAPAs) have been submitted to the secretariat, and that a further seven have been submitted to the LEG for comments.

80. The SBI encouraged those least developed country Parties that are preparing their NAPAs to continue to do so.

81. The SBI welcomed the offer of the Government of the Solomon Islands to host the eleventh meeting of the LEG in Honiara, Solomon Islands.

82. The SBI requested the LEG, in accordance with document FCCC/SBI/2006/11, paragraph 75, to report on the expected outcomes of activities relating to the implementation of the LEG work programme for 2006–2007.

²⁴ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

²⁵ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.23.

83. The SBI expressed its appreciation to the LEG for its good work in implementing the LEG work programme for 2006–2007 and encouraged the LEG, in the implementation of its work programme, to seek to ensure the complementarity of its activities, contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/9, annex I, with related efforts by the GEF and its implementing agencies.

84. The SBI requested the LEG to convene a meeting, with the assistance of the secretariat and subject to the availability of resources, to take stock of the progress made by Parties in NAPA preparation and implementation.

85. The SBI also requested the LEG to consult, through the secretariat, on input for this meeting from the secretariat of the GEF and its implementing agencies, and to report on the outcomes of the meeting to the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

86. The SBI invited Parties in a position to do so to continue to support the work of the LEG and provide resources in support of its work programme.

IX. Matters relating to Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 9)

87. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2006/27. Statements were made by representatives of six Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,²⁶ and one on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

88. At the 3rd meeting, the Chair invited Mr. Al-Waleed Hamad Al-Malik (United Arab Emirates), who co-chaired the workshop on Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol together with Ms. Eva Jensen (Denmark), to report on this workshop.

89. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Ms. Churie-Kallhauge and Mr. Al-Malik. At the 4th meeting, Mr. Al-Malik reported on these consultations.

90. As the group could not reach agreed conclusions on this issue and in accordance with rule 16 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, at its 4th meeting the SBI agreed to forward the item to the twenty-sixth session of the SBI.

X. Capacity-building under the Convention

(Agenda item 10)

1. Proceedings

91. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 4th meetings, on 7 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/5, FCCC/SBI/2006/16, FCCC/SBI/2006/22 and FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.4 and Corr.1 and Add.1. Statements were made by representatives of eight Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²⁷

²⁶ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

²⁷ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

92. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited the representative of the International Alliance of Indigenous Peoples and Tribal Peoples of the Tropical Forests to make a statement on behalf of the indigenous peoples organizations.

93. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in a contact group co-chaired by Mr. Crispin D'Auvergne (St. Lucia) and Mr. Helmut Hojesky (Austria). At the 4th meeting, Mr. D'Auvergne reported on the contact group's consultations.

94. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²⁸ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

95. The SBI welcomed the reports from the secretariat²⁹ on activities being implemented to support capacity-building in developing countries.

96. The SBI noted the report on the progress of the GEF³⁰ in developing capacity-building performance indicators.

97. The SBI also noted the efforts in capacity-building by various Parties and organizations, and expressed strong support for including information and outcomes of those activities in the monitoring of the capacity-building framework under the Convention.

98. The SBI decided to recommend a draft decision³¹ on the subject for adoption by the COP at its twelfth session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/2006/SBI/L.35/Add.1).

XI. Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 11)

1. Proceedings

99. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/5, FCCC/SBI/2006/16, FCCC/SBI/2006/22 and FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.4 and Corr.1 and Add.1. Statements were made by representatives of three Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.³²

100. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in a contact group co-chaired by Mr. D'Auvergne and Mr. Hojesky. At the 4th meeting, Mr. Hojesky reported on the contact group's consultations.

101. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³³ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

102. The SBI welcomed the report by the secretariat on activities being implemented to support capacity-building in developing countries (FCCC/SBI/2006/16).

²⁸ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.35.

²⁹ FCCC/SBI/2006/5, FCCC/SBI/2006/16 and FCCC/SBI/2006/22.

³⁰ FCCC/CP/2006/3 and Corr.1.

³¹ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 4/CP.12.

³² This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

³³ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.34.

103. The SBI noted the efforts in capacity-building by Parties and various organizations in response to decision 29/CMP.1, and expressed strong support for the inclusion of information and outcomes of those activities in monitoring of the capacity-building framework for developing countries contained in the annex to decision 2/CP.7.

104. The SBI welcomed the value of sharing best practices and lessons of the first informal designated national authorities forum of the clean development mechanism (CDM) which was convened in Bonn, Germany, in October 2006.

105. The SBI noted the relevant sections of the report of the Executive Board of the CDM related to regional distribution of CDM project activities and related capacity-building.

106. The SBI welcomed the meeting held in Nairobi, Kenya, and organized by United Nations agencies³⁴ and other key organizations³⁵ to develop a coherent approach to capacity-building for CDM activities for the African region, but recognized the need to also address the special needs of least developed countries and SIDS.

107. The SBI decided to recommend a draft decision³⁶ on this matter for adoption by the COP/MOP at its second session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/SBI/2006/L.34/Add.1).

XII. Amendment of the Kyoto Protocol in respect of procedures and mechanisms relating to compliance

(Agenda item 12)

108. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. A statement was made by the representative of one Party speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.³⁷

109. At its 4th meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this matter at its twenty-sixth session, with a view to completing its consideration at its twenty-seventh session.

110. At the same meeting, the Chair informed the SBI that he would give an oral report based on the conclusions on this agenda item to the COP/MOP at its closing plenary on 17 November.

XIII. Report of the Administrator of the international transaction log under the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 13)

1. Proceedings

111. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/7. Statements were made by representatives of two Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.³⁸

112. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³⁹ proposed by the Chair.

³⁴ UNDP, UNEP and the UNFCCC Secretariat.

³⁵ The World Bank Group and the African Development Bank.

³⁶ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/10/Add.1, decision 6/CMP.2.

³⁷ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

³⁸ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

³⁹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.28.

2. Conclusions

113. The SBI took note of the annual report of the administrator of the international transaction log (ITL) for 2006 (FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/7). It noted with appreciation that the ITL is being implemented in time to allow for the linking of registry systems to the ITL by April 2007, in accordance with decision 12/CMP.1. It also noted with satisfaction that the Registry System Administrators Forum (RSA Forum), convened by the administrator of the ITL, facilitates cooperation among RSAs.

114. The SBI reiterated the importance of making rapid progress in the implementation of registry systems by Parties to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol with a commitment inscribed in Annex B to the Protocol (Annex B Parties) in order to enable their registry systems to become fully operational with the ITL by April 2007. The SBI requested the secretariat to report to the SBI, at its twenty-sixth session, on progress made in the implementation of the ITL. The SBI reiterated the request made by the COP/MOP for the administrator of the ITL to facilitate an interactive exercise relating to the functioning of the ITL in accordance with paragraph 7 of decision 12/CMP.1.

115. The SBI expressed its appreciation to Parties that have contributed to the UNFCCC Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities in relation to the development of the ITL.

116. The SBI noted the shortfalls specified in the annual report of the administrator of the ITL referred to in paragraph 113 above and, in order to improve transparency, requested the administrator of the ITL to provide Annex B Parties with further substantiation of these shortfalls no later than 31 December 2006.

117. The SBI urged Annex B Parties to pay fees to cover the shortfalls in accordance with decision 34/CMP.1, in an expeditious manner, in order to support the robust and reliable operation of the ITL in 2007, and requested the administrator of the ITL to notify Parties of the fees to be collected no later than 31 December 2006.

118. The SBI invited Parties to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol to submit to the secretariat, by 31 January 2007, their views on an approach to be taken by the Executive Secretary as regards the collection of fees from users of the ITL with a view to the ITL becoming self-sustaining as soon as possible.

XIV. Administrative, financial and institutional matters

(Agenda item 14)

A. Audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005

(Agenda item 14 (a))

Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007

(Agenda item 14 (b))

Continuing review of the functions and operations of the secretariat

(Agenda item 14 (c))

1. Proceedings

119. The SBI considered these sub-items at its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/14 and Add.1–2, FCCC/SBI/2006/15 and

FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.6. Statements were made by representatives of five Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁴⁰

120. At its 1st meeting, the SBI agreed to consider these sub-items together in informal consultations convened by Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Dovland reported on these consultations.

121. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴¹ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

122. The SBI took note of the audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005, the report by the United Nations Board of Auditors, and the secretariat's response to the audit report and the status of implementation of the audit recommendations (FCCC/SBI/2006/14 and Adds. 1–2).

123. The SBI took note of the information relating to income and budget performance as at 30 June 2006 (FCCC/SBI/2006/15) and the status of contributions as at 15 October 2006 (FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.6) and requested the secretariat to provide, in future reports, a more detailed overview of the status of income received and expenditures incurred for each activity covered by supplementary funds.

124. It also took note of the information on travel of members of constituted bodies contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/15. Bearing in mind the implications for the programme budgets for current and future bienniums, the SBI took note of the current practice⁴² on travel of members of constituted bodies, which should be maintained. It acknowledged the request made to the secretariat by the Executive Board of the CDM and the action taken thereon, subject to the availability of funds. It also took note of the requests by the Compliance Committee and the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee.

125. The SBI also took note of the continuing review of the functions and operations of the secretariat as contained in several documents, particularly in document FCCC/SBI/2006/15. The SBI agreed to consider this matter again at its twenty-seventh session, in accordance with its decision (FCCC/SBI/2004/19, para. 105) taken at its twenty-first session to continue to consider this matter annually.

126. The SBI encouraged the continued efforts by the Executive Secretary to ensure a wider geographical balance in the appointment of staff at senior and managerial levels within the rubric of Article 101.3 of the Charter of the United Nations and the applicable rules, guidelines and practices of the United Nations and the secretariat.

127. The SBI decided to recommend draft decisions^{43,44} on administrative, financial and institutional matters for adoption by the COP at its twelfth session (for the text of the decision, see FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21/Add.1) and by the COP/MOP at its second session (for the text of the decision, see (FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21/Add.2).

⁴⁰ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁴¹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21.

⁴² Funding is offered to delegates from eligible developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition and is limited to an air ticket for the most direct route and at the least costly fare, plus daily subsistence allowance at the established United Nations rate.

⁴³ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 8/CP.12.

⁴⁴ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/10/Add.1, decision 11/CMP.2.

B. Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 14 (d))

1. Proceedings

128. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 3rd and 4th meetings, on 8 and 14 November, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/20 and FCCC/SBI/2006/21. Statements were made by representatives of two Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁴⁵

129. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in a contact group chaired by Mr. Paul Watkinson (France). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Watkinson reported on the contact group's consultations.

130. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁶ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

131. The SBI, at its twenty-fifth session, decided to recommend a draft decision⁴⁷ for adoption by the COP/MOP at its second session.

XV. Other matters

(Agenda item 15)

A. Level of emissions for the base year of Croatia

(Agenda item 15 (a))

1. Proceedings

132. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 4th meetings, on 6 and 14 November, respectively. Statements were made by the representatives of two Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁴⁸

133. At its 1st meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in informal consultations convened by Mr. Jim Penman (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland). At the 4th meeting, Mr. Penman reported on these consultations.

134. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁹ proposed by the Chair. The Party representing the European Community and its member States stated that this decision does not affect the base year level of emissions for Croatia for the implementation of its commitments under Article 3 of the Kyoto Protocol for the first commitment period.

⁴⁵ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁴⁶ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.22.

⁴⁷ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/10/Add.1, decision 9/CMP.2.

⁴⁸ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁴⁹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.20.

2. Conclusions

135. The SBI, at its twenty-fifth session, decided to recommend a draft decision⁵⁰ for adoption by the COP at its twelfth session.

B. Any other matters

(Agenda item 15 (b))

Proceedings

136. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 4th meeting, on 14 November. Statements were made by the representatives of three Parties, including one speaking on behalf of AOSIS and one on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁵¹

137. At its 4th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁵² proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

138. The SBI, recognizing that SIDS are among those Parties that are particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change, invited Parties to take into account relevant aspects of the Mauritius Declaration and the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States (Mauritius Strategy) in their consideration of the ongoing work of the SBI and the SBSTA, as appropriate.

139. The SBI requested the secretariat to prepare an information document, to be made available in time for the twenty-sixth session of the subsidiary bodies, on how relevant provisions of the Mauritius Strategy are currently reflected in the work of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol, for the information of Parties when considering relevant agenda items.

140. The SBI invited the SIDS to consider, at the expert meeting called for in paragraph 8 (b) of decision 1/CP.10, how relevant provisions of the Mauritius Strategy are currently, or could be, reflected in the work of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol under existing agenda items.

XVI. Report on the session

(Agenda item 16)

141. At its 4th meeting, on 14 November, the SBI considered and adopted the draft report on its twenty-fifth session (FCCC/SBI/2006/L.19). At the same meeting, on a proposal by the Chair, the SBI authorized the Rapporteur to complete the report on the session, with the assistance of the secretariat and under the guidance of the Chair.

XVII. Closure of the session

142. At the 4th meeting, on 14 November, the representative of the Executive Secretary shared with the SBI a preliminary evaluation of the resource implications of conclusions adopted. This follows decision 16/CP.9, paragraph 20, which requests the Executive Secretary to provide an indication of the administrative and budgetary implications of decisions if these cannot be met from existing resources within the core budget.

⁵⁰ For the text as adopted, see document FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, decision 7/CP.12.

⁵¹ This statement was made in association with Bulgaria, Romania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Serbia.

⁵² Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2006/L.27.

143. According to the secretariat's first estimates, the conclusions and draft decisions adopted during the twenty-fifth session of the SBI will require additional resources of approximately USD 400,000 in 2007. These arise from the organization of consultations and an expert workshop, and the preparation and issuance of related documents.

144. The representative of the Executive Secretary indicated that the secretariat will further analyze the conclusions and incorporate the requirements in the list of supplementary activities. On behalf of the Executive Secretary, he encouraged interested Parties to start considering voluntary contributions to the activities requested during the twenty-fifth session of the SBI.

145. A statement was made by the representative of one Party speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.

146. At the same meeting, the Chair thanked delegates, the chairs of contact groups and convenors of informal consultations for their contributions. He also thanked the secretariat for its support.

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Mr. Samuel Adejuwon (Nigeria)
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Mr. Jose Villarin (Philippines)
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SIDS LDC Parties

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Ms. Michelle Campbell (Canada)
Ms. Elizabeth Harvey (Canada)

Annex III**Documents before the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
at its twenty-fifth session****Documents prepared for the session**

FCCC/SBI/2006/12	Provisional agenda and annotations. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2006/12/Add.1	Provisional agenda and annotations. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Supplementary provisional agenda
FCCC/SBI/2006/13	Report on the expert meeting on response measures. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/14	Audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2006/14/Add.1	Audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Comments by the secretariat on the draft report of the United Nations Board of Auditors
FCCC/SBI/2006/14/Add.2	Audited financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Financial statements for the biennium 2004–2005
FCCC/SBI/2006/15	Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007 as at 30 June 2006. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/16	Report on activities to implement the framework for capacity-building under decision 2/CP.7. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/17	Synthesis report on regional workshops on Article 6 of the Convention. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/18	Report on the expert meeting on economic diversification. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/19	Report on the Latin American regional workshop on adaptation. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/20	Consultations by the secretariat with the Secretary-General of the United Nations on privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/21	Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/22	Report on progress of the Global Environment Facility in developing capacity-building performance indicators. Note by the secretariat

FCCC/SBI/2006/23	Report on the work of the Least Developed Countries Expert Group. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/24	Report by the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention on ways to improve access to financial and technical support to prepare second and subsequent national communications. Note by the Chair of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention
FCCC/SBI/2006/25	Progress report on the activities of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/26	National greenhouse gas inventory data for the period 1990–2004 and status of reporting. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/27	Report on the workshop on reporting methodologies in the context of Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.5	Information on financial support provided by the Global Environment Facility for the preparation of initial and subsequent national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.6	Status of contributions as at 15 October 2006. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.7	Status of submissions of fourth national communications and reports demonstrating progress under the Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.14	Information on activities relating to the preparation of national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Submissions from Parties and relevant international organizations
FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.15	Views on advancing work on the prototype information network clearing house for Article 6 of the Convention. Submissions from Parties
FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.16	Information on issues contained in the annex to the Subsidiary Body for Implementation conclusions on the Adaptation Fund. Submissions from relevant international institutions
FCCC/SBI/2006/MISC.17	Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol. Submission from a Party
FCCC/SBI/2006/L.19	Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on its twenty-fifth session
FCCC/SBI/2006/L.20	Level of emissions for the base year of Croatia. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21	Administrative, financial and institutional matters. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21/Add.1 Administrative, financial and institutional matters. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.21/Add.2 Administrative, financial and institutional matters. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.22 Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.23 Matters relating to the least developed countries. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.24 Provision of financial and technical support. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.25 Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.26 Article 6 of the Convention. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.27 Any other matters. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.28 Report of the administrator of the international transaction log under the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.29 Adaptation Fund. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.29/Add.1 Adaptation Fund. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
- FCCC/SBI/2006/L.30 Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
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