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**Draft decisions forwarded for adoption
by the Conference of the Parties
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Draft decision -/CMP.3. Demonstration of progress in achieving commitments under the Kyoto Protocol by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention

Draft decision -/CP.13. Date and venue of the fourteenth and fifteenth sessions of the Conference of the Parties and the calendar of meetings of Convention bodies

Draft decision -/CP.13. Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009
(including draft decision -/CMP.3. Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009)

I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

1. The twenty-sixth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) was held at the Maritim Hotel, Bonn, Germany, from 7 to 18 May 2007.
2. The Chair of the SBI, Mr. Bagher Asadi (Islamic Republic of Iran), opened the session and welcomed all Parties and observers. He also welcomed Mr. József Feiler (Hungary), Vice-Chair of the SBI, and Ms. Kuenta Morebotsane (Lesotho), replacement Rapporteur in accordance with Article 15, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol. The Chair expressed his gratitude to the entire intergovernmental body for his election and thanked the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) as well as the secretariat for their support.
3. The Chair invited the Executive Secretary of the UNFCCC, Mr. Yvo de Boer, to address the SBI. The Executive Secretary used the occasion of addressing the SBI for the first time since taking office to take stock and to share some of his impressions after eight months in this function, and to reflect on the challenges ahead. He highlighted the importance for the secretariat to strengthen its cooperation with other United Nations agencies. He also noted the enormous growth in the work to support the project-based mechanisms and the uncharted territory into which emissions trading and the international transaction log (ITL) had taken the secretariat. The Executive Secretary indicated that expectations for the thirteenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP) and the third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP) were high, including the expectation to provide a political answer to the Fourth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC). The pressure on the subsidiary bodies to prepare for a smooth conference in Bali was enormous, with one of the most significant expected outcomes for SBI being an adaptation package. In closing, the Executive Secretary confirmed the secretariat's readiness to support the SBI and its Chair as best it could in the work ahead.

II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

A. Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda item 2 (a))

4. At its 1st, 4th and 5th meetings, on 7, 10 and 18 May, respectively, the SBI considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/SBI/2007/1). Statements were made by representatives of 10 Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,¹ one on behalf of the Umbrella Group, one on behalf of the African Group, one on behalf of the Environmental Integrity Group, one on behalf of the Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS) and one on behalf of the least developed countries.
5. At the 1st meeting, following the proposal of the Chair, the SBI adopted the agenda as contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/1, with sub-items 4 (b) and 8 (a) held in abeyance. At the 4th meeting, sub-item 8 (a) was adopted as amended: Progress on the implementation of decision 1/CP.10.

¹ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

The agenda was adopted as follows:

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (b) Organization of the work of the session.
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) Status report on the review of fourth national communications.
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) *Agenda item held in abeyance*;
 - (c) Provision of financial and technical support.
5. Financial mechanism (Convention): Least Developed Countries Fund.
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. Progress on the implementation of the international transaction log.
14. Arrangements for intergovernmental meetings:
 - (a) Thirteenth session of the Conference of the Parties;
 - (b) Third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol;
 - (c) Future sessional periods;
 - (d) Observer organizations in the Convention process.

15. Administrative, financial and institutional matters:
 - (a) Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007;
 - (b) Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009;
 - (c) Implementation of paragraph 7 (c) of the financial procedures of the Convention concerning the financial support for participation in the UNFCCC process;
 - (d) Implementation of the Headquarters Agreement;
 - (e) Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol.
16. Other matters.
17. Report on the session.

6. At the 5th meeting, the Chair informed Parties that there was no consensus to include sub-item 4 (b) (Information contained in national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention) of the provisional agenda on the agenda of the meeting. On a proposal by the Chair, the SBI agreed to include this issue on the provisional agenda of its twenty-seventh session with the following footnote: “At the twenty-sixth session of the SBI there was no consensus to include this issue on the agenda. It was therefore held in abeyance. On a proposal by the Chair, the SBI decided that this issue be included on the provisional agenda of its twenty-seventh session.”

B. Organization of the work of the session (Agenda item 2 (b))

7. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st meeting, on 7 May, 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. The Chair invited Parties to take into account information contained in document FCCC/SB/2007/INF.2, on the relationship of various provisions of the Mauritius Strategy to the work of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol, when considering relevant agenda items.

8. The secretariat informed the SBI that applications for provisional accreditation to the sessions of the subsidiary bodies had been received from 11 non-governmental organizations. The SBI agreed to admit these organizations, on the basis of provisions of Article 7, paragraph 6, of the Convention, without prejudice to subsequent action by the COP.

9. At the 5th meeting, on 18 May, the Chair informed the SBI that, during the session, a meeting was organized for the Chair of the SBSTA and the Chair of the SBI with the chairs of the expert groups established under the Convention,² in which the Executive Secretary also participated. The aim of this meeting was threefold, namely to: exchange information on the status of each group’s work programme; exchange information on collaboration among the expert groups to date and consider recommendations for further collaboration; to consider the contribution of the groups to the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change. The Chair reported that good progress had been made so far by the three groups in enhancing collaboration among themselves and that they were determined to provide a strong input to the Nairobi work programme. Expert groups were commonly

² The Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention, the Expert Group on Technology Transfer and the Least Developed Countries Expert Group.

invited to attend meetings of other expert groups and this practice was expected to be continued in the future. In addition, expert groups were regularly given the opportunity to comment on each other's outputs such as training materials. The SBI and SBSTA Chairs were pleased to note that collaboration among the expert groups had become a good practice in the implementation of each group's work programme and hoped this collaboration would continue and even be enhanced in the coming years.

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))

1. Proceedings

10. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.4 and FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2. Statements were made by representatives of six Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,³ and one on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

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 5th meeting, Ms. Bersee reported on these consultations.

12. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

13. The SBI considered document FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2 containing a synthesis of the information provided by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention (Annex I Parties) that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol in their reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol, and document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.4 containing information on the status of submissions of fourth national communications and reports demonstrating progress under the Kyoto Protocol.

14. The SBI noted that only eight Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol met the deadline for the submission of their reports, 28 Parties submitted their reports by 1 May 2007 and one report is still pending.

15. The SBI noted the emission trends of Annex I Parties that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the other information as contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2.

16. The SBI agreed to recommend a draft decision⁵ on this matter for adoption by the CMP at its third session.

³ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

⁴ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.17.

⁵ FCCC/SBI/2007/L.17/Add.1. For the final text, see FCCC/SBI/2007/15/Add.1.

B. Status report on the review of fourth national communications

(Agenda item 3 (b))

17. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st meeting, on 7 May. It had before it and took note of document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.4. A statement was made by the representative of one Party speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁶

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

18. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2007/3, FCCC/SBI/2007/6, FCCC/SBI/2007/7, FCCC/SBI/2007/10 and Add.1. Statements were made by representatives of six Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,⁷ one on behalf of AOSIS and one on behalf of the African Group.

19. At its 2nd meeting, after consideration of sub-item 4 (c), the SBI agreed to consider both sub-items in informal consultations convened by Ms. Kristin Tilley (Australia) and Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas). At the 5th meeting, Ms. Tilley reported on these consultations.

20. At the 1st meeting, the Chair invited Ms. Lilian Portillo (Paraguay), Chair 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.

21. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁸ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

22. The SBI took note of the oral report of the Chair of the CGE on the outcome of the group's eighth meeting held in Belize City, Belize, on 1–3 March 2007, and welcomed the progress report on the activities of the CGE (FCCC/SBI/2007/10). It expressed its appreciation to the Government of Belize for hosting the meeting and to the Government of Canada for its financial contribution.

23. The SBI commended the CGE for its work in preparing the following reports aimed at, and which may be useful in, assisting Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (non-Annex I Parties) to improve the process of preparation of second and subsequent national communications:

- (a) Template on cross-cutting themes in national communications from non-Annex I Parties (FCCC/SBI/2007/3);
- (b) Cost-effective and comprehensive training strategy to support the preparation of national communications (FCCC/SBI/2007/6);

⁶ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

⁷ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

⁸ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.13.

- (c) Ways to improve the reporting of projects identified in national communications from non-Annex I Parties (FCCC/SBI/2007/7).

24. The SBI invited the National Communications Support Programme of the Global Environment Facility (GEF), the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), and international organizations to consider the reports referred to in paragraph 23 above when providing assistance to non-Annex I Parties in the process of preparation of their national communications.

25. The SBI noted that the reports referred to in paragraph 23 above may provide useful inputs for other processes under the Convention, such as capacity-building and the development and transfer of technologies.

26. The SBI invited the CGE, in cooperation with the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG) and the Expert Group on Technology Transfer, to assist Parties to make best use of the information contained in the documents referred to in paragraph 23 above.

27. The SBI invited non-Annex I Parties to use, on a voluntary basis, the tables contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/3, as a template for the provision of other information considered relevant to the achievement of the objective of the Convention, as referred to in decision 17/CP.8, annex, paragraphs 41–48.

28. The SBI requested the secretariat, subject to the availability of resources, to prepare information materials for dissemination to relevant experts from non-Annex I Parties, drawing on the reports referred to in paragraph 23 (a) and (c) above.

29. The SBI welcomed the report of the CGE on the outcomes of its stocktaking exercise for the period 2003–2007 (FCCC/SBI/2007/10/Add.1). It acknowledged that the CGE has made a substantial contribution to improving the process of preparation of the national communications from non-Annex I Parties by providing technical advice and support under its work programme 2003–2007.

30. The SBI reiterated its invitation to Parties (FCCC/SBI/2006/11, para. 28) to submit to the secretariat, by 15 August 2007, their views on the mandate and terms of reference of the CGE, and its request to the secretariat to compile these views into a miscellaneous document for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

B. Agenda item held in abeyance
(Agenda item 4 (b) *held in abeyance*)

C. Provision of financial and technical support
(Agenda item 4 (c))

1. Proceedings

31. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively (see para. 19 above). It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.2. 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.⁹

32. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited the representative of the GEF Secretariat to make a statement.

⁹ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

33. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹⁰ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

34. The SBI considered the information provided by the GEF on its operational procedures for the expedited financing of national communications from non-Annex I Parties (FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.2). The SBI expressed concern that this information was not updated and is incomplete.

35. The SBI invited the GEF to provide, in its report to the COP at its thirteenth session, detailed and current information on the modalities and source of funding for the preparation of second and subsequent national communications, and information on, and an explanation of, any changes to GEF procedures relating to the financing of national communications, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

36. The SBI reiterated that non-Annex I Parties may request assistance from the GEF in formulating and developing project proposals identified in their national communications (decision 5/CP.11, para. 2), in accordance with Article 12, paragraph 4, of the Convention.

37. The SBI invited the GEF to include in its report to the COP at its thirteenth session detailed information on the specific steps it has taken to respond to the request mentioned in paragraph 36 above, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

38. The SBI also invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 21 September 2007, their views on their current experiences with the GEF and its implementing agencies in relation to the provision of financial support for the preparation of national communications. The SBI requested the secretariat to compile these submissions into a miscellaneous document for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

V. Financial mechanism (Convention): Least Developed Countries Fund (Agenda item 5)

1. Proceedings

39. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. Statements were made by representatives of four Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.¹¹

40. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Mr. David Lesolle (Botswana). At the 5th meeting, Mr. Lesolle reported on these consultations.

41. At the 3rd meeting, on 8 May, the representative of Australia announced that it will provide up to 7.5 million Australian dollars to the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF). At the 5th meeting, the representative of New Zealand announced that it will contribute 1.8 million New Zealand dollars to the LDCF, an identical contribution to that made in 2006.

42. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹² proposed by the Chair.

¹⁰ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.12.

¹¹ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

¹² Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.2.

2. Conclusions

43. The SBI took note of the document “Programming Paper for Funding the Implementation of NAPAs under the LDC Trust Fund”¹³ developed by the GEF in response to guidance from the COP (decision 3/CP.11) and in consultation with least developed country Parties.
44. The SBI further noted with appreciation that USD 120 million has been pledged for the LDCF and recognized the need for the GEF to continue its efforts to mobilize additional resources to support the implementation of national adaptation programme of action (NAPA) project activities under the LDCF.
45. The SBI invited Parties and intergovernmental organizations to submit to the secretariat, by 19 September 2008, information on implementation of NAPAs, including on accessing funds from the LDCF, for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-ninth session.
46. The SBI invited the LEG to consider, in accordance with decision 3/CP.11 and as part of its stocktaking meeting, views on the experiences gained from the implementation of NAPAs, including those in accessing funds from the LDCF, and report back to the SBI at its twenty-ninth session.
47. The SBI decided to continue its deliberations on this matter at its twenty-ninth session, with a view to preparing an input for consideration by the COP at its fourteenth session (December 2008), to enable the COP to assess progress in the implementation of decision 3/CP.11 and consider the adoption of further guidance on the LDCF, as appropriate, taking into consideration:
- (a) The submissions referred to in paragraph 3 above;
 - (b) The report by the LEG referred to in paragraph 4 above;
 - (c) Information to be provided by the GEF in its report to the COP at its thirteenth session.

VI. Financial mechanism (Kyoto Protocol): Adaptation Fund (Agenda item 6)

1. Proceedings

48. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.2. Statements were made by representatives of seven Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, one on behalf of AOSIS, one on behalf of the least developed countries, one on behalf of the European Community and its member States,¹⁴ and one on behalf of the African Group.
49. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in a contact group co-chaired by Mr. Ositadinma Anaedu (Nigeria) and Mr. Jukka Uosukainen (Finland). At the 5th meeting, a report was presented, on behalf of the co-chairs, on the contact group’s consultations.
50. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹⁵ proposed by the Chair.

¹³ <http://thegef.org/Documents/Council_Documents/GEF_C28/documents/C.28.18LDCTrustFund_000.pdf>.

¹⁴ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

¹⁵ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.14.

2. Conclusions

51. The SBI took note of the submission on the views from an interested institution on how it would operationalize decision 5/CMP.2 (FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.2).
52. The SBI considered views from Parties on eligibility criteria, priority areas and monetization of the share of proceeds for the Adaptation Fund, and agreed on a negotiating text for a draft decision to be completed with, inter alia, elements on institutional arrangements (see annex I).
53. The SBI noted a paper prepared by the co-chairs of the contact group convened on the Adaptation Fund containing some points for discussion on institutional arrangements for further consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session (see annex II).
54. The SBI agreed to organize, in accordance with decision 5/CMP.2, with the assistance of the secretariat and subject to the availability of resources, consultations among Parties to discuss, inter alia, views and proposals for institutional arrangements, before the twenty-seventh session of the SBI.
55. The SBI agreed to continue its deliberations on this matter at its twenty-seventh session, on the basis of the negotiating text referred to in paragraph 51 above and taking into account, inter alia, the paper referred to in paragraph 52 above, with a view to preparing a draft decision for adoption by the CMP at its third session.

VII. Article 6 of the Convention

(Agenda item 7)

1. Proceedings

56. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.3 and Add.1. Statements were made by representatives of seven Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,¹⁶ and one on behalf of small island developing States.
57. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Ms. Marie Jaudet (France). At the 5th meeting, Ms. Jaudet reported on these consultations.
58. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited the representatives of UNEP, the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, the UNEP Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals and the Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds to make statements.
59. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions¹⁷ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

60. The SBI, at its twenty-sixth session, considered the compilation of views from Parties on the implementation of the New Delhi work programme on Article 6 of the Convention and on a possible future strategic approach (FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.3 and Add.1). The SBI noted that Parties were of the view that the New Delhi work programme is a useful tool in guiding the implementation of Article 6.
61. The SBI recognized that the implementation of Article 6 is a long-term process, and that a framework supporting its further realization is needed to sustain and promote national efforts. The

¹⁶ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

¹⁷ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.11, as amended.

SBI acknowledged that the New Delhi work programme should be extended and adapted to address gaps and needs identified by Parties in reviewing the work programme. Parties agreed that an extended New Delhi work programme should:

- (a) Have a defined time frame and milestones;
- (b) Continue to be country-driven and cost-effective and to acknowledge the diversity of national circumstances;
- (c) Foster national efforts and strengthen regional and subregional efforts;
- (d) Articulate objectives, roles and responsibilities, to allow for more efficient implementation and monitoring;
- (e) Provide additional focus on mentoring and exchange of materials;
- (f) Facilitate provision of technical and financial support.

62. The SBI recalled its previous conclusions on this matter (FCCC/SBI/2006/28, para. 61) and for consideration at its twenty-seventh session:

- (a) Requested the secretariat to prepare a report on the extent of implementation of the New Delhi work programme, including consideration of the usefulness of regional workshops, taking into account the views from Parties contained in documents FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.3 and Add.1 and drawing on information contained in national communications, document FCCC/SBI/2006/17, the report of the planned workshop for small island developing States and other relevant reports that may be collated by the secretariat;
- (b) Invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 17 August 2007, their views on an extended work programme, reflecting, inter alia, the elements reported in paragraph 60 above, for compilation into a miscellaneous document;
- (c) Requested the secretariat to prepare a synthesis report of these views that could form the basis of a draft future work programme, taking into account the proposed strategic approach outlined in document FCCC/SBI/2006/17.

63. The SBI requested the secretariat to continue its work on the information network clearing house (CC:iNet) and invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 17 August 2007, their views on issues relating to this work. Parties, when preparing their submissions, may wish to reflect on, inter alia:

- (a) Impact – the relevance and usefulness of such an information tool;
- (b) Content – relevance and usefulness of existing and possible additional information products;
- (c) Process – relevance of existing information sources and/or the need for additional sources, including options to source and update information in a proactive manner;
- (d) Structure – organization and presentation of information in the clearing house;
- (e) Accessibility – ease of access and promotion of the clearing house;
- (f) Aesthetic issues – such as navigation, appearance and name.

64. The SBI requested the secretariat to compile these views into a miscellaneous document and, if necessary, to undertake a survey of registered and other users of CC:iNet, which will focus, and further elaborate, on the key issues raised by Parties. The SBI also requested the secretariat to prepare, for consideration at its twenty-seventh session, an evaluation report that will draw on Parties' views, the results of the survey, if applicable, and usage and content rating statistics, and that will present recommendations on how to improve the clearing house and move towards its full-scale implementation.

65. The SBI observed that this year, the following theme days observed annually within the United Nations system are raising awareness about climate change issues:

- (a) World Meteorological Day, 23 March 2007: Polar meteorology – Understanding global impacts;
- (b) World Migratory Bird Day, 12 and 13 May: Migratory birds in a changing climate;¹⁸
- (c) International Day for Biological Diversity, 22 May: Biodiversity and climate change;¹⁹
- (d) World Environment Day, 5 June: Melting Ice – a hot topic?;²⁰
- (e) World Day to Combat Desertification, 17 June: Desertification and climate change – one global challenge.

66. The SBI invited the secretariat to seek the views of the organizing secretariats as well as other organizations on the success of these days in raising awareness about climate change issues, and to report back to the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

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))

1. Proceedings

67. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 4th and 5th meetings, on 10 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2006/13, FCCC/SBI/2006/18, FCCC/SBI/2006/19, FCCC/SBI/2007/2, FCCC/SBI/2007/11, FCCC/SBI/2007/13 and FCCC/SBI/2007/14. A statement was made by the representative of one Party speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.

68. At its 4th meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in a contact group co-chaired by Ms. Shayleen Thompson (Australia) and Mr. Philip Gwage (Uganda). At the 5th meeting, Ms. Thompson reported on the contact group's consultations.

69. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²¹ proposed by the Chair.

¹⁸ <<http://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org>>.

¹⁹ <<http://www.biodiv.org/programmes/outreach/awareness/biodiv-day-2007.shtml>>.

²⁰ <<http://www.unep.org/wed/2007/english/>>.

²¹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.16.

2. Conclusions

70. The SBI agreed to continue its deliberations on this matter at its twenty-seventh session, taking into consideration the outcomes of the regional workshops, expert meeting and pre-session expert meetings, as included in documents FCCC/SBI/2006/13, FCCC/SBI/2006/18, FCCC/SBI/2006/19, FCCC/SBI/2007/2, FCCC/SBI/2007/11, FCCC/SBI/2007/13 and FCCC/SBI/2007/14, the possible elements included in annex III, and the views of Parties on the above-mentioned outcomes, including possible elements for further action, with a view to considering what further actions may be required by the COP at its thirteenth session.

B. Matters relating to the least developed countries

(Agenda item 8 (b))

1. Proceedings

71. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/12. Statements were made by representatives of three Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,²² and one on behalf of the least developed countries.

72. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Mr. Lesolle. At the 5th meeting, Mr. Lesolle reported on these consultations.

73. At the 2nd meeting, the Chair invited Mr. Bubu Jallow, Chair of the LEG, to report on the group's activities.

74. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²³ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

75. The SBI welcomed the progress report of the Chair of the LEG and the report on the group's eleventh meeting held in Honiara, Solomon Islands, from 26 to 28 March 2007 (FCCC/SBI/2007/12).

76. The SBI welcomed the fifteen NAPAs submitted to the secretariat as at 1 May 2007.²⁴

77. The SBI strongly encouraged those countries which have not yet submitted their NAPAs to do so in a timely fashion.

78. The SBI took note of the elements of the LEG work programme for 2006–2007 that have been implemented so far, as described in document FCCC/SBI/2007/12.

79. The SBI requested the LEG, in accordance with document FCCC/SBI/2006/28, paragraph 82, to report to the SBI at its twenty-seventh session on expected outcomes of activities relating to the implementation of the LEG work programme for 2006–2007.

80. The SBI also noted the efforts of the LEG to keep the SBI informed of activities to implement the LEG work programme.

81. The SBI expressed its appreciation for the work of the LEG and requested the LEG to continue to ensure that its work is complementary with activities of other relevant actors, especially in designing

²² This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

²³ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.3.

²⁴ <http://unfccc.int/national_reports/napa/items/2719.php>.

and organizing the stocktaking meeting on NAPA preparation and implementation, scheduled to take place during the second sessional period in 2007.

82. The SBI expressed its gratitude to the Governments of Belgium, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand and Norway for providing financial resources to support the work of the LEG, and to the Government of Solomon Islands for hosting the eleventh LEG meeting in Honiara.

83. The SBI encouraged Parties in a position to do so to continue to support the work of the LEG and to provide resources in support of the LEG work programme, in fulfilment of the group's mandate outlined in decision 29/CP.7.

IX. Matters relating to Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol (Agenda item 9)

84. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2006/27. Statements were made by representatives of four Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²⁵

85. Parties could not reach agreement on how to proceed with the consideration of this issue and in accordance with rule 16 of the draft rules of procedure being applied, at its 5th meeting the SBI agreed to forward the item to the twenty-seventh session of the SBI.²⁶

X. Capacity-building under the Convention (Agenda item 10)

1. Proceedings

86. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/5. Statements were made by representatives of eight Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²⁷

87. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Mr. Crispin D'Auvergne (Saint Lucia) and Mr. Helmut Hojesky (Austria). At the 5th meeting, Mr. D'Auvergne reported on these consultations.

88. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions²⁸ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

89. The SBI took note of the report by the secretariat on a possible format for reporting on the regular monitoring of the implementation of the capacity-building framework (FCCC/SBI/2007/5).

90. The SBI reiterated the request to the secretariat to produce a synthesis report in accordance with decision 4/CP.12, for consideration by the SBI annually in its second sessional period.

91. The SBI further reiterated the request to the GEF to provide a report on its progress in accordance with decision 4/CP.12.

²⁵ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

²⁶ A representative of Saudi Arabia made a statement requesting the establishment of a contact group at the twenty-seventh session of the SBI to discuss the substance of decision 31/CMP.1.

²⁷ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

²⁸ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.8.

92. The SBI agreed that the synthesis report referred to in decision 4/CP.12, paragraph 1 (c), should provide an overview of capacity-building activities and a summary of these activities as indicated in annex IV.

93. The SBI invited Parties, multilateral and bilateral agencies and other intergovernmental organizations and institutions to consider the use of the format referred to in paragraph 88 above in preparing their submissions in accordance with decisions 4/CP.12 and 2/CP.7, and requested the secretariat to compile these submissions into a miscellaneous document for consideration by the SBI annually in its second sessional period.

94. The SBI decided that a two-day workshop, organized pursuant to decision 4/CP.12, should focus on the following topics:

- (a) Approaches to monitoring capacity-building activities, including practical examples of such activities;
- (b) Approaches to evaluating capacity-building activities, including practical examples of such activities;
- (c) Enhancement of the effectiveness of capacity-building through sharing experiences, lessons learned, and best practices on the use of results of monitoring and evaluation.

95. The workshop would consist of presentations and discussions on the following:

- (a) Experiences of Parties;
- (b) Experiences of relevant multilateral and bilateral agencies, and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations;
- (c) Efforts by the GEF and its implementing agencies to monitor and evaluate capacity-building activities, and develop and apply performance indicators relevant to monitoring and evaluation;
- (d) Lessons learned from proven approaches to monitoring and evaluation.

96. The SBI reiterated its request to the secretariat to report on the outcome of this workshop for consideration by the SBI at its twenty-seventh session.

XI. Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 11)

1. Proceedings

97. The SBI considered this item at its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/5. Statements were made by representatives of two Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.²⁹

98. At its 2nd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Mr. D'Auvergne and Mr. Hojesky. At the 5th meeting, Mr. Hojesky reported on these consultations.

99. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³⁰ proposed by the Chair.

²⁹ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

³⁰ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.9.

2. Conclusions

100. The SBI took note of decision 6/CMP.2 inviting Parties, relevant multilateral and bilateral agencies, and the private sector to provide information on capacity-building activities undertaken pursuant to decision 29/CMP.1.

101. The SBI requested the secretariat to compile the submissions by Parties and appropriate reports of relevant multilateral and bilateral agencies and the private sector, referred to in decision 6/CMP.2, into a miscellaneous document for consideration by the SBI annually in its second sessional period.

102. The SBI took note of the format (see annex IV) to guide the secretariat in the preparation of the synthesis report referred to in decision 4/CP.12. The SBI agreed that this format is also relevant for the preparation of the synthesis report referred to in decision 6/CMP.2, and that decision 29/CMP.1 should guide the reporting on the categories in that report.

103. The SBI invited Parties and other relevant organizations to consider use of the format referred to above in preparing their submissions referred to in decision 6/CMP.2.

104. The SBI agreed that the synthesis report referred to in paragraph 101 above should be presented jointly with the report for capacity-building under the Convention referred to in decision 4/CP.12.

105. The SBI noted with appreciation the organization of the second meeting of the clean development mechanism (CDM) designated national authorities forum (DNA forum) held on 26–27 March 2007, the informal meeting of the DNA forum held on 11 May 2007, and the special event on the Nairobi Framework³¹ held on 14 May 2007. The SBI acknowledged the importance of such forums for, inter alia, exchanging experiences and lessons learned with respect to the CDM, and identifying further capacity-building measures in developing countries. The SBI also noted that it looks forward to receiving reports on these events.

106. The SBI reiterated the request by the CMP to continue with the implementation of measures to assist non-Annex I Parties, in particular least developed countries and small island developing States, and bearing in mind the difficulties faced by Africa in attracting CDM projects, to carry out capacity-building activities as defined in decision 29/CMP.1, in order to facilitate the participation of countries in the Africa region in the CDM (decision 6/CMP.2).

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

(Agenda item 12)

107. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively.

108. At its 5th meeting, the SBI agreed to continue consideration of this matter at its twenty-seventh session, with a view to completing its consideration at that session.

XIII. Progress on the implementation of the international transaction log

(Agenda item 13)

1. Proceedings

109. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.3. Statements were made by representatives of four Parties,

³¹ Implementing the Nairobi Framework: a mobilization event <http://cdm.unfccc.int/Nairobi_Framework>.

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

110. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in informal consultations convened by Ms. Shuang Zheng (China). At the 5th meeting, Ms. Shuang Zheng reported on these consultations.

111. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³³ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

112. The SBI took note of the report on progress on the implementation of the ITL (FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.3).

113. The SBI commended the secretariat, in its role as ITL administrator, for implementing the ITL in the time frame requested by the CMP and making it available to Parties to the Convention that are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol with commitments inscribed in Annex B to the Kyoto Protocol (Annex B Parties) for the connection of their national registries.

114. The SBI also commended the secretariat for its work in facilitating cooperation among registry system administrators (RSAs) and requested that it continue this work. The SBI noted in particular that the common operational procedures relating to change management, data reconciliation and independent assessment reporting have been developed for implementation by RSAs.

115. The SBI urged Annex B Parties to complete their national registries and, in collaboration with the ITL administrator, establish their connections to the ITL in time for the information on registry connections to be reviewed during the initial review of Parties under Article 8 of the Kyoto Protocol. The SBI urged the secretariat to continue facilitating the connection of national registries through appropriate planning and scheduling.

116. The SBI encouraged Annex B Parties to initiate the operation of their national registries with the ITL as soon as possible and no later than December 2007 in order to allow the timely delivery of certified emission reductions.

117. The SBI reiterated the importance of ensuring that sufficient resources are made available to the secretariat for it to implement and operate the ITL and undertake other related activities. It further requested the secretariat to ensure that the resources are used efficiently and that past and future resource requirements are reported in a transparent manner in annual reports of the administrator of the ITL.

³² This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

³³ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.15.

XIV. Arrangements for intergovernmental meetings

(Agenda item 14)

A. Thirteenth session of the Conference of the Parties

(Agenda item 14 (a))

Third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 14 (b))

1. Proceedings

118. The SBI considered these sub-items together at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/9. Statements were made by representatives of 10 Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States,³⁴ and one on behalf of AOSIS.

119. The Chair thanked the Government of Indonesia for its offer to host the next sessions of the Convention bodies.

120. At its 1st meeting, the SBI agreed to consider these sub-items together with sub-items (c) and (d) in a contact group chaired by Ms. Outi Berghäll (Finland). At the 5th meeting, Ms. Berghäll reported on the contact group's consultations.

121. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³⁵ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

122. The SBI expressed its thanks to the Government of Indonesia for its generous offer to host the thirteenth session of the COP (COP 13) and the third session of the CMP (CMP 3). It noted with appreciation the preparations being made by the Government of Indonesia and the secretariat to convene COP 13 and CMP 3 at the Bali International Conference Centre in Nusa Dua, Bali, from 3 to 14 December 2007. The SBI also noted that additional investments in infrastructure will be required in order for the conference to be held, and welcomed the decision of the Government of Indonesia to build temporary structures and provide additional services as required within an appropriate time frame.

123. The SBI requested the secretariat to take note of the views expressed by Parties on the possible elements of the provisional agendas for COP 13 and CMP 3.

124. The SBI endorsed the dates of 12–14 December 2007 for the high-level segment of COP 13 and CMP 3 to be attended by ministers and other heads of delegation. The SBI also recommended that national statements be the mode of exchange between ministers and other heads of delegation in the joint meetings of the COP and the CMP during the high-level segment. The SBI recommended that the high-level segment include a presentation by the IPCC on its Fourth Assessment Report.

125. The SBI recommended that the proposed overview of the sessional period contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/9 serve as the general basis for planning and organizing COP 13 and CMP 3, and noted that some modifications may be necessary to ensure the smooth functioning of the session. The SBI invited the Bureau of COP 12 to finalize the details of the arrangements for COP 13 and CMP 3,

³⁴ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, and Turkey.

³⁵ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7, paragraphs 1–4.

including arrangements for the high-level segment, in collaboration with the President designate of COP 13 and the secretariat.

B. Future sessional periods

(Agenda item 14 (c))

1. Proceedings

126. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively (see para. 119 above). It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/9. Statements were made by representatives of four Parties.

127. The Chair thanked the Government of Poland for its generous offer to host the fourteenth session of the COP and fourth session of the CMP. He also thanked the Government of Denmark for its generous offer to host the fifteenth session of the COP and the fifth session of the CMP.

128. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³⁶ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

129. The SBI expressed its thanks to the Government of Austria for offering to host the intersessional meetings of the fourth workshop under the dialogue on long-term cooperative action to address climate change by enhancing implementation of the Convention, and the fourth session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol at the Austria Centre, Vienna. The SBI noted that the intersessional meetings would be held from 27 to 31 August 2007.

130. The SBI expressed its thanks to the Government of Poland for offering to host COP 14 and CMP 4. The SBI took note of the information provided by the secretariat on its fact-finding mission to Poland and recommended a draft decision³⁷ on this matter for adoption by the COP at its thirteenth session.

131. The SBI expressed its thanks to the Government of Denmark for offering to host COP 15 and CMP 5 and recommended a draft decision³⁸ on this matter for adoption by the COP at its thirteenth session.

132. The SBI recommended the dates of 14–25 May and 26 November to 7 December for the sessional periods in 2012 for adoption by the COP at its thirteenth session.

C. Observer organizations in the Convention process

(Agenda item 14 (d))

1. Proceedings

133. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively (see para. 119 above). It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/9.

134. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions³⁹ proposed by the Chair.

³⁶ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7, paragraphs 5–8.

³⁷ FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7/Add.1. For the final text, see FCCC/SBI/2007/15/Add.1.

³⁸ FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7/Add.1. For the final text, see FCCC/SBI/2007/15/Add.1.

³⁹ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7, paragraph 9.

2. Conclusions

135. The SBI took note of the information contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/9 and requested the secretariat to monitor and incorporate into its current practices any relevant development of good practices within the United Nations system in order to further enhance the participation of observer organizations, and to report back to the SBI as appropriate or at the latest at its thirtieth session.

XV. Administrative, financial and institutional matters

(Agenda item 15)

A. Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007

(Agenda item 15 (a))

1. Proceedings

136. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.1 and FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.5. A statement was made by the representative of one Party.

137. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁰ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

138. The SBI took note of the interim financial statements for the biennium 2006–2007, as at 31 December 2006, contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.1.

139. The SBI also took note of the status of contributions as at 30 April 2007 contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.5 and expressed its appreciation to the Parties that had paid their contributions to the core budget on time, and particularly to those Parties that had made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process and the Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities. In consideration of the report of the Board of Auditors, the SBI also expressed concern over the outstanding contributions, particularly those spanning several years, and strongly urged those Parties that had not yet made their contributions to do so as soon as possible.

B. Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009

(Agenda item 15 (b))

1. Proceedings

140. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2007/8 and Add.1–2, and FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.1. Statements were made by representatives of five Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁴¹

141. At its 1st meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item in a contact group chaired by Mr. Harald Dovland (Norway). At the 5th meeting, Mr. Dovland reported on the contact group's consultations.

⁴⁰ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.4.

⁴¹ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

142. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴² proposed by the Chair. A representative of Canada stated that Canada fully supported the implementation of the ITL as an integral component of the Kyoto Protocol and was pleased to associate itself with the draft decision subject to fulfilling its domestic budgetary approval procedures. A representative of Mexico stated that Mexico was supportive of the secretariat's work and the level of the budget, but in view of the substantive increase of its United Nations scale of assessment, it would be difficult to pay its contribution to the core budget.

2. Conclusions

143. The SBI decided to recommend that the COP at its thirteenth session approve a core programme budget of USD 54,031,584 (EUR 41,172,068) for the biennium 2008–2009.

144. The SBI also decided to propose a contingency budget for conference services amounting to USD 7,710,600, to be added to the programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009 in the event that the United Nations General Assembly decides not to provide resources for these activities in the United Nations regular budget.

145. The SBI authorized the Executive Secretary to notify Parties of their 2008 contributions, based on the budget amount shown in paragraph 142 above, after taking into account the special annual contribution from the Host Government of EUR 766,938 and a drawing of USD 1 million annually from the unspent balances or contributions (carry-over) from previous financial periods.

146. The SBI also authorized the Executive Secretary to notify concerned Parties of their annual fee for 2008 for the connection of their national registry to, and use of, the ITL and for the related activities of the ITL administrator.

147. The SBI requested the secretariat, when drafting future budget proposals, to present the budget in the format and at the level of detail provided in the previous biennium,⁴³ and submit the proposals in a timely manner.

148. The SBI also requested the secretariat to make available more detailed information relating to supplementary funded activities on its website <<http://unfccc.int>>.

149. The SBI requested, in the course of the Executive Secretary's implementation of the programme budget, that support to developing countries and other key areas of work in the proposed programme budget not be adversely affected.

150. The SBI decided to recommend a draft decision⁴⁴ on the programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009, including a draft decision on the programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009 as it applies to the Kyoto Protocol, for adoption by the CMP at its third session, for adoption by the COP at its thirteenth session.

⁴² Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.18.

⁴³ FCCC/SBI/2005/8 and Add.1.

⁴⁴ FCCC/SBI/2007/L.18/Add.1. For the final text see FCCC/SBI/2007/15/Add.1.

C. Implementation of paragraph 7 (c) of the financial procedures of the Convention concerning the financial support for participation in the UNFCCC process
(Agenda item 15 (c))

1. Proceedings

151. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2007/4.

152. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁵ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

153. The SBI considered the information contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/4 and noted the practice of withholding funding to eligible Parties to participate in the UNFCCC process if they have contributions to the core budget outstanding for two years or more.

154. The SBI concluded that this practice has had little effect on the payment of contributions to the core budget and on the number of Parties that have had access to financial support provided by the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process.

155. The SBI requested the secretariat to discontinue this practice and further requested the secretariat to continue to urge Parties through other means, including issuing reminders, at each session of the SBI, to meet their commitments under the core budget.

D. Implementation of the Headquarters Agreement

(Agenda item 15 (d))

1. Proceedings

156. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1st and 5th meetings, on 7 and 18 May, respectively. Statements were made by the representative of the Host Government and by the Executive Secretary.

157. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁶ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

158. The SBI took note of the statement made by the representative of the Host Government describing progress made on the accommodation of the secretariat's offices at the United Nations Campus in Bonn, Germany. It noted with gratitude the Host Government's pledge to cover the costs of the construction and refurbishment of, and the necessary expenditures for the move to, the United Nations campus. It also took note of the statement by the Executive Secretary, in which he expressed his satisfaction with the implementation of the Headquarters Agreement.

159. The SBI invited the Host Government and the Executive Secretary to report to it at its twenty-eighth session on further progress made on the implementation of the Headquarters Agreement.

⁴⁵ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.5.

⁴⁶ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.6.

**E. Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies
established under the Kyoto Protocol**
(Agenda item 15 (e))

1. Proceedings

160. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.4 and Add.1–3, and FCCC/SBI/2006/21. Statements were made by representatives of three Parties, including one speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States.⁴⁷

161. At its 3rd meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item in a contact group chaired by Mr. Paul Watkinson (France). At the 5th meeting, Mr. Watkinson reported on the contact group's consultations.

162. At its 5th meeting, the SBI considered and adopted conclusions⁴⁸ proposed by the Chair.

2. Conclusions

163. The SBI took note of the oral report by the secretariat on actions taken by the Executive Secretary to implement decision 9/CMP.2, and expressed its appreciation for the actions taken in response to concerns and issues that have been brought to the attention of the Executive Secretary and the Executive Board of the CDM by legal entities participating in the CDM.

164. The SBI invited the chairs of the constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol to ensure that information on concerns or issues raised regarding a constituted body or individuals serving on the body with regard to their official functions are included in the reports of the constituted body concerned to the CMP.

165. The SBI also took note of the oral report by the secretariat on further work being undertaken to review the legal framework and practice concerning privileges and immunities for bodies of other organizations in the United Nations system, and the review of the feasibility of insurance to cover the costs associated with claims against individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol, and requested the secretariat to prepare technical papers on the results of this additional work for consideration by Parties.

166. The SBI recognized that although decision 9/CMP.2 authorizes the Executive Secretary to take action, inter alia, to minimize the risks of disputes, complaints and claims against individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol, it does not address the underlying issue of immunities for individuals serving on such bodies.

167. The SBI agreed to further consider the need for an effective, legally sound and long-term solution, including review procedures, to ensure that individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol are able to perform their official functions independently and effectively, on the basis of the experience gained with the implementation of decision 9/CMP.2.

168. The SBI decided to continue its discussion of this issue at its twenty-seventh session, taking into account the report of the Executive Secretary to the CMP, at its third session, in accordance with decision 9/CMP.2 and taking into account the reports to the CMP of the constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol, documents FCCC/SBI/2006/20, FCCC/SBI/2006/21 and

⁴⁷ This position was supported by Croatia, Serbia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

⁴⁸ Adopted as FCCC/SBI/2007/L.10.

FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.4 and Add.1–3, the technical papers referred to in paragraph 164 above, and any other relevant documents, including relevant proposals from Parties.

XVI. Other matters

(Agenda item 16)

169. The SBI considered this item at its 3rd and 5th meetings, on 8 and 18 May, respectively. At the 3rd meeting, a representative of Argentina made a statement on the Falkland Islands (Malvinas), the full text of which is contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.5. At the 5th meeting, a representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland made a statement on the Falkland Islands (Malvinas), the full text of which is contained in document FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.6. Statements were made by the representatives of three Parties.

XVII. Report on the session

(Agenda item 17)

170. At its 5th meeting, on 18 May, the SBI considered and adopted the draft report on its twenty-sixth session (FCCC/SBI/2007/L.1). 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.

XVIII. Closure of the session

171. At the 5th meeting, on 18 May, 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. The Executive Secretary was pleased to report that there were only a few SBI conclusions with budgetary implications that could not be covered by existing core or supplementary resources in 2007, the proposed programme budget for 2008–2009 or the proposed supplementary resources for 2008–2009. The secretariat would further analyse the conclusions and incorporate the requirements in the list of supplementary activities. The Executive Secretary encouraged interested Parties to consider voluntary contributions to those activities and to the Participation Fund that were requested during the twenty-sixth session of the SBI.

172. At the same meeting, the Chair thanked delegates, the chairs of contact groups and convenors of informal consultations for their contributions. He paid tribute to Mr. Kishan Kumarsingh, SBSTA Chair, and thanked the secretariat for its support. The Chair looked forward to continuing the work of the SBI, with the same spirit and devotion as demonstrated at this session.

Annex I

Negotiating text for draft decision -/CMP.3: Adaptation Fund

The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling Article 12, paragraph 8, of the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling its decisions 3/CMP.1, 28/CMP.1 and 5/CMP.2,

1. *Decides* that developing country Parties to the Kyoto Protocol that are particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change are eligible for funding from the Adaptation Fund to assist in meeting the costs of adaptation;
2. *Decides* that the Adaptation Fund shall finance concrete adaptation projects and programmes that are country driven and are based on needs, views and priorities of eligible Parties;
3. *Decides* that the entity¹ operating the Adaptation Fund shall be responsible for the monetization of certified emission reductions issued by the Executive Board of the clean development mechanism and forwarded to the Adaptation Fund to assist developing country Parties that are particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change to meet the costs of adaptation;
4. *Decides* that the monetization of certified emission reductions referred to in paragraph 3 above shall be undertaken so as to:
 - (a) Ensure predictable revenue flow for the Adaptation Fund;
 - (b) Optimize revenue for the Adaptation Fund while limiting financial risks;
 - (c) Be transparent and monetize the share of the proceeds in the most cost-effective manner, utilizing appropriate expertise for this task.
5. *Requests* the entity¹ operating the Adaptation Fund to report annually to the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol on the monetization of certified emission reductions;
6. *Decides* to review all matters relating to the Adaptation Fund at its XX session.²

(Note: Text on institutional arrangements to be added)

¹ The final reference will depend on the agreed text on institutional arrangements.

² To be placed at the end of the final draft decision.

Annex II**Points for discussion on institutional arrangements of the Adaptation Fund**

This paper is a proposal by the co-chairs of the contact group (CG) on the Adaptation Fund based on the views expressed at an informal closed meeting that took place on 14 May 2007. It reflects only discussions related to institutional arrangements.

(1) Role of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol:

Decision 5/CMP.2, paragraph 1 (e): The Adaptation Fund shall operate under the authority and guidance of, and be accountable to, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP) which shall decide on its overall policies.

(2) Governing body:**Structure:**

A governing body shall be established to supervise the operations and management of the Adaptation Fund.

Composition:

Decision 5/CMP.2, paragraph 3:

- Parties to the Kyoto Protocol;
- Majority of Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention.

Proposal 1:

- Fair and balanced regional representation based on the United Nations regional groups;
- A seat for the Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS);
- A seat for least developed countries;
- Representatives to be nominated by the relevant groups and appointed by the CMP.

Proposal 2:

- A seat for each of the United Nations regional groups;
- A seat for AOSIS;
- Two seats for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;
- Two seats for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention;
- Each member of the governing body shall have an alternate member, selected from the same constituency, who shall represent the member in their absence.

Proposal 3:

Constituency representation based on the Kyoto Protocol Parties (*comment: this proposal needs to be further elaborated*).

(Note: Proposals need to clarify how the composition will apply the 'one country one vote' rule.)

(Note: Need to define the number of members/size of the governing body.)

Decision-making process:

Decision 5/CMP.2, paragraph 3: one country, one vote rule.

Decisions shall be taken by consensus, whenever possible.

If all efforts at reaching a consensus have been exhausted and no agreement has been reached, there is need for voting.

(Note: A proposal on majority voting is needed.)

Functions:

- To supervise and guide the operations and management of the Adaptation Fund;
- To develop, decide and monitor the implementation of specific operational policies and guidelines, including programming guidance and administrative arrangements subject to guidance provided by the CMP;
- To approve projects, including the allocation of funds in line with the operational policies and programmes adopted by the CMP;
- To review regularly the performance reports on the implementation of activities supported by the Adaptation Fund;
- To report on its activities to each session of the CMP;
- To perform such other functions as may be assigned to it by the CMP.

Operations:

Number of meetings:

Proposal 1: X meetings a year while retaining the flexibility to convene additional meetings where special circumstances make this desirable.

Proposal 2: Have flexibility to convene meetings depending on the workload.

Rules of procedure:

Proposal 1: The governing body is to develop and adopt any rules of procedure additional to those included in this decision.

Proposal 2: The governing body shall, at its first meeting, develop any rules of procedure additional to those included in this decision for approval by the CMP at its subsequent session.

(Note: If proposal 2 is selected there might be need to refer to provisional application of rules of procedures until the CMP approves it.)

Expertise:

The governing body may draw on expertise required to perform its functions.

A secretariat to support the governing body:

The governing body shall be supported by a secretariat.

(Note: The institution hosting the secretariat needs to be defined.)

(3) Trustee:

The trustee shall comply with principles and modalities for operations stipulated in decision 5/CMP.2 as well as guidance by the CMP on arrangements for monetization of certified emission reductions.

The governing body shall be responsible for selecting the trustee.

(4) Implementing agencies:

Proposal 1:

Eligible Parties shall be able to select from a wide range of implementing agencies depending on the needs of these Parties. Implementing agencies could be added as needs are identified by eligible Parties.

Implementing agencies shall be able to comply with modalities stipulated in decision 5/CMP.2.

(Note: Reference was made to the need to develop additional standards to implementing agencies but they were not specified.)

Proposal 2:

Eligible Parties shall be able to access funds directly from the Adaptation Fund, without having to implement projects through an implementing agency.

(5) Review:

The CMP shall undertake regular reviews within set time-lines.

Time-lines for review shall provide for enough time for implementation (i.e. 3 or 4 years).

Independent evaluations and audits of projects and programmes shall also be conducted *(decision 5/CMP.2, para. 2 (i)).*

Consideration of a trial period on all arrangements.

(Note: Paragraph 6 of negotiating text agreed at CG already refers to a review of all matters relating to the Adaptation Fund at its XX session.)

Annex III**Possible elements by the co-chairs of the contact group
on agenda item 8 (a)****I. Adverse effects of climate change**

1. Consideration of the barriers to implementation of adaptation activities and of ways and means to enhance access to existing funds for adaptation under the Convention and its financial mechanism, as well as enhancing capacity for the development of project proposals.
2. Identification of possible responses, including in the context of any discussions on future international cooperation on climate change, to the need for additional, predictable and sustainable financial resources to facilitate adaptation to the adverse effects of climate change, especially in particularly vulnerable countries, taking into account relevant work under the Convention.
3. Consideration of extending the national adaptation programme of action process for use by developing countries that are not least developed countries and that wish to develop national adaptation programmes or strategies.
4. Consideration of action to enhance the integration of climate change issues into national and sectoral planning and policies, including through a bottom-up process.
5. Encouragement to regional and international financial entities and organizations to integrate adaptation considerations into their work.
6. Coordination of a dialogue between Parties on financial risk management and insurance, to be held between the private sector and representatives from Parties, which should build upon the outcomes of the regional workshops and expert meeting referred to in decision 1/CP.10, outcomes of previous work on this issue as well as the relevant sub-themes of the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change. The dialogue should include consideration of existing and innovative risk sharing and insurance-related instruments that may operate within a public-private cooperation framework with a view to advising on appropriate and practical actions.
7. Organization of a meeting on cooperation on adaptation, with participation of Parties and relevant organizations, building upon outcomes of the workshops and expert meeting, and previous work on these matters, to consider how the UNFCCC process can catalyse regional and interregional cooperation, as well as synergy with other relevant processes and organizations, including those under other multilateral environmental agreements and the disaster risk reduction process.
8. Consideration, in the implementation of the Nairobi work programme, of the technical and methodological issues included in the reports of the regional workshops and expert meeting, as well as in the synthesis report.
9. Consideration, under the relevant Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) agenda items, of matters relating to capacity-building and of education, training and public awareness, as included in the reports of the regional workshops and expert meeting.

II. Impact of the implementation of response measures

10. Acknowledgement of the importance of improving the capacity of models that assess the impact of the implementation of response measures associated with mitigation policies with respect to:

- (a) Enhancing the consistency of assumptions, baselines and underpinning data used by the models;
- (b) Performing analysis on the range of potential impacts that could be associated with Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) emission reduction scenarios;
- (c) Addressing non-cost related data such as social factors and socio-economic impacts;
- (d) Addressing impacts on sectors other than stationary energy and transport, such as industrial production and service industries.

11. Invitation to Parties and international organizations with relevant expertise in economic modelling to submit views on how the capacity of these models can be improved or, alternatively, how the issues raised in paragraph 10 above could be addressed through other means.

12. Compilation of these submissions and consideration of action related to the issues in paragraphs 10 and 11 above.

13. Invitation to the IPCC to develop modalities for assisting Parties to identify their respective levels of potential vulnerability to the impact of the implementation of response measures.

14. Consideration, through the SBI work on capacity-building, of how to respond to the need for capacity-building, education and training for developing country Parties on economic modelling including for model development, quantitative analysis using economic models and other analytic tools and interpreting the outcomes of economic models.

15. Invitation to Parties and international organizations with relevant expertise on economic diversification to submit views on lessons learned in the identification of practical approaches to address economic diversification in the context of sustainable development, including through the use of economic, financial and technical tools.

16. Compilation of these submissions and consideration of action related to the issues in paragraph 15 above.

17. Invitation to Parties and international organizations with relevant expertise on financial risk management to submit views on strategies that could be used to address risk associated with, and enhance Parties' resilience to, the impacts of response measures. The means of enhancing resilience would include the mobilization of support through public-private partnerships to help address risk at the regional and global levels, through instruments such as:

- (a) Commodity price hedging;
- (b) Economic shock funds;
- (c) Commodity price insurance;
- (d) Alternative risk transfer;
- (e) Hedge funds;

- (f) Alternative risk financing;
- (g) Structured risk financing mechanisms;
- (h) Effective use of developed captive insurance;
- (i) Credit and political risk coverage;
- (j) Hybrid insurance products;
- (k) Catastrophe bonds.

18. Compilation by the secretariat of these submissions and consideration of action related to the issues in paragraph 17 above.

Annex IV**Summary table for annual reporting of the monitoring of capacity-building**

Scope of needs and areas for capacity-building	Summary of activities ^a	Best practices	Lessons learned	Needs and/or gaps	References
Element (a) to (o) from decision 2/CP.7, annex, paragraph 15					

^a Should present information on relevant trends in the thematic priority areas in order to facilitate assessment of progress made, identification of gaps and effectiveness of the implementation of the capacity-building framework, in accordance with decisions 4/CP.12, 2/CP.10 and 2/CP.7.

Annex V**Documents before the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
at its twenty-sixth session****Documents prepared for the session**

FCCC/SBI/2007/1	Provisional agenda and annotations. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2007/2	Report on the African regional workshop on adaptation. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/3	Template on cross-cutting themes in national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. 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/2007/4	Implementation of paragraph 7 (c) of the financial procedures of the Convention concerning the financial support for participation in the UNFCCC process. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/5	A possible format for reporting on the regular monitoring of the implementation of the capacity-building framework in accordance with decision 2/CP.7, paragraph 9. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/6	Cost-effective and comprehensive training strategy to support the preparation of 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/2007/7	Ways to improve the reporting of projects identified in national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. 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/2007/8	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2007/8/Add.1	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Work programme for the secretariat for the biennium 2008–2009
FCCC/SBI/2007/8/Add.2	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Activities to be funded from supplementary sources
FCCC/SBI/2007/9	Arrangements for intergovernmental meetings. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2007/10	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 Chair of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention

FCCC/SBI/2007/10/Add.1	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 Chair of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Addendum. Outcomes of the stocktaking exercise for the period 2003 to 2007
FCCC/SBI/2007/11	Report on the expert meeting on adaptation for small island developing States. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/12	Report on the eleventh meeting of the Least Developed Countries Expert Group. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/13	Report on the Asian regional workshop on adaptation. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/14	Synthesis of outcomes of the regional workshops and expert meeting on adaptation under decision 1/CP.10. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.1	Interim financial statements for the biennium 2006–2007 as at 31 December 2006. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.2	Update of information on the operational procedures for the expedited financing of national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.3	Progress on the implementation of the international transaction log. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.4	Status of submissions of fourth national communications and reports demonstrating progress. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/INF.5	Status of contributions as at 30 April 2007. Note by the secretariat
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.1	Views on an approach to be taken on the collection of fees from users of the international transaction log. Submissions from Parties to the Kyoto Protocol
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.2	Views from interested institutions on how they would operationalize decision 5/CMP.2. Submissions from institutions
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.3 and Add.1	Views on the implementation of the New Delhi Work Programme for Article 6 of the Convention and elements of a new strategic approach. Submissions from Parties
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.4 and Add.1–3	Views on privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol. Submissions from Parties
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.5	Other matters. Submission from Argentina
FCCC/SBI/2007/MISC.6	Other matters. Submission from the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.1 Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on its twenty-sixth session
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.2 Least Developed Countries Fund. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.3 Matters relating to the least developed countries. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.4 Budget performance for the biennium 2006–2007. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.5 Implementation of paragraph 7 (c) of the financial procedures of the Convention concerning the financial support for participation in the UNFCCC process. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.6 Implementation of the Headquarters Agreement. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.7 Arrangements for intergovernmental meetings. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/7/Add.1 Arrangements for intergovernmental meetings. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.8 Capacity-building under the Convention. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.9 Capacity-building under the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.10 Privileges and immunities for individuals serving on constituted bodies established under the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.11 Article 6 of the Convention. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.12 Provision of financial and technical support. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.13 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/2007/L.14 Adaptation Fund. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.15 Progress on the implementation of the international transaction log. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.16 Progress on the implementation of decision 1/CP.10. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.17 Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.17/Add.1 Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.18 Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair
- FCCC/SBI/2007/L.18/Add.1 Programme budget for the biennium 2008–2009. Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair. Addendum. Recommendation of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation

Other documents before the session

- FCCC/SB/2007/INF.2 Relationship of various provisions of the Mauritius Strategy to the work of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat
- FCCC/SBI/2006/11 Report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on its twenty-fourth session, held at Bonn from 18 to 25 May 2006
- FCCC/SBI/2006/13 Report on the expert meeting on response measures. 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/2006/27 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/2006/28 Report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on its twenty-fifth session, held at Nairobi, Kenya, from 6 to 14 November 2006
- FCCC/SBI/2006/INF.2 Synthesis of reports demonstrating progress in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Kyoto Protocol. Note by the secretariat

FCCC/SBI/2005/8	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006–2007. Note by the Executive Secretary
FCCC/SBI/2005/8/Add.1	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006–2007. Note by the Executive Secretary. Addendum. Work programme
FCCC/CP/1996/2	Organizational matters. Adoption of the rules of procedure. Note by the secretariat
