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Methodological issues under the Convention

Greenhouse gas data interface

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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) recalled its request from SBSTA 38¹ to the secretariat to implement, by June 2015, any necessary technical changes to the greenhouse gas data interface, should the revised “Guidelines for the preparation of national communications by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention, Part I: UNFCCC reporting guidelines on annual greenhouse gas inventories” be adopted at the nineteenth session of the Conference of the Parties.
2. The SBSTA agreed to further consider matters relating to the further development of the interface at SBSTA 43 (December 2015), with a view to determining the next steps.
3. The SBSTA took note of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat as referred to in paragraph 1 above.
4. The SBSTA requested that the actions of the secretariat called for in these conclusions be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.

¹ FCCC/SBSTA/2013/3, paragraph 121.