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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) continued its deliberations in accordance with decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 29, referring to Article 4, paragraph 12, of the Paris Agreement.
2. The SBI took note of the views exchanged by Parties at the session on the modalities and procedures for the operation and use of the public registry referred to in decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 29 (hereinafter referred to as the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above), including on the linkages of its work under this agenda item to its work under agenda item 6, “Development of modalities and procedures for the operation and use of a public registry referred to in Article 7, paragraph 12, of the Paris Agreement”.
3. The SBI took note of the information provided by the secretariat at this session about the current operation of the interim registry for the nationally determined contributions and the views expressed by Parties at this session in relation to the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above, including allowing only the national focal points of Parties to upload nationally determined contributions, ensuring the security of accounts and the accessibility to what is in the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above, maintaining nationally determined contributions previously communicated by Parties, and providing a user guide for Parties and continuous support in operating the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above.
4. The SBI agreed that the modalities and procedures for the operation and use of the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above should be developed on the basis of the aspects referred to in paragraph 3 above.



5. The SBI invited Parties and observers to submit,¹ by 21 September 2017, their views on the following issues relating to the modalities and procedures for the operation and use of the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above:

(a) Experience and lessons learned in using the interim registry for the nationally determined contributions relevant to developing the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above;

(b) The functions of the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above;

(c) The structure and design elements of the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above;

(d) Possible ways to enhance the security, accessibility and user-friendliness of, and support in, using the public registry mentioned in paragraph 1 above;

(e) Possible linkages as referred to in paragraph 2 above.

6. The SBI agreed to continue its consideration of this matter at SBI 47 (November 2017), including noting views expressed by Parties in their submissions.

¹ Parties should submit their views via the submission portal at <http://unfccc.int/5900>. Observers should e-mail their submissions to secretariat@unfccc.int.