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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chairs

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) continued their joint work on addressing issues related to agriculture.¹

2. The SBI and the SBSTA welcomed the first in-session workshop from the Koronivia road map² on topic 2(a) (Modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and other future topics that may arise from this work),³ held in conjunction with these sessions, and look forward to considering the report on the workshop at SBI 50 and SBSTA 50 (June 2019) as mandated at SBI 48 and SBSTA 48.⁴ They also welcomed the submissions from Parties and observers that served as input to the workshop.⁵

3. The SBI and the SBSTA welcomed the participation in the workshop of representatives of the constituted bodies under the Convention and observers, including a representative of the Green Climate Fund. They noted with appreciation the work undertaken by these bodies and observers on issues related to agriculture. The SBI and the SBSTA recalled their invitation⁶ to representatives of the constituted bodies under the Convention to contribute to the work referred to in paragraph 2 above and invited them to participate in the workshops under the Koronivia road map.

4. The SBI and the SBSTA also invited the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism of the Convention,⁷ the Adaptation Fund, the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund to contribute to the work referred to in paragraph 2 above and attend the workshops under the Koronivia road map.

⁷ The Global Environment Facility and the Green Climate Fund.





¹ Decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 1.

² FCCC/SBI/2018/9, annex I, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, annex I.

³ FCCC/SBI/2018/9, paragraph 39, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 61.

⁴ FCCC/SBI/2018/9, paragraph 41, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 63.

⁵ Available at <u>http://www.unfccc.int/submissions_and_statements</u>.

⁶ FCCC/SBI/2018/9, paragraph 42, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 64.

5. The SBI and the SBSTA reiterated their invitation⁸ to Parties and observers to submit,⁹ by 6 May 2019, their views on topics 2(b) (Methods and approaches for assessing adaptation, adaptation co-benefits and resilience) and 2(c) (Improved soil carbon, soil health and soil fertility under grassland and cropland as well as integrated systems, including water management), on which workshops will be organized in conjunction with SBI 50 and SBSTA 50.

6. The SBI and the SBSTA welcomed the proposal made by New Zealand to host a workshop related to the Koronivia road map. They agreed to continue consideration of this matter at SBI 50 and SBSTA 50.

7. The SBI and the SBSTA agreed to continue consideration of this agenda item at SBI 50 and SBSTA 50.

⁸ FCCC/SBI/2018/9, paragraph 43, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 65.

⁹ Submissions should be made via the submission portal at <u>http://www.unfccc.int/submissions_and_statements</u>.