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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chairs

- 1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) convened the 6th meeting of the improved forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures.
- 2. The SBSTA and the SBI welcomed the report¹ prepared by the secretariat on the workshop on the use of economic modelling tools related to the areas of the work programme of the improved forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures, convened from 30 April to 1 May 2018 in Bonn.
- 3. The SBSTA and the SBI noted the variety of views expressed by Parties and one observer organization in their submissions² on the work of the improved forum, including the modalities for its operation, pursuant to the agreed scope of the review of the work programme of the improved forum.³
- 4. The SBSTA and the SBI considered the synthesis report⁴ on the work of the improved forum prepared by the secretariat on the basis of the submissions referred to in paragraph 3 above and took note of the discussions that took place at the one-day in-session review of the work of the improved forum.
- 5. The SBSTA and the SBI took note of the range of views expressed during the review of the work of the improved forum and recommended that they could be considered in developing the functions, work programme and modalities of the forum that will serve the Paris Agreement:
- (a) Continuing to use the modalities of inviting submissions from Parties and non-Party stakeholders, preparing synthesis reports and technical papers, and organizing workshops, including regional;

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¹ FCCC/SB/2018/INF.3.

² Available at http://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionportal/Pages/Home.aspx.

See documents FCCC/SBI/2018/9, paragraph 110 and annex II, and FCCC/SBSTA/2018/4, paragraph 73 and annex II.

⁴ FCCC/SB/2018/INF.4.

- (b) Collaborating with external experts, international organizations and the private sector and engaging with vulnerable groups and indigenous peoples;
- (c) Undertaking technical work focusing on different sectors, including transportation, energy, agriculture and tourism;
- (d) Assessing and analysing the impact of the implementation of response measures:
- (e) Impacts of the implementation of response measures on economic development in relation to international trade, employment, just transition of workforce and the creation of decent work and quality jobs, and economic diversification and transformation;
- (f) Establishing a permanent governance structure through a technical expert group;
- (g) A focused and effective work programme comprising the two areas identified in decision 11/CP.21, paragraph 5, namely economic diversification and transformation; and just transition of the workforce and the creation of decent work and quality jobs;
- (h) Ensuring that the forum welcomes and includes all Parties, encouraging participation by all, and is thus convened in conjunction with the sessions of the subsidiary bodies.
- 6. The SBSTA and the SBI concluded the review of the work of the improved forum. They recommended draft conclusions on the matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-fourth session (for the text of the draft conclusions, see document FCCC/SB/2018/L.9/Add.1).

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