



Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice

Sixtieth session

Bonn, 3–13 June 2024

Agenda item 18

Closure of and report on the session

Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice on its sixtieth session

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(To be completed)

I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

1. The sixtieth session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) was held at the World Conference Center Bonn in Bonn, Germany, from 3 to 13 June 2024.
2. The Chair of the SBSTA, Harry Vreuls (Kingdom of the Netherlands), opened the session and welcomed all Parties and observers. He also welcomed Nathalie Flores Gonzalez (Dominican Republic) as Vice-Chair and Zita Kassa Wilks (Gabon) as Rapporteur.
3. The opening included welcoming remarks by the UNFCCC Executive Secretary, Simon Stiell, and tribute was paid to the late Daniel Machado da Fonseca (Brazil) for his significant contribution to the UNFCCC process.

II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda sub-item 2(a))

4. At its 1st meeting, on 3 June, the SBSTA considered the note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations.¹ The Chair recalled that during the pre-session consultations Parties expressed eagerness to work during the session and broadly supported the proposed approach to adopting the agenda.
5. At the same meeting, the Chair proposed that the agenda be adopted with the exception of item 17 of the provisional agenda, with the understanding that he would conduct consultations on the way forward for that matter. The outcomes of the consultations are to be reported at the closing plenary of the session.

¹ FCCC/SBSTA/2024/4.



6. As proposed by the Chair, the SBSTA adopted the agenda as follows:²
 1. Opening of the session.
 2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (b) Election of officers other than the Chair;
 - (c) Organization of the work of the session;
 - (d) Mandated events.
 3. Matters relating to the global stocktake: procedural and logistical elements of the overall global stocktake process.*
 4. Research and systematic observation.
 5. Matters relating to adaptation:
 - (a) Matters relating to the global goal on adaptation;*
 - (b) Report of the Adaptation Committee and review of the progress, effectiveness and performance of the Adaptation Committee;*
 - (c) Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change.
 6. Terms of reference for the 2024 review of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts.*
 7. Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform.
 8. Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme.*
 9. United Arab Emirates just transition work programme.*
 10. Matters relating to the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures serving the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement.*
 11. Sharm el-Sheikh joint work on implementation of climate action on agriculture and food security.*
 12. Matters relating to the operation of the clean development mechanism.
 13. Matters relating to Article 6 of the Paris Agreement:
 - (a) Guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement and in decision 2/CMA.3;
 - (b) Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement and referred to in decision 3/CMA.3;
 - (c) Work programme under the framework for non-market approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement and in decision 4/CMA.3.
 14. Methodological issues:
 - (a) Greenhouse gas data interface;
 - (b) Emissions from fuel used for international aviation and maritime transport;
 - (c) Reporting tools under the enhanced transparency framework.
 15. Annual reports on technical reviews:
 - (a) Technical review of information reported by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention in their biennial reports and national communications;
 - (b) Technical review of greenhouse gas inventories of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;

² Joint agenda items of the subsidiary bodies at their sixtieth sessions are marked with an asterisk.

- (c) Technical review of greenhouse gas inventories and other information reported by Parties included in Annex I.³
- 16. Cooperation with other international organizations.
- 17. Other matters.
- 18. Closure of and report on the session.

III. Reports on agenda items 2(b) to 17

(To be completed)

IV. Closure of and report on the session

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- 7. At its 3rd meeting, on 13 June, the SBSTA considered and adopted the draft report on the session and authorized the Rapporteur, with the assistance of the secretariat and under the guidance of the Chair, to complete the report and to make it available to all Parties.
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³ As defined in Article 1, para. 7, of the Kyoto Protocol.