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## Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice

### Sixty-first session

Baku, 11–16 November 2024

Agenda item 17

### Closure of and report on the session

## Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice on its sixty-first session

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(To be completed)

## I. Opening of the session

(Agenda item 1)

1. The sixty-first session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) was held at Baku Stadium in Baku, Azerbaijan, from 11 to 16 November 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 González (Dominican Republic) as Vice-Chair and Zita Kassa Wilks (Gabon) as Rapporteur.

## II. Organizational matters

(Agenda item 2)

### Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda sub-item 2(a))

3. At its 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, on 11 November, the SBSTA considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the supplementary provisional agenda.<sup>1</sup> The Chair recalled the understanding reached among Parties outlined at the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, on 11 November, of the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-ninth session, which applies mutatis mutandis to the SBSTA,<sup>2</sup> and proposed that the supplementary provisional agenda be amended to reflect this understanding, with item 16 deleted.
4. As proposed by the Chair, the SBSTA adopted the agenda as follows:<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> FCCC/SBSTA/2024/8/Add.1.

<sup>2</sup> See the draft report of the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-ninth session, to be made available as document FCCC/CP/2024/L.1.

<sup>3</sup> Joint agenda items of the subsidiary bodies at their sixty-first sessions are marked with an asterisk.



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;\*
  - (c) Review of the progress, effectiveness and performance of the Adaptation Committee.\*
6. Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts:
  - (a) Joint annual report of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts and the Santiago network for averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change;\*
  - (b) 2024 review of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts.\*
7. Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme.\*
8. United Arab Emirates just transition work programme.\*
9. Matters relating to the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures serving the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement.\*
10. Sharm el-Sheikh joint work on implementation of climate action on agriculture and food security.\*
11. Matters relating to technology development and transfer: joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network.\*
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;
  - (c) Technical review of greenhouse gas inventories and other information reported by Parties included in Annex I.<sup>4</sup>
- 16. Other matters.
- 17. Closure of and report on the session.

### **III. Reports on agenda items 2(b) to 16**

(To be completed)

### **IV. Closure of and report on the session**

(Agenda item 17)

- 5. At its 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting, on 16 November, 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 on the session and make it available to Parties.
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<sup>4</sup> As defined in Article 1, para. 7, of the Kyoto Protocol.