



CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES
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Agenda item 7 (c)

REPORT OF THE AD HOC GROUP ON ARTICLE 13

Recommendations of the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13

The Ad Hoc Group on Article 13 at its second session decided to recommend the following draft decisions for adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its second session:

Future Work of the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Article 13 of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, and decision 20/CP.1,

Having considered the report of the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13 on its first session, in which the Group concluded that the consideration of a multilateral consultative process and its design would take considerable time and would not be completed before the close of the second session of the Conference of the Parties,

1. *Decides* that the work of the Group should continue beyond the second session of the Conference of the Parties;
2. *Requests* the Group to report to the Conference of the Parties at its third session on the progress of its work, if its work is not completed by that time;

3. *Further requests* that, if the Group's work has been completed by the third session of the Conference of the Parties, it should, in accordance with decision 20/CP.1, provide the Conference of the Parties with a report on its findings.

**Linkage between the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13
and the Ad Hoc Group on the Berlin Mandate**

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Article 13 of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and the work being done by the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13,

Recalling also the work of the Ad Hoc Group on the Berlin Mandate,

Decides that the Ad Hoc Group on the Berlin Mandate may, in its consideration of a multilateral consultative process, seek such advice as may be deemed necessary from the Ad Hoc Group on Article 13 on this matter.
