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REPORT ON THE SESSION

Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on its sixteenth session

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¹ The annex will be included in the final version of the report to be issued under symbol FCCC/SBI/2002/6.

I. OPENING OF THE SESSION (Agenda item 1)

1. The sixteenth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) was held at the Maritim Hotel, Bonn, from 10 to 14 June 2002.

2. The Chair of the SBI, Mr. Raúl Estrada-Oyuela (Argentina), opened the session on 10 June 2002 and welcomed all Parties and observers to the session. He noted that, to date, a total of 186 Parties had ratified or acceded to the Convention and that 74 Parties had ratified or acceded to the Kyoto Protocol. He welcomed the new SBI bureau, composed of Ms. Daniela Stoytcheva (Bulgaria), Vice-Chair, and Ms. Emily Ojoo-Massawa (Kenya), Rapporteur.

3. The Chair welcomed Ms. Joke Waller-Hunter, the new Executive Secretary, and invited her to address the SBI.

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II. ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

(Agenda item 2)

A. Adoption of the agenda

(Agenda item 2 (a))

4. At its 1^{st} and 5^{th} meetings, on 10 and 12 June, respectively, the SBI considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/SBI/2002/1) and the supplementary provisional agenda (FCCC/SBI/2002/1/Add.1).

[to be completed]

B. Organization of the work of the session

(Agenda item 2 (b))

5. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1^{st} meeting, on 10 June, at which the Chair drew attention to the tentative schedule contained in document FCCC/SBI/2002/1, annex II, noting that it should be used as a guide and might be modified as necessary.

6. At the same meeting, the secretariat informed the SBI that applications for provisional accreditation to the sessions of subsidiary bodies had been received from one intergovernmental organization and 11 non-governmental organizations.

[to be completed]

III. NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM PARTIES INCLUDED IN ANNEX I TO THE CONVENTION

(Agenda item 3)

A. <u>Consideration of the reviews of national communications from Parties</u> <u>included in Annex I to the Convention</u>

(Agenda item 3 (a))

1. Proceedings

7. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1^{st} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 10 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/3. At the 1^{st} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned document and made a presentation based on it.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

8. The SBI agreed that the conclusions on this sub-item would be reported together with those on sub-item 3(b) (see paragraph xx).

B. <u>Status report on the review of third national communications</u>

(Agenda item 3 (b))

1. Proceedings

9. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1^{st} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 10 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/INF.4. At the 1^{st} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned document and made an oral report.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

IV. NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM PARTIES NOT INCLUDED IN ANNEX I TO THE CONVENTION

(Agenda item 4)

A. <u>Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from</u> <u>Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention</u> (Agenda item 4 (a))

1. Proceedings

10. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 1^{st} , 3^{rd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings on 10, 11 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2002/2 and FCCC/SBI/2002/INF.3. At the 1^{st} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned documents and made an oral report. At

the same meeting, the Chair of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (CGE), Ms. Isabelle Niang-Diop (Senegal), made an oral report on the work of the CGE.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

B. <u>Report of the workshop on the revision of the guidelines for the preparation of national</u> <u>communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention</u> (Agenda item 4 (b))

1. Proceedings

11. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 3^{rd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 11 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/INF.2. At the 3^{rd} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned document and made an oral report.

12. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this sub-item by way of a contact group chaired by Mr. José Romero (Switzerland).

13. [At the 6th meeting, Mr. José Romero reported to the SBI on the results of the contact group's discussions.]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

C. Provision of financial and technical support

(Agenda item 4 (c))

1. Proceedings

14. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 3^{rd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 11 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/INF.1 and web-only texts FCCC/WEB/2002/1 and FCCC/WEB/2002/2. At the 3^{rd} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned documents and made an oral report.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

V. REVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL MECHANISM

(Agenda item 5)

1. Proceedings

15. The SBI considered this item at its 2^{nd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 10 and [14] June, respectively.

16. At the 2^{nd} meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item by way of a "friends of the Chair" group chaired by Mr. Rawleston Moore (Barbados).

17. [At the 6th meeting, Mr. Rawleston Moore provided a report on the outcome of the group's deliberations].

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

VI. IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE 4, PARAGRAPHS 8 AND 9, OF THE CONVENTION: PROGRESS ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ACTIVITIES UNDER DECISION 5/CP.7 (Agenda item 6)

1. Proceedings

18. The SBI considered this item at its 3^{rd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 11 and [14] June, respectively. At the 3^{rd} meeting, the Chair of the workshop, Ms. Daniela Stoytcheva (Bulgaria), Vice-Chair of the SBI, made an oral report on the workshop on the status of modelling activities to assess the adverse effects of climate change and the impact of response measures already implemented on individual developing county Parties, held from 16 to18 May, 2002.

19. At the same meeting, the SBI agreed to consider this item by way of a contact group chaired by Ms. Daniela Stoytcheva.

20. [At the 6th meeting, Ms. Daniela Stoytcheva reported to the SBI on the results of the group's discussions.]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

VII. MATTERS RELATING TO THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES: REPORT OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES EXPERT GROUP

(Agenda item 7)

1. Proceedings

21. The SBI considered this item at its 4^{th} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 11 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/5. At the 4^{th} meeting, the Chair of the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG), Mr. Bubu Jallow (Gambia), made an oral presentation on the above-mentioned document, the membership and the programme of work of the LEG.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

VIII. CAPACITY BUILDING

(Agenda item 8)

1. Proceedings

22. The SBI considered this item at its 4^{th} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 11 and [14] June, respectively. At the 4^{th} meeting, a representative of the secretariat introduced the item and made an oral report on the implementation of capacity-building decisions adopted by the COP at its fourth and seventh sessions.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

IX. REQUEST FROM A GROUP OF COUNTRIES OF CENTRAL ASIA AND THE CAUCASUS, ALBANIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA REGARDING THEIR STATUS UNDER THE CONVENTION

(Agenda item 9)

1. Proceedings

23. The SBI considered this item at its 5^{th} meeting, on 12 June. The secretariat introduced the item and made an oral report.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

24. At its 5^{th} meeting, on 12 June, having considered a proposal by the Chair, the SBI requested the Chair to continue consultations during the intersessional period and report back to it at its seventeenth session.

[to be completed]

X. PREPARATIONS FOR THE WORLD SUMMIT ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 10)

1. Proceedings

25. The SBI considered this item at its 2^{nd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings on 10 and [14] June, respectively. At the 2^{nd} meeting, the representative of the President of the Conference of the Parties at its seventh session provided an oral report on the preparations for the World Summit on Sustainable Development.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

26. The SBI thanked the President of the COP for the information provided and requested the Executive Secretary to inform the COP at its eighth session on the outcome of the World Summit on Sustainable Development.

XI. ARRANGEMENTS FOR INTERGOVERNMENTAL MEETINGS (Agenda item 11)

A. <u>Eighth session of the Conference of the Parties</u> (Agenda item 11 (a))

B. <u>Arrangements for the first session of the Conference of the Parties serving as</u> <u>the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol</u>

(Agenda item 11 (b))

C. <u>Programme for future sessions</u> (Agenda item 11 (c))

D. <u>Budget for conference services</u>

(Agenda item 11 (d))

E. <u>Ninth session of the Conference of the Parties</u> (Agenda item 11 (e))

1. Proceedings

27. The SBI considered this item at its 2^{nd} and $[6^{th}]$ meetings, on 10 and [14] June, respectively. It had before it documents FCCC/SBI/2002/4 and FCCC/SBI/2002/CRP.1. At the 2^{nd} meeting, the secretariat introduced the above-mentioned documents and made an oral report.

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

XII. ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL MATTERS (Agenda item 12)

A. <u>Interim financial performance for the biennium 2002-2003:</u> <u>status of contributions as at 31 May 2002</u>

(Agenda item 12 (a))

1. Proceedings

28. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2^{nd} meeting, on 10 June. It had before it document FCCC/SBI/2002/INF.5. The secretariat introduced the above-mentioned document and made an oral report.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

29. At its 2^{nd} meeting, on 10 June, the SBI took note of the status of contributions as at 31 May 2002.

B. <u>Possible options for responding to late payment of contributions</u> (Agenda item12 (b))

1. Proceedings

30. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2^{nd} meeting, on 10 June. The secretariat referred to document FCCC/SBI/2001/18, annex I, as a possible basis for discussion.

2. Conclusions

31. [At its 6th meeting, on 14 June, having considered a proposal by the Chair, the SBI requested the Chair to continue his consultations and report back to the SBI at its seventeenth session. The SBI also requested the Chair to reformulate the document and present it to its next session.]

C. Implementation of the Headquarters Agreement

(Agenda item 12 (c))

1. Proceedings

32. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 2^{nd} meeting, on 10 June. The representative of Germany gave an oral report on the progress made by his Government in providing office space to the UNFCCC secretariat and other United Nations entities in Bonn, developing conference facilities and improving conditions for staff members and their families.

33. The Executive Secretary, in response, expressed thanks to the officials of the Government of Germany for their friendly and collegial approach to the implementation of the Headquarters Agreement and looked forward to continuing improvements on all fronts in the context of the Headquarters Agreement.

2. Conclusions

34. At its 2^{nd} meeting, on 10 June, the SBI took note of the statements made by the host Government and the Executive Secretary, and invited them to report on further progress at its next session.

XIII. OTHER MATTERS

(Agenda item 13)

A. Proposal by Croatia on land use, land-use change and forestry

(Agenda item 13 (a))

1. Proceedings

35. The SBI considered this sub-item at its 5th meeting, on 12 June.

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

36. Having considered a proposal by the Chair, the SBI postponed its consideration of this item to its seventeenth session and requested the Chair to continue his consultations on this item.

B. Implementation of Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol

(Agenda item 13 (b))

1. Proceedings

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

C. <u>Matters referred to the Subsidiary Body for Implementation by the</u> <u>Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice</u>

(Agenda item 13 (c))

1. Proceedings

[to be completed]

2. Conclusions

[to be completed]

XIV. REPORT ON THE SESSION

(Agenda item 14)

1. Proceedings

37. At its 6^{th} meeting, on 14 June, the SBI considered the draft report on its sixteenth session (FCCC/SBI/2002/L.1). At the same meeting, on a proposal by the Chair, the SBI authorized the Rapporteur, with the assistance of the secretariat, to complete the report on the session, under the guidance of the Chair.

[to be completed]

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