

Perspectives on COP 22, COP 23 and Actions to Implement the Paris Agreement

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SBSTA Mandates from Paris Agreement

- Cooperation, mechanisms and non-market approaches (Article 6)
- Modalities for accounting of financial resources (Article 9)
- Technology framework (Article 10)
- IPCC inputs to global stocktake (Article 14)

How IPCC Assessments can inform the Global Stocktake

- Products of IPCC assessment cycles will be key inputs to GST and will provide best available scientific knowledge;
- Good alignment of 6th IPCC assessment cycle and the first GST
- Considered proposal for aligning IPCC 7th Assessment cycle with needs of future GST;
- Invited IPCC to consider COP 21 outcomes when determining IPCC's programme of work and 6th assessment cycle products;
- Advice provided includes:
 - Lessons can be learned from past experience;
 - Dialogue between IPCC experts and Parties on findings of IPCC products could be utilized;
 - Special events could be of value;
 - Views from SBSTA-IPCC special event could be further considered;
 - IPCC inputs should be considered as input to GST;
 - SBSTA-IPCC Joint Working Group could be used to enhance communication and coordination between SBSTA and IPCC in GST context.
- **SBSTA concluded its work on this matter as mandated. No longer on SBSTA Agenda.**

Technology Framework

- Considered views from Parties on Technology Framework and an information note on mapping climate technology development and transfer activities and initiatives under and outside the Convention relevant to implementation of the Paris Agreement to inform elaboration among Parties on the framework
- Agreement on purpose and initial key themes of Technology Framework including innovation; implementation; enabling environments and capacity-building; collaboration and stakeholder engagement; and support
- Invited further submission from Parties, observers and other stakeholders on principles and structure of the Technology Framework for further consideration at SBSTA 46
- **SBSTA will advance technical work as much as possible and produce recommendations to COP by SBSTA 47 (Nov 2017)**
- **SBSTA will complete elaboration of Technology Framework and provide recommendation to COP for adoption by CMA within timeline agreed by Parties at COP24 (by 2018)**

Modalities for Accounting Financial Resources

- Constructive sharing of views during in-session workshop at SBSTA 45;
- **SBSTA 46 will develop outline of accounting modalities**
- **Preliminary draft with options at SBSTA 47 so that these can feed into APA discussions on the Transparency Framework for support (Item 5) in a timely manner**

Cooperative Approaches, Mechanisms & Non-market Approaches

- Parties engaged in productive exchange of views focusing on establishing a common understanding regarding rules, modalities and procedures for the three provisions under Article 6;
- Invited further submissions on elements to be addressed, including their operationalization, on rules, modalities and procedures, overarching issues and relationships between different provisions within Article 6 and other provisions of the Paris Agreement;
- **Roundtable discussion among Parties based on submissions in conjunction with SBSTA 46. These will inform negotiations.**
- **Need to change mode of work**
- **Intersessional meetings/workshops will be required**

Indigenous Peoples' Platform

- SBSTA 46 will convene a participatory, open, multi-stakeholder dialogue on operationalization of local communities and indigenous peoples' platform, referred to in Decision 1/CP.21, paragraph 135.
- Dialogue will be informed by submissions on purpose, content and structure of the platform
- Co-moderated by SBSTA Chair and a representative of the indigenous peoples' organizations
- Secretariat will prepare a report on the dialogue
- SBSTA 47 (November 2017) will consider the report of the dialogue and will forward recommendations for operationalization of the platform to COP 23

Standing Agenda Items

- Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change.
- Issues relating to agriculture.
- Matters relating to science and review:
 - Research and systematic observation;
 - The scope of the next periodic review of the long-term goal under the Convention and of overall progress towards achieving it.
- Impact of the implementation of response measures:
 - Improved forum and work programme;
 - Modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures;
 - Matters relating to Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol.

Standing Agenda Items

- Methodological issues under the Convention:
 - Revision of the UNFCCC reporting guidelines on annual inventories for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;
 - Training programme for review experts for the technical review of greenhouse gas inventories of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;
 - Training programme for review experts for the technical review of biennial reports and national communications of Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;
 - Greenhouse gas data interface;
 - Common metrics to calculate the carbon dioxide equivalence of greenhouse gases;
 - Emissions from fuel used for international aviation and maritime transport
- Methodological issues under the Kyoto Protocol:
 - Land use, land-use change and forestry under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4, of the Kyoto Protocol and under the clean development mechanism;
 - Implications of the inclusion of reforestation of lands with forest in exhaustion as afforestation and reforestation clean development mechanism project activities.
- Cooperation with other international organizations.

Regional Initiatives to Implement Paris Agreement

- NDCs based on existing national policies
- Several have already commenced
- Not project or programme based
- Must be converted into actionable initiatives
- Some need to be updated
- Funding required to implement NDCs