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Third session

Bonn, 14–18 May 2007

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1. Opening of the session

1. The third session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol (AWG) will be opened by the Chair on Monday, 14 May 2007.

2. Organizational matters

(a) Adoption of the agenda

2. The provisional agenda for the session will be presented for adoption. Parties are invited to make any general statements after the adoption of the agenda.

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(b) Organization of the work of the session

3. *Background:* Parties are invited to refer to the overview of the session posted on the UNFCCC website and to consult the Daily Programme, published during the session, for a detailed and up-to-date schedule of the work of the AWG, including the round table referred to under agenda item 3.

4. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI), at its twenty-fourth session,¹ recommended that meetings should normally end by 6 p.m. but may, in exceptional circumstances, continue to no later than 9 p.m. The session will be organized accordingly.

5. Representatives of Parties and international organizations are requested to keep their oral statements as brief as possible. Those wishing to make a written statement available should bring copies for distribution.

6. *Action:* The AWG will be invited to agree on the approach to the organization of work for the session.

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3. Analysis of mitigation potentials and ranges of emission reduction objectives of Annex I Parties

7. *Background:* At its second meeting, the AWG agreed to focus its work for 2007 on the analysis of mitigation potentials and ranges of emission reduction objectives of Annex I Parties, including:

- (a) Analysis of the mitigation potential, effectiveness, efficiency, costs and benefits of current and future policies, measures and technologies at the disposal of Annex I Parties, appropriate in different national circumstances, taking into account their environmental, economic and social consequences, their sectoral dimensions, and the international context in which they are deployed;
- (b) Identification of possible ranges of emission reductions by Annex I Parties, through their domestic and international efforts, and analysis of their contribution to the ultimate objective of the Convention, ensuring due attention to the issues mentioned in the second sentence of Article 2 of the Convention.

8. The AWG invited Parties to submit to the secretariat information and views on the topic referred to in paragraph 7 (a) above and requested the secretariat to organize, with guidance from the Chair, a

¹ FCCC/SBI/2006/11, paragraph 102.

round-table discussion on this topic during its third session, ensuring adequate interaction with experts involved in the Fourth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC).

9. The round table is planned to take place on Monday, 14 May 2007 and will follow a briefing on the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report in the previous week. The exchange of information during the round table will provide background to support work by the AWG on the analysis of mitigation potentials and ranges of emission reduction objectives of Annex I Parties.

10. *Action:* The AWG will be invited to consider the mitigation potential, effectiveness, efficiency, costs and benefits of current and future policies, measures and technologies at the disposal of Annex I Parties as referred to in paragraph 7 (a) above. On the basis of this consideration, the AWG may wish to initiate discussions on the identification of possible ranges of emission reductions by Annex I Parties and on the analysis of their contribution to the ultimate objective of the Convention as referred to in paragraph 7 (b) above.

11. The AWG will also be invited to determine further steps to advance the work on these issues, including additional technical inputs, in preparation for its fourth session.

<i>FCCC/KP/AWG/2007/MISC.1</i>	<i>Information and views on the mitigation potential at the disposal of Annex I Parties. Submissions from Parties</i>
<i>FCCC/KP/AWG/2007/MISC.2</i>	<i>Information on external bodies and forums that could provide expert input to the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol. Submissions from Parties</i>

4. Review of work programme, methods of work and schedule of further sessions

12. *Background:* At its second meeting, the AWG agreed on a workplan and schedule for future sessions.² It decided to hold its fourth session in conjunction with the fourth workshop under the dialogue on long-term cooperative action to address climate change by enhancing implementation of the Convention (the Dialogue), should such workshop be held in September or October 2007.³

13. The Conference of the Parties, at its twelfth session, agreed in principle to hold the fourth workshop under the Dialogue and the fourth session of the AWG between the first and second sessional periods of 2007.⁴

14. *Action:* The AWG will be invited to further consider the workplan and schedule for its work.

5. Other matters

15. Any other matters arising during the session will be taken up under this item.

6. Report on the session

16. *Background:* A draft report on the work of the session will be prepared for adoption by the AWG at the end of the session.

17. *Action:* The AWG will be invited to adopt the draft report and authorize the Rapporteur to complete the report after the session, under the guidance of the Chair and with the assistance of the secretariat.

² FCCC/KP/AWG/2006/4.

³ FCCC/KP/AWG/2006/4, paragraph 23.

⁴ Decision 9/CP.12, paragraph 10.

Annex

**Documents prepared for the
Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties
under the Kyoto Protocol at its third session**

Documents prepared for the session

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Other documents before the session

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| FCCC/KP/AWG/2006/4 | Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Further Commitments for Annex I Parties under the Kyoto Protocol on its second session, held at Nairobi from 6 to 14 November 2006 |
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