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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

Thursday, 19 August 1993

WORKING GROUP I

10.00 a.m. -
1.00 p.m.

6th meeting

Conference Room XX

Criteria for joint implementation (A/AC.237/31, 33 and 35) [2(b)]

3.00 p.m.-
6.00 p.m.

7th meeting

Conference Room XX

1. Criteria for joint implementation (A/AC.237/31, 33 and 35) [2(b)]
2. First review of information communicated by each Party included in Annex I of the Convention (A/AC.237/31, 33, 34*, 35 and 36) [2(c)]

* Chinese to be issued.

WORKING GROUP II

10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room XIX
3.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room XIX

Matters relating to arrangements for the financial mechanism and for technical and financial support to developing country Parties: Implementation of Article 11 (Financial Mechanism), paras. 1-4 (A/AC.237/31 and 37 and Add. 1-4) [3(a)]

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 77

2.00 p.m. - 3.00 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference room XIX
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SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Wednesday, 18 August 1993

WORKING GROUP I

4th meeting

Methodologies for calculations/inventories of emissions and removals of greenhouse gases [2(a)]

The Working Group continued consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Croatia, Russian Federation, Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Japan, Kazakhstan, Uganda and Burkina Faso.

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The Working Group suspended its formal meeting for an informal demonstration of IPCC inventory methodology.

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The Working Group resumed its formal meeting and heard statements by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Switzerland, Austria, India and Tunisia.

The representatives of the United States, Brazil and Senegal made statements on the organization of work.

5th meeting

The Working Group continued consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of the United States, Brazil, Tunisia, Algeria, Australia, Senegal, Mauritius, Canada and Uruguay.

The Chairman also made a statement.

The Working Group thus concluded its general discussion of item 2(a).

Criteria for joint implementation [2(b)]

The Working Group began its consideration of the item and heard an introductory statement by the representative of the Secretariat.

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria, Nauru, Tunisia, Saudi Arabia, Antigua and Barbuda, Malaysia, Senegal, Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) and Kenya.

A statement was made by the United States on the organization of work.

WORKING GROUP II

4th meeting

Matters relating to arrangements for the financial mechanism and for technical and financial support to developing country Parties:

(a) Implementation of Article 11 (Finance Mechanism), paras. 1-4 [3(a)]

The Working Group continued consideration of the item and of the discussion on policies, programme priorities and eligibility criteria for the Financial Mechanism. Statements were made by the representatives of Republic of Tanzania, Canada, Russian Federation, India, United States, Denmark, Italy, Colombia, Tunisia, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Ecuador, Germany, United Kingdom, Belarus, Malaysia, Nepal, China, Saudi Arabia, Sweden, France, Japan, Republic of Korea, Brazil, Myanmar, Burundi, Australia, Burkina Faso, Kuwait, Norway, Namibia, Central African Republic and Mexico.

WORKING GROUP II

5th meeting

Matters relating to arrangements for the financial mechanism and for technical and financial support to developing country Parties:

(a) Implementation of Article 11 (Finance Mechanism), paras. 1-4 [3(a)]

The Working Group continued consideration of item 3(a) and of the discussion on policies, programme priorities and eligibility criteria for the Financial Mechanism. Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Botswana, Federated States of Micronesia, Sweden, Nigeria, Burkino Faso, Finland, Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), India, Italy, United Kingdom, China, Côte d'Ivoire and United States.

The representative of Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made concluding remarks.

The Co-Chairman (Mr. Nobutoshi Akao, Japan) made a statement summarizing the discussion.

Statements were then made by Canada, Australia, Sri Lanka, Burundi, Nigeria, United States, United Kingdom, Antigua and Barbuda and Hungary.

The representatives of China and France made statements on a point of order.

The Working Group thus concluded its discussion on policies, programme priorities and eligibility criteria for the Financial Mechanism.

The Working Group then began a discussion on the modalities for the functioning of operational linkages between the Conference of the Parties and the operating entity or entities of the Financial Mechanism.

The Coordinator of Working Group II made an introductory statement.

The Co-Chairman (Mr. Nobutoshi Akao, Japan) made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), United Kingdom, China, Canada, France, Argentina, Malaysia, Benin, Australia, India and Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77).

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