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### Addendum

## VII. Technical assistance activities

1. At its 14th to 16th meetings, on 18 and 19 October, the Conference of the Parties considered agenda item 6, "Technical assistance activities".
2. Prior to the second session of the Conference of the Parties, on 5 October, informal consultations had been held in accordance with decision 1/4 of the Conference at its first session. At its second session, the Conference noted with appreciation the results of those informal consultations.
3. Given the importance of the issue of technical assistance, the Conference decided to refer it to an informal working group, chaired by the Vice-President (Nigeria), with a view to facilitating the deliberations of the Conference on the matter.
4. The Vice-President (Nigeria) brought to the attention of the Conference the conclusions and recommendations of the informal working group in the form of a draft decision for further consideration by the Conference (CTOC/COP/2005/L.12). The Conference expressed its gratitude to the informal working group for its work and decided to proceed on the basis of the outcome of that work.

### Action by the Conference

5. Subsequent to its preliminary exchange of views on the outcome of the work of the informal working group, the Conference had before it the draft decision on technical assistance activities submitted by the President.
6. At its 16th meeting, on 19 October, the Conference considered the draft decision on technical assistance activities (CTOC/COP/2005/L.12) and adopted it as orally amended.

