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#### Twelfth session

Windhoek, Namibia, 17–26 September 2013

Item 1 of the provisional agenda

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## II. Annotations to the provisional agenda

1. Article 22, paragraph 2 (a), of the Convention provides that the Conference of the Parties (COP) shall regularly review the implementation of the Convention and the functioning of its institutional arrangements.

2. Decision 11/COP.9 established the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention (CRIC) as a subsidiary body of the COP to assist it in regularly reviewing implementation of the Convention and the 10-year strategic plan and framework to enhance the implementation of the Convention (2008–2018) (The Strategy) functioning under the terms of reference as specified in the annex to that decision.

### *Venue*

3. Pursuant to provisions contained in paragraph 19 of the annex to decision 11/COP.9, the twelfth session of the CRIC (CRIC 12) will be held from 17 to 26 September 2013, during the eleventh session of the COP (COP 11) in Windhoek, Namibia.

### *Participants*

4. In accordance with decision 11/COP.9, the CRIC shall be composed of all Parties to the Convention. Any other body or agency, whether national or international, governmental or non-governmental, which wishes to be represented at a session of the CRIC as an observer may be admitted unless one third of the Parties present at the session object.

### *Bureau*

5. In accordance with decision 11/COP.9 and rule 31 of the rules of procedure of the COP (decision 1/COP.1, as amended by decision 20/COP.2), the COP at its tenth session elected the Chair of the CRIC. Four Vice-Chairs of the CRIC were elected by the CRIC at its tenth session, of whom one was designated at the eleventh session to act as Rapporteur. The Chair and the Vice-Chairs constitute the Bureau of the CRIC.

### *Agenda*

6. By its decision 11/COP.9, the COP also decided that the provisional agenda for the sessions of the CRIC shall be prepared by the Executive Secretary, in consultation with the Bureau of the CRIC.

7. In decision 11/COP.9, the COP decided that, at sessions held in conjunction with ordinary sessions of the COP, the CRIC shall assist the COP in:

- (a) Reviewing the multi-year workplans of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies, including against performance indicators;
- (b) Reviewing its report at sessions held between ordinary sessions of the COP on matters of performance review and assessment of implementation, as it relates to information provided by Parties and other stakeholders;
- (c) Carrying out a performance review of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies, including against performance indicators;
- (d) Reviewing the performance and effectiveness of the CRIC as referred to in paragraph 2 (d) of decision 11/COP.9, in the year 2013 and at any other time that the COP may decide;
- (e) Reviewing collaboration with the Global Environment Facility (GEF), including in the year 2013 and at any other time the COP may decide;
- (f) Providing advice on issues as requested by the Committee on Science and Technology;
- (g) Evaluating The Strategy, as referred to in paragraph 2 (e) of decision 11/COP.9.

8. In accordance with decision 12/COP.10 (Modalities, criteria and terms of reference for the mid-term evaluation of the 10-year strategic plan and framework to enhance the implementation of the Convention (2008–2018) (The Strategy), the mid-term evaluation of The Strategy, the evaluation of the performance and effectiveness of the CRIC and the evaluation of the performance review and assessment of implementation system (PRAIS) will be considered by the COP at its eleventh session under agenda item 7 (c).

9. In accordance with decision 19/COP.10 (Advice on how best to measure progress on strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 of The Strategy), the advice on how best to measure progress on strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 of The Strategy will be considered by the Committee on Science and Technology (CST) at its eleventh session under its agenda item 3 for recommendation and any action that the COP may wish to take in this regard.

10. These provisions, in addition to relevant provisions contained in other COP decisions, in particular decisions 3/COP.8, 12/COP.9 and 13/COP.9, have been taken into account in devising the provisional agenda contained in this document.

#### *Documentation*

11. A list of documents for the session and other relevant documents is provided in annex I to this document. In addition to normal distribution, official documents for the session will be made available on the UNCCD website: <[www.unccd.int](http://www.unccd.int)>.

#### *Opening of the session*

12. The Chair of the CRIC will open the twelfth session of the CRIC on 17 September 2013.

## **1. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work**

13. The CRIC will have before it the provisional agenda contained in this document to consider for adoption. A tentative schedule of work for the session, on which the sections below elaborate, is contained in annex II to this document.

*Purpose of the session*

14. In accordance with paragraph 17 of the terms of reference of the CRIC as contained in the annex to decision 11/COP.9, the CRIC at its twelfth session will address the items on its agenda with a view to formulating draft decisions, where necessary, for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the COP.

*Organization of work*

15. The CRIC may wish to consider the following scenario. At the opening session on Tuesday 17 September 2013, the Chair of the CRIC will call for the adoption of the agenda and organization of work. This will be followed by consideration of items 2 to 5 of the agenda until its fifth meeting, on Thursday 19 September. At the plenary meeting of the COP on Friday 20 September, the draft decisions relating to these items will be submitted to the COP for consideration and possible adoption.

16. During its sixth meeting, on Wednesday 25 September, the CRIC will consider the programme of work for its thirteenth session. Following the completion of all agenda items, the proposed tentative schedule of work allows for the formulation of the report on the session, including, where necessary, the draft decisions for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the COP. During the concluding meeting, on Thursday 26 September 2013, the CRIC will adopt its report. Finally, the Chair will call for the election of officers other than the Chair of the CRIC.

*Times of meetings*

17. The tentative schedule of work aims to make best use of the facilities available during normal working hours. No scheduling or budgetary provisions have been made for evening or weekend sessions. Consistent with the working hours of the COP, and to avoid incurring overtime expenses, the normal working hours of the session will be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. No provision has been made for more than two meetings of the COP and its subsidiary bodies with interpretation services to be held at any one time.

**2. Review of the implementation of the Convention and The Strategy**

18. Pursuant to article 22, paragraph 2 (a) and (b), and article 26 of the Convention, the COP is to review the implementation of the Convention and its institutional arrangements.

19. By its decision 11/COP.9, the COP decided to establish the CRIC as its subsidiary body to assist in regularly reviewing the implementation of the Convention and adopted its terms of reference as contained in the annex to that decision.

20. By its decision 13/COP.9, the COP adopted the PRAIS, through which implementation of The Strategy and the Convention will be monitored. Decision 11/COP.9 further stipulates that the CRIC shall assist the COP with performance review during sessions held in conjunction with the COP, while assessment of implementation is to be undertaken during sessions held between ordinary sessions of the COP.

**(a) Report of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention on its eleventh session**

21. In accordance with decision 11/COP.9, at sessions held between ordinary sessions of the COP, the CRIC is, inter alia, to draw conclusions and make recommendations to the COP on further steps to be taken to facilitate effective implementation of the Convention.

22. Following decision 11/COP.9 and decision 12/COP.9, the CRIC at its eleventh session undertook the first baseline assessment of impact indicators on strategic objectives

1 to 4 and a trend analysis of performance indicators on operational objectives 1 to 5, as well as a review of financial flows for the implementation of the Convention, as part of the assessment of implementation based on information that was provided by Parties and other reporting entities during the fourth reporting and review cycle in 2010–2011 and 2012–2013.

23. Also at its eleventh session, the CRIC adopted a draft of the report on the session and authorized the Rapporteur to finalize it, in consultation with the Bureau and the secretariat. The report of CRIC 11 is contained in documents ICCD/CRIC(11)/19 and Add.1.

24. The report of CRIC 11 contains the conclusions and recommendations of the Committee on: (a) the assessment of implementation against the provisionally adopted impact indicators; (b) the assessment of implementation against the provisionally adopted performance indicators and the assessment of the alignment of action programmes and their implementation in accordance with The Strategy; (c) the review of financial flows for the implementation of the Convention, including strategic objective 4 and operational objective 5 of The Strategy and the outcomes of the open dialogue session; (d) consideration of best practices; (e) improving the procedures for communication of information as well as the quality and formats of reports to be submitted to the COP, including the input from the CST on the refinement of impact indicators for strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 of The Strategy; and (f) promotion and strengthening of relationships with other relevant conventions and international organizations, institutions and agencies. It also provides information on the actions taken by the Committee on its agenda items 11 and 12 (Progress made in the implementation of decision 6/COP.10 and Review of information regarding the mid-term evaluation of The Strategy, respectively).

**(b) Multi-year workplans of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies**

25. In decision 3/COP.8,<sup>1</sup> the COP requested the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies to develop their respective results-based management (RBM) multi-year (four-year) workplans in line with The Strategy, and to report to the CRIC on progress with their implementation.

26. In the annex to decision 11/COP.9,<sup>2</sup> the COP entrusted the review of the multi-year workplans of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies to the CRIC at sessions held in conjunction with the COP.

27. Following decision 3/COP.8<sup>3</sup> and decision 1/COP.10,<sup>4</sup> a comprehensive multi-year workplan for the Convention (2014–2017) is contained in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/2-ICCD/COP(11)/CST/9, which is also submitted to the CST for its review where relevant.

**(c) Performance of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies**

28. By its decision 11/COP.9,<sup>5</sup> the COP requested the CRIC to undertake a performance review of the Convention's institutions and subsidiary bodies taking an RBM approach based on reports on the two-year costed work programmes.

29. By its decision 1/COP.10, the COP decided that future performance reviews to be conducted by the CRIC, starting with its twelfth session, should be based on the reports on the implementation of the two-year costed work programmes of Convention institutions and

<sup>1</sup> Paragraph 3.

<sup>2</sup> Paragraph 17 (a).

<sup>3</sup> Paragraph 38 (a) (ii).

<sup>4</sup> Paragraphs 7 and 8.

<sup>5</sup> Annex, paragraph 2 (b).

subsidiary bodies; and that the performance indicators and their related targets included in the workplans shall be used in order to allow for the proper performance assessment of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies. The preliminary analysis of information provided by the secretariat, the Global Mechanism, the CST and the CRIC on their performance in the biennium 2012–2013 is contained in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/3 for review by the Committee. Additional information on the performance of the Convention institutions and subsidiary bodies is provided in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.1.

30. In accordance with decision 13/COP.9, the CRIC will also review the information contained in documents ICCD/COP(11)/8 (Financial performance for the Convention trust funds); ICCD/COP(11)/9 (Unaudited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013 as at 31 December 2012); ICCD/COP(11)/10 (Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium ended 31 December 2011, including the report of the United Nations Board of Auditors); ICCD/COP(11)/11 (Report on the status of contributions to the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013); ICCD/COP(11)/12 (Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium ended 31 December 2011, including the audit report of PricewaterhouseCoopers for the Global Mechanism); and ICCD/COP(11)/13 (Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013, including the audit report of PricewaterhouseCoopers as at 31 December 2012 for the Global Mechanism).

### **3. Improving the procedures for communication of information as well as the quality and format of reports to be submitted to the Conference of the Parties**

#### **(a) Consideration of the overall report on the fourth reporting and review process**

31. By its decision 14/COP.10, the COP requested the Executive Secretary to submit an overall report on the fourth reporting and review process to CRIC 12, including on its procedures and outcomes, human and financial resource requirements, and the lessons learned and feedback received from Parties and other reporting entities through their reports. Parties at CRIC 11 made a number of recommendations on this matter.

32. The report of the Executive Secretary is contained in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/7 for any recommendations the Committee may wish to make to the COP in this regard.

#### **(b) Consideration of best practices in the implementation of the Convention**

##### *(i) Promoting the analysis and dissemination of best practices*

33. By its decision 15/COP.10 and decision 21/COP.10, the COP requested the Bureaux of the CRIC and the CST to work together in defining ways to promote the analysis and dissemination of best practices, according to the respective mandates of the two Committees, for consideration at COP 11. Furthermore, by its decision 15/COP.10, the COP requested the secretariat to facilitate these consultations.

34. The Bureaux of the two subsidiary bodies addressed this matter during a joint meeting in September 2012; further consultation took place in May 2013. The report by the Bureaux of the CRIC and the CST on promoting the analysis and dissemination of best practices is contained in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/4-ICCD/COP(11)/CST/7 for review by the two bodies and any recommendations that they may wish to make to the COP.

*(ii) Accessibility of best practices*

35. By its decision 15/COP.10,<sup>6</sup> the COP decided that future sessions of the CRIC should review the accessibility of information on best practices. By the same decision, the COP requested the secretariat to identify recommended databases for information collected on the themes identified in decision 13/COP.9<sup>7</sup> with a view to transferring the information on best practices on sustainable land management stored in the PRAIS portal to the recommended database.

36. The matter was addressed by the CRIC at its eleventh session, which had documents ICCD/CRIC(11)/13 and Add.1 before it. Document ICCD/CRIC(12)/5 contains additional information on this matter, including on best practices on funding and resource mobilization, for consideration by the Committee.

#### **4. Promotion and strengthening of relationships with other relevant conventions and international organizations, institutions and agencies**

37. By its decision 9/COP.10, the COP decided to include a review and assessment of progress in the response to that decision in the programme of work of the CRIC at its eleventh and twelfth sessions, and requested the Committee to include consideration of this matter in its report to COP 11.

38. The report on the eleventh session of the Committee is contained in documents ICCD/CRIC(11)/19 and Add.1. Additional information on this matter is contained in documents ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.2 and ICCD/CRIC(12)/CRP.1.

#### **5. Collaboration with the Global Environment Facility**

##### **(a) Report by the Global Environment Facility on its strategies, programmes and projects for financing the agreed incremental costs of activities concerning desertification**

39. Article 20, paragraph 2 (b), of the Convention addresses the need to promote the mobilization of adequate, timely and predictable financial resources, including new and additional funding from the GEF. By its decision 9/COP.1, the COP decided to include as a standing item on its agenda a review of available information on the financing of the Convention by multilateral agencies and institutions, including information on the activities of the GEF concerning desertification, as specified in article 20, paragraph 2 (b), of the Convention.

40. The Memorandum of Understanding between the UNCCD and the GEF adopted under decision 6/COP.7 provides that the GEF will submit a report to each regular session of the COP through the UNCCD secretariat on its strategies, programmes and projects for financing the agreed incremental costs of activities concerning desertification.

41. Decision 11/COP.9, annex, stipulates that the CRIC, at sessions held in conjunction with the COP, shall review the collaboration with the GEF, including in 2013 and at any other time that the COP may decide. Document ICCD/CRIC(12)/6 contains the report submitted by the GEF in accordance with the provisions of decision 6/COP.7 and decision 11/COP.9, as well as those of decision 11/COP.10 and other relevant provisions contained in the decisions taken by the COP at its tenth session.

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<sup>6</sup> Paragraph 7.

<sup>7</sup> Annex V.

(b) **Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification and the Global Environment Facility**

42. By its decision 11/COP.10, the COP requested the Executive Secretary to consult with the Chief Executive Officer of the GEF on whether amendments to the existing Memorandum of Understanding between the UNCCD and the GEF are required, and on possible proposals in the light of recent developments, and to report to the eleventh session of the COP. Information on this matter is contained in document ICCD/CRIC(12)/6.

**6. Programme of work for the thirteenth session of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention**

43. In accordance with rule 33 of the rules of procedure of the COP,<sup>8</sup> the CRIC is to submit to the COP, for adoption, a tentative programme of work for the thirteenth session of the Committee.

**7. Adoption of the report of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention**

44. According to decision 11/COP.9, the CRIC shall report regularly to the COP on all aspects of its work, and in particular through draft decisions prepared at sessions held in conjunction with ordinary sessions of the COP, where necessary, for consideration and adoption by the COP, containing substantive elements to facilitate effective implementation of the Convention, showing targets and assigned responsibilities and the expected financial implications of their implementation, as necessary. The report of the CRIC on its twelfth session, including, where necessary, draft decisions, shall be submitted to the COP for its consideration and, as appropriate, adoption.

**8. Election of officers other than the Chair of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention**

45. Pursuant to paragraph 9 of the terms of reference of the CRIC, as contained in decision 11/COP.9, four Vice-Chairs together with the Chair, elected by the COP in accordance with rule 31 of the rules of procedure of the COP, shall constitute the Bureau of the CRIC. They shall be elected with due regard to the need to ensure equitable geographical distribution and adequate representation of affected country Parties, particularly those in Africa, while not neglecting affected country Parties in other regions, and shall not serve for more than two consecutive terms.

46. In accordance with this decision, the Chair will call for the election of these officers at the final meeting of the CRIC. The Vice-Chairs elected, of whom one shall act as Rapporteur, shall assume their office immediately.

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<sup>8</sup> As contained in decision 1/COP.1.



## Annex I

### Documents before the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention at its twelfth session

<i>Document symbol</i>	<i>Title</i>
ICCD/CRIC(11)/19	Report of the eleventh session of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention, held in Bonn from 15 to 19 April 2013
ICCD/CRIC(11)/19/Add.1	Report of the eleventh session of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention, held in Bonn from 15 to 19 April 2013. Addendum
ICCD/CRIC(12)/1	Provisional agenda and annotations. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/CRIC(12)/2- ICCD/COP(11)/CST/9	Comprehensive multi-year workplan for the Convention (2014–2017). Note by the secretariat
ICCD/CRIC(12)/3	Report on the performance of the Convention secretariat, the Global Mechanism, the Committee on Science and Technology and the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention (2012–2013). Note by the secretariat
ICCD/CRIC(12)/4- ICCD/COP(11)/CST/7	Consideration of best practices in the implementation of the Convention: Promoting the analysis and dissemination of best practices. Report by the Bureaux of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention and the Committee on Science and Technology
ICCD/CRIC(12)/5	Consideration of best practices in the implementation of the Convention: Accessibility of best practices. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/CRIC(12)/6	Report by the Global Environment Facility on its strategies, programmes and projects for financing the agreed incremental costs of activities concerning desertification
ICCD/CRIC(12)/7	Improving the procedures for communication of information as well as the quality and format of reports to be submitted to the Conference of the Parties: Overall report on the fourth reporting and review process. Report by the Executive Secretary
ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.1	Report on the performance of the Convention secretariat, the Global Mechanism, the Committee on Science and Technology and the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention (2012–2013). Additional information. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.2	Action Plan for the implementation of the Global Drylands Report
ICCD/CRIC(12)/CRP.1	Progress made on the implementation of the existing advocacy policy frameworks of the Convention on gender, food security and climate change

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**Other documents before the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention at its twelfth session**

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ICCD/COP(11)/8	Financial performance for the Convention trust funds. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/COP(11)/9	Unaudited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013 as at 31 December 2012. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/COP(11)/10	Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium ended 31 December 2011, including the report of the United Nations Board of Auditors
ICCD/COP(11)/11	Report on the status of contributions to the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013. Note by the secretariat
ICCD/COP(11)/12	Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium ended 31 December 2011, including the audit report of PricewaterhouseCoopers for the Global Mechanism
ICCD/COP(11)/13	Audited financial statements for the Convention trust funds for the biennium 2012–2013, including the audit report of PricewaterhouseCoopers as at 31 December 2012 for the Global Mechanism

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## Annex II

### Tentative schedule of work for the twelfth session of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention

Tuesday, 17 September 2013	
10 a.m.–1 p.m.	3 p.m.–6 p.m.
	<p><i>Opening of the session by the Chair of the Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention (CRIC)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the agenda and organization of work (ICCD/CRIC(12)/1)</li> <li>• Review of the implementation of the Convention and The Strategy               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Comprehensive multi-year workplan for the Convention (2014–2017) (ICCD/CRIC(12)/2-ICCD/COP(11)/CST/9)</i></li> <li>- <i>Performance of the Convention's institutions and subsidiary bodies (ICCD/CRIC(12)/3, ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.1 and ICCD/COP(11)/8 to 13)</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Wednesday, 18 September 2013	
10 a.m.–1 p.m.	3 p.m.–6 p.m.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review of the implementation of the Convention and The Strategy               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Report of the Committee on its eleventh session (ICCD/CRIC(11)/19 and Add.1)</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Improving the procedures for communication of information as well as the quality and format of reports to be submitted to the Conference of the Parties               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Consideration of the overall report on the fourth reporting and review process (ICCD/CRIC(12)/7)</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promotion and strengthening of relationships with other relevant conventions and international organizations, institutions and agencies <i>(ICCD/CRIC(11)/19 and Add.1, ICCD/CRIC(12)/INF.2 and ICCD/CRIC(12)/CRP.1)</i></li> </ul>

<b>Thursday, 19 September 2013</b>	
<b>10 a.m.–1 p.m.</b>	<b>3 p.m.–6 p.m.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consideration of best practices in the implementation of the Convention                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Promoting the analysis and dissemination of best practices (ICCD/CRIC(12)/4-ICCD/COP(11)/CST/7)</i></li> <li>- <i>Accessibility of best practices (ICCD/CRIC(12)/5)</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Collaboration with the Global Environment Facility                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Report by the Global Environment Facility on its strategies, programmes and projects for financing the agreed incremental costs of activities concerning desertification (ICCD/CRIC(12)/6)</i></li> <li>- <i>Memorandum of Understanding between the UNCCD and the Global Environment Facility (ICCD/CRIC(12)/6)</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Formulation of the report of the CRIC, including, where necessary, draft decisions for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the Conference of the Parties</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the report of the Committee, including, where necessary, the draft decisions for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the Conference of the Parties</li> </ul>

<b>Wednesday, 25 September 2013</b>	
<b>10 a.m.–1 p.m.</b>	<b>3 p.m.–6 p.m.</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Programme of work for the thirteenth session of the CRIC</li> </ul>

<b>Thursday, 26 September 2013</b>	
<b>10 a.m.–1 p.m.</b>	<b>3 p.m.–6 p.m.</b>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Formulation of the report of the CRIC, including, where necessary, draft decisions for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the Conference of the Parties</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the report of the Committee, including, where necessary, the draft decisions for consideration and, as appropriate, adoption by the Conference of the Parties</li> <li>• Election of officers other than the Chair of the Committee</li> </ul> <p><i>Closure of the session</i></p>	