

encouraged Parties, especially developing country Parties, to continue nominating experts for the in-depth reviews, in particular Parties that recently acceded to the Convention.

(e) The SBI took note of the report on the informal workshop on Annex I communications held in conjunction with the present session of the SBI.

B. Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention

(Agenda item 4 (b))

1. Proceedings

17. At its 2nd and 5th meetings, on 29 July and 5 August respectively, the SBI addressed the sub-item on national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention. It had before it four documents presented by the secretariat (FCCC/SBI/1997/9, FCCC/SBI/1997/13, FCCC/SBI/1997/MISC. 4, FCCC/SBI/1997/MISC. 5).

18. Statements were made by representatives of x Parties, including x speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States and x speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

2. Conclusion

19. At its 5th meeting on 5 August, having considered a proposal by the Chairman, the SBI adopted the following conclusion:

[To be replaced by text contained in relevant adopted conclusion.]

V. FINANCIAL MECHANISM: REVIEW PROCESS REFERRED TO IN DECISION 9/CP.1

(Agenda item 5)

1. Proceedings

20. At its 2nd and 3rd meetings, on 29 July, the SBI addressed the sub-item on the financial mechanism: review process referred to in decision 9/CP.1. It had before it two documents presented by the secretariat (FCCC/SBI/1997/8, FCCC/SBI/1997/MISC. 3).

21. Statements were made by representatives of x Parties, including x speaking on behalf of the European Community and its member States and x speaking on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.