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**Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice**

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**Methodological issues under the Convention**

**General guidelines for domestic measurement, reporting and verification of domestically supported nationally appropriate mitigation actions by developing country Parties**

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**Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair**

1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) took note of the exchange of views among Parties on the general guidelines for domestic measurement, reporting and verification of domestically supported nationally appropriate mitigation actions by developing country Parties (hereinafter referred to as the guidelines).
2. The SBSTA agreed that the guidelines should be general, voluntary, pragmatic, non-prescriptive, non-intrusive and country driven, take into account national circumstances and national priorities, respect the diversity of nationally appropriate mitigation actions, build on existing domestic systems and capacities, recognize existing domestic measurement, reporting and verification systems and promote a cost-effective approach.
3. It invited Parties to submit to the secretariat, by 25 March 2013, their views on the guidelines.
4. The SBSTA requested the secretariat to compile the submissions referred to in paragraph 3 above into a miscellaneous document, which will be used by the SBSTA to initiate the process of developing the guidelines at its thirty-eighth session.
5. The SBSTA agreed to continue the process of developing the guidelines at its thirty-ninth session and to forward draft guidelines to the Conference of the Parties for adoption at its nineteenth session.