

## Decision 16/CP.20

### **Joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network for 2013**

*The Conference of the Parties,*

*Recalling* decisions 1/CP.16, 2/CP.17, 4/CP.17, 1/CP.18, 13/CP.18, 14/CP.18 and 25/CP.19,

*Also recalling* decisions 13/CP.18, paragraph 8, and 14/CP.18, paragraph 11,

1. *Welcomes* the joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network for 2013,<sup>1</sup> and the work these bodies undertook in 2013 to facilitate the effective implementation of the Technology Mechanism;

#### **Activities and performance of the Technology Executive Committee in 2013**

2. *Also welcomes* the effective implementation of the rolling workplan of the Technology Executive Committee for 2012–2013 and the key messages contained in the report referred to in paragraph 1 above;

3. *Adopts* the modalities of the Technology Executive Committee on linkages with other relevant institutional arrangements under and outside of the Convention contained in the annex to the report referred to in paragraph 1 above, with a view to promoting coherence and cooperation across technology activities under and outside of the Convention;<sup>2</sup>

#### **Activities and performance of the Climate Technology Centre and Network in 2013**

4. *Welcomes* the progress made by the United Nations Environment Programme, as the host of the Climate Technology Centre, in making the arrangements necessary for the full operationalization of the Climate Technology Centre and Network in 2013;

5. *Also welcomes* the timely completion of the mandated activities of the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network in 2013, which provided the necessary means for the Climate Technology Centre and Network to receive and respond to requests from developing country Parties in accordance with decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 123;

6. *Urges* Parties that have not yet nominated their national designated entity to promptly communicate their nomination to the secretariat through their national focal point;

7. *Invites* developing country Parties to submit requests, through their national designated entity, to the Climate Technology Centre and Network in accordance with decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 123;

8. *Acknowledges* with appreciation the financial support provided by Parties for the activities of the Climate Technology Centre and the mobilization of the services of the Network.

*10<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting  
12 December 2014*

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<sup>1</sup> FCCC/SB/2013/1.

<sup>2</sup> The text in the annex to the report referred to in paragraph 1 above will replace chapters V and VI of the modalities of the Technology Executive Committee adopted by decision 4/CP.17.