

Decision 37/CP.7

Date and venue of the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties

Recalling Article 7, paragraph 4, of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 40/243 of 18 December 1985 on the pattern of conferences,

1. *Decides* that the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties shall be held from 23 October to 1 November 2002;
2. *Notes* with appreciation the expression of interest by the Government of India in hosting the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties and to cover the related costs;
3. *Requests* the Executive Secretary to continue consultations with the Government of India and to report to the President not later than 24 November 2001 on whether the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties could be held in India, in conformity with General Assembly resolution 40/243;
4. *Requests* the Bureau to decide on the venue of the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties at its next meeting.

*8th plenary meeting
9 November 2001*