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DAILY PROGRAMME ¹

Tuesday, 9 December 2003

SCHEDULED MEETINGS ²

SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVICE (SBSTA)

3 p.m.

5th meeting

Plenary I

to completion of items below

1. Organizational matters [*Agenda item 2*]
 - (a) Election of officers other than the Chair [*Agenda item 2 (c)*]
2. Methodological issues [*Agenda item 4*]
 - (a) Good practice guidance and other information on land use, land-use change and forestry [*Agenda item 4 (d)*] (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.22 and Add.1)
 - (b) Harvested wood products [*Agenda item 4 (e)*] (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.21)
 - (c) Issues relating to registry systems under Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Kyoto Protocol [*Agenda item 4 (f)*] (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.20)
3. Development and transfer of technologies [*Agenda item 5*]
(FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.18)
4. Research and systematic observation [*Agenda item 7*]
(FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.17 and Add.1)
5. Cooperation with relevant international organizations [*Agenda item 8*]
(FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.19)

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SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR IMPLEMENTATION (SBI)

Upon completion of SBSTA plenary
to 6 p.m.

6th meeting

Plenary I

1. Capacity-building [*Agenda item 5*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.19)
2. Article 6 of the Convention [*Agenda item 6*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.20)
3. Administrative and financial matters [*Agenda item 9*]
Interim financial performance for the biennium 2002–2003
[*Agenda item 9 (a)*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.16)
4. Other matters [*Agenda item 10*]
 - (a) Proposal by Croatia on land use, land-use change and forestry
[*Agenda item 10 (a)*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.17 and Add.1)
 - (b) Special circumstances of Croatia under Article 4, paragraph 6, of the
Convention [*Agenda item 10 (b)*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.18)
 - (c) Any other matters [*Agenda item 10 (d)*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.21)

SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVICE (SBSTA)

8 p.m.
to completion

6th meeting

Plenary I

1. Third Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
[*Agenda item 3*] *
 - (a) Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of impacts of, and
vulnerability and adaptation to, climate change
 - (b) Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of mitigation
2. Methodological issues [*Agenda item 4*]
 - (a) Review of methodological work under the Convention and the Kyoto Protocol *
 - (b) Greenhouse gas inventories *
 - (c) Land use, land-use change and forestry: definitions and modalities for
including afforestation and reforestation activities under Article 12 of the
Kyoto Protocol *
3. “Good practices” in policies and measures among Parties included in Annex I
to the Convention [*Agenda item 6*] *

4. Other matters [*Agenda item 9*]
 - (a) Issues relating to cleaner or less-greenhouse-gas-emitting energy *
 - (b) Issues relating to the implementation of Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol *
 - (c) Any other matters
5. Report on the session [*Agenda item 10*] (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.16)

* Document to be issued during the course of the day.

SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR IMPLEMENTATION (SBI)

**Upon completion of SBSTA plenary
to 2 a.m.**

7th meeting

Plenary I

1. Organizational matters [*Agenda item 2*]
Election of officers other than the Chair [*Agenda item 2 (c)*]
2. National communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention [*Agenda item 3*]
 - (a) Consideration of the fifth compilation and synthesis of initial national communications *
 - (b) Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention *
 - (c) Provision of financial and technical support *
 - (d) Submission of second and, where appropriate, third national communications *
3. Financial mechanism of the Convention [*Agenda item 4*]
 - (a) Special Climate Change Fund *
 - (b) Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties *
 - (c) Additional guidance to the Global Environment Facility *
4. Implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention [*Agenda item 7*]
 - (a) Progress on the implementation of activities under decision 5/CP.7 *
 - (b) Matters relating to the least developed countries *
5. Request from a group of countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus, Albania and the Republic of Moldova regarding their status under the Convention [*Agenda item 8*] *
6. Administrative and financial matters [*Agenda item 9*]
Programme budget for the biennium 2004–2005 [*Agenda item 9 (b)*] *
7. Report on the session [*Agenda item 11*] (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.15)

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INFORMAL GROUPS OF THE CONVENTION BODIES

Time	Organizer	Title	Venue
10 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	SBSTA	Contact group on methodological work under the Convention and the Kyoto Protocol	Naples
10 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	SBI	Contact group on national communications from non-Annex I Parties to the Convention	Venice
11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.	SBSTA	Contact group on LULUCF: definitions and modalities for including afforestation/ reforestation activities under Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol (CDM-A/R)	Plenary II
11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.	SBI	Contact group on the Special Climate Change Fund	Venice
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	SBI	Contact group on progress on the implementation of activities under decision 5/CP.7	Florence

MEETINGS OF GROUPS OTHER THAN THE CONVENTION BODIES

Time	Organizer	Meeting type	Venue
8 a.m. – 9 a.m.	Alliance of Small Island States	Closed	Turin
8 a.m. – 9 a.m.	African Group	Closed	Genoa
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Umbrella Group	Closed	Cagliari
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Group of 77 and China	Closed	Plenary II
9.30 a.m.– 10 a.m.	Environmental Integrity Group	Closed	Trieste
9.30 a.m. – 10.30 a.m.	CACAM	Closed	Udine
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	GRULAC	Closed	Cagliari
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Least Developed Countries	Closed	Genoa
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	OPEC, OAPEC and LAS	Closed	Bolzano
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Group of 77 and China	Closed	Plenary II

**High-level UNFCCC/WBCSD/CDM Executive Board event
The clean development mechanism: power for the people**

How can the clean development mechanism (CDM) spur investment to meet the growing demand for clean and affordable electrical power in the developing world?

The event will specifically explore the role of the CDM in mobilizing resources for supplying clean and affordable power in developing countries. Against the background of ever-growing demand for electricity services, senior government and industry executives, the Chair and other representatives of the CDM Executive Board and representatives of international and non-governmental organizations will discuss market perspectives, investment strategies, project portfolios and implementation modalities.

This is a joint event of UNFCCC, the World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) and the Executive Board of the CDM; it will take place from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in “Bologna”. Seven topics will be featured, co-chaired by Ms. Joke Waller-Hunter, Executive Secretary, UNFCCC and Mr. Bjørn Stigson, President, WBCSD, and moderated by Mr. Irving Mintzer:

- Joint action for clean development: power for the people through the CDM
- The CDM in operation
- Meeting people’s power needs: projections and perspectives
- Power for development through the CDM
- Business opportunities through the CDM
- Is small always beautiful? Opportunities and challenges for decentralized power systems
- Discussion and conclusions: next steps

Launch of the UNFCCC Spanish portal

El Ministerio de Medio Ambiente de España y la Secretaría de la Convención Marco sobre Cambio Climático le invitan a presenciar el lanzamiento del Portal español del sitio web de la Secretaría de Cambio Climático (UNFCCC). Este nuevo portal significa un gran paso en la ampliación del acceso a la información y a los documentos en la lengua castellana.

El lanzamiento tendrá lugar el 10 de diciembre de 2003 entre las 18:30 y las 19:30 horas en el quiosco de cambio climático (Climate Change Kiosk), ubicado en el primer piso del centro de conferencias Fiera Milano, Via Gattamelata 2, Milán.

Information on the round-table discussions during the high-level segment
Survey by the President of COP 9

At the third meeting of the Conference of the Parties on Thursday, 4 December 2003, the President informed Parties of the preparations for the round-table discussions to be held during the high-level segment. The President stated that his main aim during the round-table discussions is to establish an atmosphere of constructive, open and interactive dialogue. Together with the co-chairs, he would like to provide an equal opportunity for all Parties to participate.

*In this regard, the President invited Parties to submit replies to a "Survey by the President of COP 9: advance indication of intent to contribute at the round-table discussions during the high-level segment of COP 9". This survey will be used by the President and the co-chairs to assist in promoting a balanced and structured exchange of views. Every effort will be made to accommodate the first preference indicated by each Party on the survey form. **There will be no list of speakers.***

The President will open each round-table discussion and introduce the co-chairs, who will be invited to make brief introductory remarks. The President will invite lead-off speakers from Annex I and non-Annex I Parties. The discussion will then be opened for Parties to make their contribution. Parties may also make statements on behalf of "Groups". There may also be opportunities for spontaneous contributions, to allow flexibility for Parties to join the discussion at any moment. The President and the co-chairs will request the understanding of Parties on time limitations for interventions, which ideally should not exceed two minutes for each speaker.

At the end of each round-table discussion, the co-chairs will provide an "impressionistic wrap-up". The President will issue, under his responsibility, a summary of all the round-table discussions, for inclusion in the report of COP 9, on Friday, 12 December 2003.

The round-table discussions will take place in Plenary I. There will be one seat at the table for the Head of delegation, and one seat behind for an adviser. Additional seating will be available at the sides and back of the room. The round-table discussions will be broadcast live on CCTV and webcast.

Status report on consideration of agenda items as at 8 December 2003

COP agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Status of ratification of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol	Sub-item completed
2 (b)	Adoption of the rules of procedure	President to hold consultations and report to COP 10
2 (c)	Adoption of the agenda	Agenda adopted with items 5, 7 (c) and (d) held in abeyance. President to hold consultations
2 (d)	Election of officers other than the President	Consultations in progress. Election expected next week
2 (e)	Admission of organizations as observers	The COP approved the list contained in document FCCC/CP/2003/4
2 (f)	Organization of work, including the sessions of the subsidiary bodies	Relevant items were referred to the SBSTA and the SBI
2 (g)	Date and venue of the tenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 10)	President to hold consultations
4 (b)(i)	National communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Michael Zammit Cutajar (Malta) and Mr. Jose Ovalle (Chile)
8	Report of the Executive Board of the clean development mechanism	Consultations to be held. Chair: Mr. Enele Sopoaga (Tuvalu)

SBSTA agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Adoption of the agenda	Adopted
2 (b)	Organization of the work of the session	Agreed
2 (c)	Election of officers other than the Chair	Consultations in progress
3	Third Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change	
3 (a)	Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of impacts of, and vulnerability and adaptation to, climate change	Contact group, chaired by the Chair of the SBSTA
3 (b)	Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of mitigation	
4	Methodological issues	
4 (a)	Review of methodological work under the Convention and the Kyoto Protocol	Contact group, co-chaired by Mr. Jim Penman (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland) and Mr. Brian Challenger (Antigua and Barbuda)
4 (b)	Greenhouse gas inventories	Informal consultations by Ms. Helen Plume (New Zealand)
4 (c)	Land use, land-use change and forestry: definitions and modalities for including afforestation and reforestation activities under Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol	Contact group, co-chaired by Ms. Thelma Krug (Brazil) and Mr. Karsten Sach (Germany)

4 (d)	Good practice guidance and other information on land use, land-use change and forestry	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair and draft decision to be recommended by the SBSTA (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.22 and Add.1)
4 (e)	Harvested wood products	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.21)
4 (f)	Issues relating to registry systems under Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Kyoto Protocol	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.20)
5	Development and transfer of technologies	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.18)
6	“Good practices” in policies and measures among Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	Informal consultations by Mr. Greg Terrill (Australia) and Mr. Richard Muyungi (Tanzania)
7	Research and systematic observation	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair and draft decision to be recommended by the SBSTA (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.17 and Add.1)
8	Cooperation with relevant international organizations	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.19)
9	Other matters	
9 (a)	Issues relating to cleaner or less greenhouse-gas-emitting energy	Informal consultations by the Chair of the SBSTA
9 (b)	Issues relating to the implementation of Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol	Informal consultations by the Chair of the SBSTA
9 (c)	Any other matters	Status to be noted in the report of the SBSTA
10	Report on the session	Draft report proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.16)

SBI agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Adoption of the agenda	Adopted
2 (b)	Organization of the work of the session	Agreed
2 (c)	Election of officers other than the Chair	Consultations in progress
3	National communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention	
3 (a)	Consideration of the fifth compilation and synthesis of initial national communications	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)
3 (b)	Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention	
3 (c)	Provision of financial and technical support	
3 (d)	Submission of second and, where appropriate, third national communications	
4	Financial mechanism of the Convention	
4 (a)	Special Climate Change Fund	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Rawleston Moore (Barbados) and Mr. Frode Neergaard (Denmark)

4 (b)	Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties	Chair to prepare draft conclusions to be recommended for adoption by the COP
4 (c)	Additional guidance to the Global Environment Facility	Informal consultations by Ms. Andrea Alban (Colombia)
5	Capacity-building	Draft decision to be recommended by the SBI (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.19)
6	Article 6 of the Convention	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.20)
7	Implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention	
7 (a)	Progress on the implementation of activities under decision 5/CP.7	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Al Waleed Hamad Al-Malik (United Arab Emirates) and Mr. Robert Mason (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)
7 (b)	Matters relating to the least developed countries	Informal consultations by Mr. Mamadou Honadia (Burkina Faso) and Mr. José Romero (Switzerland)
8	Request from a group of countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus, Albania and the Republic of Moldova regarding their status under the Convention	Chair to continue informal consultations
9	Administrative and financial matters	
9 (a)	Interim financial performance for the biennium 2002–2003	Draft decision to be recommended by the SBI (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.16)
9 (b)	Programme budget for the biennium 2004–2005	Contact group, chaired by Mr. John Ashe (Antigua and Barbuda)
10	Other matters	
10 (a)	Proposal by Croatia on land use, land-use change and forestry	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair and draft decision to be recommended by the SBI (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.17 and Add.1)
10 (b)	Special circumstances of Croatia under Article 4, paragraph 6, of the Convention	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.18)
10 (c)	Status report on the review of third national communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	SBI took note of the status report
10 (d)	Any other matters – Request by the Republic of Belarus	Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.21)
11	Report on the session	Draft report proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.15)

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Official press briefings

Bologna, on the first floor of the Fiera Milano, is the assigned press conference room during COP 9. Delegations that wish to hold a press conference for a time slot of 30 minutes are kindly requested to contact the Conference Spokesperson, Michael Williams, on the ground floor in the Media Coordination offices (area C) and on telephone number 335 827 2811.

Time	Organizer	Type	Venue
10.30 a.m. – 11 a.m.	H.E. Mr. Altero Matteoli Minister for the Environment and Territory Italy	Press only	Bologna
11.30 a.m. – noon	World Bank	Press only	Bologna
12.30 p.m. – 1 p.m.	European Union	Press only	Bologna
2 p.m. – 2.30 p.m.	Alliance of Small Island States	Press only	Bologna
2.30 p.m. – 3 p.m.	UNFCCC Media arrangements for the high-level segment	Press only	Bologna

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Facilities for non-governmental organizations

Offices for the business and industry organizations (BINGOs), environmental groups (ENGOs), indigenous organizations (IPOs) and local non-governmental organizations (local NGOs) are located on the ground floor: Contact persons and telephone numbers for these groups are given below:

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Meetings of non-governmental organizations

Time	Organizer	Venue
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	BINGOs	Palermo
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	RINGOs	Livorno
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	ENGOs	Lecce

Security

Enhanced measures have been put in place to ensure the safety and security of conference participants. Consequently, they are requested to co-operate with the security team if they are requested to verify their identity. This may lead to some inconvenience at times, but it is expected that participants will understand the need for such arrangements. To this end, participants should ensure that they wear their conference badges in full view at all times.

COP 9 on the web

For the duration of the conference, all official meetings, press conferences and some side events will be available on demand, with English, French or floor audio streams. On-demand files will be available shortly after the close of each meeting. A fully searchable database provides quick access to files, agenda information and documents. Please check the UNFCCC web site for the date and time of live webcast sessions at <http://unfccc.int/cop9/>

Wireless networking service

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1. Participants **who have** WIFI installed in their laptops need only to enable automatic DHCP.
2. Participants who **do not have** WIFI installed in their laptops and would like to try it out may rent a WIFI PCMCIA card from Telekom Italia on a one- or two-week basis, in either the Business Centre or the Media Centre, both on the ground floor. Information and support for installation is provided by Telekom Italia as part of the rental fee.

IPCC documentation

The following publications from the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change are available at the IPCC exhibit on the first floor between the conference rooms “Bologna” and “Naples”.

- IPCC Third Assessment Synthesis Report (Chinese, French, Russian, Arabic, Spanish)
- Outline of the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report (English only)
- IPCC Technical Paper V: Climate Change and Biodiversity (Spanish only)
- IPCC Good Practice Guidance and Uncertainty Management in National Greenhouse Gases (Chinese, Russian, Spanish, French)
- IPCC Good Practice Guidance for the LULUCF Sector (English only)
- IPCC Emission Factor Database on CD-ROM (English only)
- Presentations of our Side Events

Documents not on display can be ordered by leaving a business card at the IPCC booth.

Free transportation

Regione Lombardia has kindly offered all participants one free ticket each for use on public transportation in the city of Milan for the duration of the conference. Participants should collect their ticket from the Welcome Milan desk (taxi service), which is open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on the first floor. Upon boarding, participants must show their COP 9 badge in addition to presenting their ticket.

Credentials

Credentials of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers shall be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs. Delegations are kindly requested to forward the corresponding letter of credentials to the secretariat in the Conference Affairs office on the ground floor (Carrie Assheuer).

Pigeonholes for delegates

Pigeonholes for the distribution of official documents and messages, which delegates are kindly requested to check at regular intervals, are located opposite the Documents Distribution counter. Messages may also be placed on the message boards in the foyer of the first floor. Message boards for non-governmental organizations are located at the Information desk in the foyer of the first floor. Participants are requested to refrain from distributing non-official material via the pigeonholes.

Meditation room

A room for meditation and prayer is available to participants on the second floor of the conference facilities, adjacent to Plenary I.

Lost and found items

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SIDE EVENTS

For a full schedule of side events during the sessions and a list of the exhibits, please see the brochure "...inSide climate change", available from the Information desk and Documents Distribution. See also the secretariat web site: <http://unfccc.int/cop9/>

The secretariat would like to note that the scheduling of events remains dependent upon the demands of the negotiating process. For short-term changes please consult the CCTV monitors.

Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Policies to advance climate mitigation technologies	Resources for the Future Raymond Kopp (1-202) 328 5059 kopp@rff.org	Panellists will share perspectives on the role of domestic and international research, development and deployment policies supporting renewables, energy efficiency, carbon sequestration, and related climate change mitigation technologies.	Como
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	International policy dialogue on vulnerability	Delegation of Mexico DAMASO LUNA (52-55) 56 28 06 15 dluna@semarnat.gob.mx	The outcome of the Zacatecas dialogue on the vulnerability of developing countries to climate change.	Palermo
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Global GHG Register	World Economic Forum Oliver Haugen (41-22) 869.1328 Oliver.Haugen@weforum.org	In cooperation with leading business and environmental organizations, the World Economic Forum will announce the creation of the <i>Global GHG Register</i> , an initiative to facilitate voluntary corporate actions to inventory and reduce GHG emissions worldwide.	Bari
1 p.m.- 3 p.m.	Negotiating post-Kyoto: a bridge too far???	The Energy Research Institute Ulka Kelkar (91-11) 24682100, 24682111 ulkak@teri.res.in	Innovative and equitable approaches for post-Kyoto regime criteria for undertaking commitments consistent with UNFCCC principles and incentives to facilitate developing country participation. A joint event with CICERO, Norway and IGES, Japan.	Verona
1.30 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Recent scientific results from the Hadley Centre	Hadley Centre for Climate Protection and Research G J Jenkins (44-1344) 856653 geoff.jenkins@metoffice.com	Recent results on observations of climate change; attribution/detection; prediction of future climate change up to 2100.	Ancona
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Promoting gender equality, providing energy solutions, combatting climate change	Delegation of Sweden Jakob Ström (47-705) 56 95 03 jakob.strom@environment.ministry.se	The seminar will seek to identify priority areas for action to address energy-related environmental problems, with special reference to climate change seen from a gender perspective, of relevance to both developing and developed countries.	Catania
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Business round table - industry initiatives	The Business Roundtable Marian Hopkins (1-202) 872-1260 mhopkins@brt.org	Industry initiatives to reduce, avoid, offset or sequester greenhouse gas emissions. Advances in technology will also be presented.	Bari

6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Adaptation to climate change	United Nations Environment Programme Ravi Sharma (254-20) 624215 ravi.sharma@unep.org	Scientific capacity-building in developing countries – presentations on two projects funded by GEF and UNEP. Each project will be presented by developing country and IPCC experts.	Verona
7 p.m.– 9 p.m.	The future of the Kyoto Protocol: Alternatives for the second commitment period and beyond	Fondazione ENI Enrico Mattei Alessandra Gorla (39-02) 52036910 alessandra.gorla@feem.it	A panel of invited experts discuss the second commitment period targets, in particular with regard to their economic and environmental effectiveness and to their political viability, as well as the issue of the participation by the United States of America and developing countries.	Ancona
TBA	Australia: climate change innovation	Delegation of Australia Australian renewable and sustainable energy round table Alex.beckitt@hydro.com.au	Climate change innovation	Palermo

Events organized in the BINGO room “Pescara”

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Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Nuclear Energy: a long term energy option to address climate change	World Nuclear Association Cornish@world-nuclear.org	Nuclear energy plays an important role in generating emission-free electricity. Expert speakers from IAEA, EPRI and national nuclear industry and energy associations discuss the GHG avoidance potential of nuclear energy, based on published energy and emissions scenarios. <i>Light snacks will be available at the start of the meeting.</i>	Pescara
3 p.m.– 5 p.m.	Beyond accounting: voluntary corporate GHG targets	World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) and the World Resources Institute (WRI) Simon Schmitz Schmitz@wbcsd.org	The revised edition of the <i>GHG Protocol Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard</i> will include a new guidance chapter on voluntary GHG targets. The chapter does not prescribe targets for companies; instead it focuses on the steps involved, choices to be made and implications. Interactive session – short presentations will be followed by a discussion.	Pescara

Other events related to COP 9

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Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
9.30 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.	Adaptation Day at COP 9	International Institute for Environment and Development (IIED) Saleemul Huq (44-20) 7388 2117 Saleemul.huq@iied.org	The event builds on the last Adaptation Day at COP 8, and will feature four main sessions on state-of-the-art knowledge in the following areas: (a) Science of adaptation (b) Funding adaptation (c) Adaptation in action (d) Politics and negotiations on adaptation. Lunch will be provided.	Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei (FEEM), Corso Magenta 63 – a 5-minute walk from Cadorna Triennale rail station (red and green lines), opposite church of S. Maria d. Grazie
1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	CDM market activities: discussion of current issues in the CDM	International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) in collaboration with the World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) Robert Dornau (41-22) 839 31 54 dornau@ieta.org	Presentation of the latest developments in the clean development mechanism (CDM) and issues in the CDM process. A panel/open discussion will follow.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, room Domodossola, a 5-minute walk from the Fiera at Viale S. Boezio 20
3.30 p.m.– 5.30 p.m.	Clean development mechanism facility at the Asian Development Bank	Asian Development Bank	Clean development mechanism facility at the Asian Development Bank.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano (see above)
5.30 p.m.- 8 p.m.	Parliamentarians for sustainable energy policies	e-Parliament Climate and Energy Network Hans Wolters hans.wolters@e-parl.net (49-174) 923 84 25	The MP network discusses its political agenda and presents the "1 Watt Standby Initiative" and the "Energy Efficiency in Buildings Campaign". They seek contact with colleagues and experts, especially from developing countries and from economies in transition.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, (see above)
6 p.m.	Japan's policies on climate change	Institute for Global Environmental Strategies Hiromichi Morita (02) 3181-8925 (Milan) EIJGE001@attglobal.net	Demonstration of state-of-the-art climate protection technologies developed by the private sector in Japan. A cocktail reception will follow.	Enterprise Hotel lobby A free shuttle bus to the hotel will be provided. Please go to the Cloakroom area on the first floor of the Fiera at 5.30 p.m. You will be picked up from there

6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	CDM and gas flaring	International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) Robert Dornau (41-22) 839 31 54 dornau@ieta.org	Presentation of the potential global GHG emission reduction, which can be achieved through gas flaring/venting down projects. Recognition of those projects under the CDM will be discussed in order to evaluate how the CDM can promote the exploitation of this large GHG reduction potential. A panel/open discussion will take place and a cocktail reception will follow.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano (see above)
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	National, international, global partnership and information solutions in climate change	Responding to Climate Change (RTCC) Adam Bumpus (39-33) 33439651 adam.bumpus@rtcc.org	European Space Agency, US NOAA, Water UK, Stratus Consulting – working on partnerships, information and adaptation solutions to climate change. Followed by a reception.	Hotel Una Scandinavia (500 metres from Fiera Milano – meet at RTCC stand at 5.30 p.m.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

WWF will stage a fashion show, with creations inspired by the International Climate Symbol, from 6.30 p.m. – 7 p.m. in the foyer at the Climate Change Kiosk on the first floor. Co-organized by UNEP, Greenpeace and the Dutch Ministry of Housing, Spatial Planning and Environment (VROM). Light refreshments will be available.

SOCIAL EVENTS

The Minister for the Environment and Territory of Italy, H.E. Mr. Altero Matteoli, invites all participants to a baroque concert –“Vespro della Beata Vergine” by Claudio Monteverdi – performed by the Jubilate Choir and Orchestra, at 9 p.m. tonight at the Santa Maria del Carmine church, Piazza del Carmine 2.

Free shuttle buses will depart from pavilion 17, Via Gattamelata, between 7.45 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. to the church. Alternatively, participants may avail themselves of free public transport to this event. After the concert, return transportation to the Fiera is possible, again via free public transport or shuttle bus. Tickets for the event and yellow tickets for the free shuttle service are available from Ms. Nicoletta Ganzitti in meeting room C of area A – Host Country, EU Presidency. Only 500 seats are available. Should participants find they are ultimately unable to attend, they are requested to pass on their invitation to another participant in their stead.

Participants will need to show both their ticket and COP 9 accreditation badge to enter the church.
