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#### Note by the Executive Secretary

This document comprises a compilation of submissions that were received from Contracting Parties, Governments and organisations in response to the invitation of the Executive Secretary, dated 7 November 1997, inviting views on and priorities for the focused work programme on forest biological diversity, in the light of decision III/12 of the Conference of the Parties and recommendation III/3 of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice. Attention is drawn to this document under Agenda item 7.3 on forest biological diversity.