**Template for the Advanced Comments on Draft Documents on Planning, Reporting and Review Mechanisms for the Resumed Session of the Third Meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation**

**TEMPLATE FOR COMMENTS: Draft guidance for updating national biodiversity strategies and action plans in light of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework contained in CBD/SBI/3/11/ADD 4**

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| **Advanced comments on the draft documents on Planning, Reporting and Review Mechanisms for the Resumed Session of the Third Meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation** | |
| **Scope of this template for comments** | Guidance for updating national biodiversity strategies and action plans in light of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework, contained in the document CBD/SBI/3/11/Add.4 which includes a draft version of Annex A to CBD/SBI/3/CRP.5. |
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| **Comments** | |
| Please provide any general comments on the national biodiversity strategy and action plan guidance.   * The document gives a very clear indication of what is required for the updating or revising of National Biodiversity Strategies And Action Plans (NBSAPs) for the post-2020 Global   Biodiversity Framework (GBF).   * Similar to the Guidelines produced for the development of the Fifth (5th) National Report under the CBD, the guidance here should include approximately how long each section should be, so that the Report is as targeted as possible. | |
| Please use the table below to provide any specific comments on the template: | |

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| **Section** | **Comment** |
| 1 | Please provide comments on section 1 which includes the elaboration of national targets towards each of the global targets of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework.  - |
| 2 | Please provide comments on section 2 on who is responsible for coordinating implementation and reporting on this target.  - |
| 3 | Please provide comments on section 3 on the linkages with other national initiatives and targets.  - |
| 4 | Please provide comments on section 4 on involvement of sub-national or other actors beyond national governments.  - |