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**SCENARIOS FOR MAINSTREAMING BIODIVERSITY INTO SECTORS: TECHNICAL
STUDY UNDERPINNING THE FOURTH EDITION OF THE GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY
OUTLOOK (GBO-4)**

Note by the Executive Secretary

1. The Executive Secretary is circulating herewith, for the information of participants in the eighteenth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice a draft technical study on sectoral scenarios and biodiversity mainstreaming. The technical study has been prepared by PBL Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency. The study is an input to the preparation of the fourth edition of the Global Biodiversity Outlook. The document is being made available for the purposes of peer-review.

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3. The draft executive summary of GBO-4 has been made available as document UNEP/CBD/SBSTTA/18/2 and can be accessed from the SBSTTA-18 documents page (<https://www.cbd.int/doc/?meeting=sbstta-18>). The complete first draft of the GBO-4 has also been made available as an information document for the meeting (UNEP/CBD/SBSTTA/18/INF/2) and can be accessed from: <https://www.cbd.int/doc/meetings/sbstta/sbstta-18/information/sbstta-18-inf-02-en.pdf>.

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