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BRAINSTORMING MEETING OF  
SBSTTA CHAIRS ON WAYS AND MEANS  
TO IMPROVE THE EFFECTIVENESS  
OF THE SUBSIDIARY BODY  
Paris, 24-25 July 2006

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

1. Opening of the meeting:
  - Opening statement by a representative of the French authorities;
  - Opening statement by a representative of the Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle;
  - Opening statement by a representative of UNEP's Division of Environmental Convention (Mr. Bakary Kante);
  - Opening statement by the Executive Secretary of the SCBD, Mr. Ahmed Djoghlaf.
2. Review and assessment of SBSTTA
3. Ways and means to improve the effectiveness of SBSTTA
  - 3.1 Lessons learned from other scientific bodies
  - 3.2 Concrete proposals from each Chair of SBSTTA
4. Summary of the discussion
5. Closure of the meeting

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