



Monitoring Framework of the GBF, SBSTTA-26

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History of Agenda item since SBSTTA 25



SBSTTA 25 document requests the AHTEG to:

- Continue work, in particular advice to fill critical caps
- Engage with biodiversity related Conventions and organisations
- Binary indicators: provide advice on binary indicators wording
- Revised metadata for each indicators, in particular those that don't yet have methodology
- Glossary of key terms for binary questions
- Take into account work from WG 8j on 4 TK indicators

Work SBSTTA 25 towards SBSTTA 26



- Working group 8J meeting that looked at 4 TK indicators : [Recommendation WG8J-12/4](#)
- **BERN III** meeting that discussed implementation of the KM-GBF between MEAs and organisations
- Online meeting of AHTEG
- Financial reporting group meeting end of February, Istanbul, Turkiye, to discuss also indicators
- AHTEG in-person meeting in March, Cambridge, UK

Documents for SBSTTA 26



Early scenarios indicate

- Only formal document will be draft conclusions and recommendations on MF for consideration by COP16
- Many information documents :
 - The report of the AHTEG (most of the remaining documents are likely annexes or addendums to this document)
 - An explanatory note on the binary indicators
 - A report on capacity building and new data (capacity needs survey this month by UNEP-WCMC)
 - A gap analysis which describes how the headline, binary, component and complementary indicators fit together and any perceived gaps
 - The report of the Expert Group on Financial Reporting
 - An analysis of the 4 TK indicators as requested by 8j
- Documents will be ready in April
- EU expert group 22 February (with more updates?)

Related agenda items at SBI-4

- Planning, monitoring, reporting and review:
 - update of the reporting template with indicators
- Technical and scientific cooperation (TSC):
 - selection of regional and/or sub-regional tsc centers
 - Capacity building and development
- Knowledge management : Knowledge management component of the KM-GBF
- NBSAP and indicators during side events?



Compilation of views from parties

- Meta data for each indicator
- Explanatory information on binary indicators questions
- Guidance methodologies for global indicators
- Glossary of key terms
- Vilm meeting (April) will need input from scientist/parties on these questions



Thank you for your attention!

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