



Conference of the Parties

Thirtieth session

Belém, 10–21 November 2025

Agenda item 2(g)

Organizational matters

Dates and venues of future sessions

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Proposal by the President

Draft decision -/CP.30

Dates and venues of future sessions

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Convention,

Also recalling United Nations General Assembly resolution 40/243 of 18 December 1985 on the pattern of conferences,

Further recalling rule 22, paragraph 1, of the draft rules of procedure being applied regarding the rotation of the office of President among the five United Nations regional groups,

I. 2026

1. *Accepts with appreciation* the offer of the Government of Türkiye to host the thirty-first session of the Conference of the Parties, the twenty-first session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the eighth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement from Monday, 9 November, to Friday, 20 November 2026;
2. *Welcomes* the arrangement between the Government of Türkiye and the Government of Australia,¹ as endorsed by the Western European and other States;
3. *Notes* that a Pacific island country will host the “Pre-COP”, the preparatory event for the sessions;
4. *Requests* the Executive Secretary to initiate consultations with the Government of Türkiye and to conclude a Host Country Agreement for convening the sessions, pursuant to United Nations General Assembly resolution 40/243 and the provisions of United Nations administrative instruction ST/AI/342, including its annex, containing the model conference agreement, with a view to signing the Host Country Agreement as soon as possible,

¹ See <https://unfccc.int/documents/655031>.



preferably before the sixty-fourth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2026), so as to allow for its prompt implementation;

5. *Also requests* the Executive Secretary to provide the host country with technical support and guidance on UNFCCC policies and requirements, taking into account any issues raised by Parties regarding the organization of sessions, and to report back regularly to the Bureau of the governing bodies;

II. 2027

6. *Accepts with appreciation* the offer of the Government of Ethiopia to host the thirty-second session of the Conference of the Parties, the twenty-second session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the ninth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement in Addis Ababa from Monday, 8 November, to Friday, 19 November 2027;

7. *Requests* the Executive Secretary to initiate consultations with the Government of Ethiopia and to conclude a Host Country Agreement for convening the sessions, pursuant to United Nations General Assembly resolution 40/243 and the provisions of United Nations administrative instruction ST/AI/342, including its annex, containing the model conference agreement, with a view to signing the Host Country Agreement as soon as possible, preferably before the sixty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2027), so as to allow for its prompt implementation;

8. *Also requests* the Executive Secretary to provide the host country with technical support and guidance on UNFCCC policies and requirements, taking into account any issues raised by Parties regarding the organization of sessions, and to report back regularly to the Bureau of the governing bodies;

III. 2028

9. *Notes* that, in keeping with the principle of rotation among the United Nations regional groups, the President of the thirty-third session of the Conference of the Parties, the twenty-third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the tenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement would come from the Asia-Pacific States;

10. *Invites* Parties to come forward with offers to host the sessions referred to in paragraph 9 above, which will be held from Monday, 6 November, to Friday, 17 November 2028, noting the logistical and financial risks associated with delays in selecting a host country and the need for the secretariat to conduct fact-finding missions to the host country in a timely manner;

11. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its sixty-sixth session, to consider the issue of the host of the sessions referred to in paragraph 10 above and to recommend the matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-second session;

IV. Calendar of meetings of the Convention, Kyoto Protocol and Paris Agreement bodies

12. *Adopts* the following dates for the sessional periods in 2030:

- (a) First sessional period: Monday, 3 June, to Thursday, 13 June;
- (b) Second sessional period: Monday, 11 November, to Friday, 22 November;

13. *Also adopts* the following dates for the sessional periods in 2031:

- (a) First sessional period: Monday, 2 June, to Thursday, 12 June;
- (b) Second sessional period: Monday, 10 November, to Friday, 21 November.