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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chair

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) considered the synthesis report by the secretariat on experience in implementing gender-responsive financial instruments and methodologies, and available capacity-building in this regard.[1]

2. The SBI also considered the 2026 report by the secretariat on gender composition.[2]

3. The SBI further considered the report by the secretariat on the in-session workshop on best practices and tools for strengthening the role of national gender and climate change focal points.[3]

4. The SBI considered the report by the Executive Secretary on how cases of harassment that are reported to the secretariat at United Nations climate change conferences and events are addressed.[4]

5. The SBI acknowledged the efforts undertaken in the first year of implementation of the Belém gender action plan for 2026–2034[5] and expressed appreciation to Parties and relevant organizations for their efforts, while emphasizing the continued need for scaled-up support for developing country Parties to implement the Belém gender action plan as well as the need for the provision of support to national gender and climate change focal points. The SBI also expressed appreciation to Parties, United Nations entities, UNFCCC constituted bodies, representatives of UNFCCC work programmes, implementing entities, the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and other relevant stakeholders for their efforts in implementing the Belém gender action plan.

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[1] FCCC/CP/2026/6.
[2] FCCC/CP/2026/4.
[3] FCCC/CP/2026/3.
[4] Prepared pursuant to decision 7/CP.30, annex, table 2, deliverable B.3.3; available at https://unfccc.int/about-us/code-of-conduct-for-unfccc-conferences-meetings-and-events.
[5] Decision 7/CP.30, annex.