



# Environment and Social Development Organization

## Statement on Scope and Objectives

To enhance the effectiveness of the science-policy panel and its crucial functions, we recognize the need for continual improvement and adaptation. A proactive approach to "horizon scanning" could be fortified by implementing advanced data analytics and scientific evidence-based approach. This would enable the identification of emerging issues with greater precision and promptness, facilitating a more agile response to potential challenges.

In conducting assessments, a refinement of methodologies, incorporating the latest advancements in scientific research, can elevate the quality and relevance of evidence-based options. Establishing dedicated task forces within subsidiary bodies to focus on specific issues could further streamline assessment processes, ensuring a more comprehensive understanding of diverse challenges.

The provision of up-to-date and relevant information requires a dynamic communication strategy. Leveraging technology and social media platforms can amplify the reach of findings, ensuring that the information resonates with diverse audiences. Additionally, creating targeted awareness campaigns, tailored to specific regions or demographics, can enhance the impact of public outreach efforts.

Continual evaluation and adaptation of the panel, guided by feedback from scientists, policymakers, and stakeholders, will be essential. Inclusivity can be bolstered by actively seeking input from a broader range of stakeholders, including local communities, indigenous groups, and grassroots organizations. This will contribute to a more holistic and representative understanding of the challenges at hand. Moreover, fostering collaborative partnerships with international research institutions can infuse a global perspective into the panel's initiatives.

To improve information-sharing with countries, a user-friendly online platform could be established, providing easy access to scientific information, resources, and best practices. This initiative can be complemented by capacity-building programs tailored to the specific needs of developing countries, ensuring sustainable implementation of sound chemical and waste management practices.

Thank You.

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