

NOTIFICATION

Invitation to submit inputs and relevant information to support the development of a methodology for additional component indicators for headline indicators 18.1 and 18.2 of the monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework

Dear Sir or Madam,

At its sixteenth meeting, the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity adopted its decision 16/31 on the monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework. In paragraph 8 of that decision, the Conference of the Parties decided that further work was needed to develop component indicators and their methodology on subsidies harmful to biodiversity, taking into account the optional sectorial disaggregation of headline indicator 18.2, as well as positive incentives to promote the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity. Taking this into account, in paragraph 30(c) of the same decision, the Executive Secretary was requested to compile submissions from Parties on inputs and relevant information to support the development of a methodology for additional component indicators for headline indicators 18.1 and 18.2.

In response to that request, Parties are invited to provide inputs and relevant information to support the development of a methodology for additional component indicators for headline indicators 18.1 and 18.2 by **30 May 2025**. Information should be submitted through the central portal of the clearing-house mechanism using the following link: <https://chm.cbd.int/submit/submission/new?notification=2025-045>. Should technical problems prevent the use of the clearing-house mechanism, contributions may be sent through an official letter addressed to the Executive Secretary, by e-mail to secretariat@cbd.int.

Please note that this notification is complemented by notifications 2025-044 and 2025-046 which address, respectively, paragraphs 30(b) and 30(d) of decision 16/32.

Please accept, Sir, Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) Astrid Schomaker
Executive Secretary

To: CBD national focal points, SBSTTA focal points