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Briefing on *The Parliamentary contribution to the 2019 UN Climate Change Conference*

*Monday, 14 October 2019 (11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.)
Hall 3/0 (ground floor), Building A, Sava Centre*

Concept note

As in previous years, the IPU is organizing a Parliamentary Meeting at the next UN Climate Change Conference (COP 25). The meeting is being organized jointly with the Senate of Chile and will take place on 2 December 2019 in Santiago, Chile.

The Parliamentary Meeting is expected to adopt an outcome document. The Rapporteur appointed by the Senate of Chile, Mr. Guido Girardi Lavin, Senator, has been entrusted with preparing a preliminary draft of the outcome document. The Standing Committee on Sustainable Development, Finance and Trade will hear a presentation of the preliminary draft and will have an opportunity to exchange views on its form and content.

Amendments to the preliminary draft outcome document should be sent in writing to the IPU Secretariat by 15 November 2019. The Rapporteur will then finalize the draft and the IPU will publish it on its website ahead of the Parliamentary Meeting. The draft outcome document will be presented to the closing session of the Parliamentary Meeting with a view to it being adopted by consensus.

Chair:

Ms. Veronica Muzenda Tsitsi, Committee President

Speakers:

Ms. Hafida Lahiouel, Director, Legal Affairs, United Nations Climate Change Secretariat (UNFCCC)

Mr. Guido Girardi Lavin, Senator, Rapporteur to the Parliamentary Meeting at COP 25

