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Briefing on The Parliamentary contribution to the 2018 UN Climate Change Conference

Monday, 15 October 2018 (11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.) Room 2, level 0, CICG

Concept note

As in previous years, the IPU is organizing a Parliamentary Meeting at the next UN Climate Change Conference (COP24). The meeting is being organized jointly with the Polish Parliament and will take place on 9 December 2018 in Poland.

The Parliamentary Meeting is expected to adopt an outcome document. The Rapporteur appointed by the Polish Parliament, Ms. Anna Paluch, MP, has prepared a preliminary draft of the outcome document, which is available on the IPU website and the Assembly app. 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 16 November 2018. 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 adopting it by consensus.

Chair: Ms. Silvia Dinica, Member of the Standing Committee Bureau

Speaker: Ms. Anna Paluch, MP, Rapporteur to the Parliamentary Meeting at COP24