

IUCN presents views and recommendations to the Parties on selected agenda items of CBD WG8J-11 and SBSTTA23. Comments and suggestions to amend and strengthen the contents of particular background documents are provided in an [Annex](#) to this paper.

**Scientific and technical evidence base for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework
(Agenda item 3- SBSTTA)**

IUCN welcomes the information contained in CBD/SBSTTA/23/2 and related addenda, noting that they provide critical considerations for the development of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework. IUCN also agrees with the suggested recommendation.

IUCN welcomes the prominence given to the four highest-level key messages from the IPBES Global Assessment. These are critical for both the design and implementation of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework. In addition, the convergence of the messages emerging from the IPBES and IPCC Assessments, and other reports, and the implications of their findings draw attention to the interlinked nature of many g

supporting the effective participation of IPLCs in the preparation of inclusive recommendations.

Recognising the need to better provide advice