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Agenda Item 3. Review of progress in the implementation of the Convention and the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020  

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On document SBI/03/2, Section II - Conclusion  

On Para 22 (Page 6) that reads: “(last line).....Parties may wish to further reflect on these lessons during their considerations of agenda Item 9**.  

We suggest a new addition point (m) that would read: - “The need for supporting and strengthening gender-responsive actions in implementation and mainstreaming of gender issues in biodiversity policy frameworks.”  

This is taking into consideration Section C: Progress in implementing the Gender Plan of Action, and CBD/SBI/3/2/Add.3 (Review of implementation of the 2015-2020 Gender Plan of Action) which we would like to see acknowledged and reflected in Section II - Conclusion to further provide guidance and consider it adequately in also Section III - Suggested Recommendations.  

We welcome support from Parties.  

We thank Norway and Parties who have acknowledged the need for consider gender responsiveness in the GBF.  

Thank you Chair