Contact group 2

6:00PM-9:30PM 11/12/23

Institutional Arrangements and relationships with relevant key stakeholders

The group meet from 6 to 9:30 pm yesterday and began to work based on inf. 10. The group recognized that UNEP/SPP-CWP/OEWG.2/INF/10/Rev.1 - Draft text for proposals to establish a science-policy panel, as a good starting point for the work of the contact group and deliberations.

First, there was a collection of general views about the institutional arrangements such as plenary, bureau and subsidiary bodies.

Some delegations asked for clarifications on the text of section C of INF 10 and have some questions about the functions of the different bodies indicated in that section.

Following a short break, we began to go through the text on Plenary though it is not finished yet.

The plan for today (December 12th) is to have a presentation of the secretariat reflecting the institutional arrangements of INF10. After that, we will continue with the text under plenary, bureau and secretariat and have a more detailed discussion around subsidiary bodies.