



Inter-parliamentary Conference on Climate Change

6–7 October 2019

Finnish Parliament, Helsinki, Finland

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Sunday, 6 October 2019

- 15:00 – 19:00 Arrival of delegations and registration at the hotels
- 19:00 Departure on foot from the hotels Scandic Simonkenttä and Sokos Hotel Presidentti to visit the **Amos Rex Art Museum** (*address: Mannerheimintie 22-24, 00100 Helsinki*)
- 20:00 **Dinner** hosted by **Mr Hannu Hoskonen**, Chair of the Environment Committee at the **Restaurant Lasipalatsi** (*address: Mannerheimintie 22-24, 00100 Helsinki*)
- 22:00 Return to the hotels on foot

Monday, 7 October 2019

- 8:10 Departure from the hotels to Little Parliament (the Annex building of the Parliament)
- 8:30 **Opening Session**
Welcome address by **Mr Matti Vanhanen**, the Speaker of the Parliament
- Opening of the meeting by **Mr Hannu Hoskonen**, Chair of the Environment Committee and **Ms Satu Hassi**, Chair of the Grand Committee
- 8:50 – 9:45 **Session I: Strategies for Carbon Neutral Future - Necessity to speed up emission reductions by 2030**
Chair of the session: **Ms Satu Hassi**, Chair of the Grand Committee

Presentations:

Status of climate and disasters; need to mitigate and adapt

Mr Petteri Taalas, Secretary-General, World Meteorological Organization

Pathways to limiting global warming below 1.5-2°C

Dr Gunnar Luderer, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK)

Cost-efficient low-carbon pathways to 2030 and 2050

Mr Oras Tynkkynen, The Finnish Innovation Fund Sitra

9:45 – 11:00

Exchange of views – Strengthening of Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) and the EU target for 2030

11:00 – 11:45

Family photo and Coffee break

11:45 – 12:45

Session II: Climate-Smart Finance Sector

Chair of the session: **Ms Satu Hassi**, Chair of the Grand Committee

Presentations:

Sustainable Finance Market; the role of investors

Mr Steve Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva Investors

Innovative Green Finance: Climate Bonds Initiative

Mr Sean Kidney, CEO, Climate Bonds Initiative

Cap-and-trade regulations creating economic opportunities for clean technologies and building national and international partnerships

Mr Richard Corey, Executive officer, California Air Resources Board

12:45 – 13:45

Exchange of views

13:45 – 14:00

Closing remarks

14:00 – 15:00

Lunch

15:00

Departure of delegations