European Scientific Advisory Board on Climate Change

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32nd Advisory Board meeting
Minutes

Tuesday 16 December, 13:00-17:00 (CET), 2025
Online meeting

Participants
See Annex 1.

Agenda
See Annex 2.

Documents
All meeting documents are directly available on the Advisory Board's Teams site.

1. Opening of meeting
The minutes from the 31st Advisory Board meeting (09 December 2025) were adopted without further comments.

The agenda was adopted without comments.

2. General update by the Chair
The Chair provided an update on key policy developments and progress since the last meeting, and outlined the expectations for the meeting.

3. General update by the Secretariat
The Head of the Secretariat gave a brief update on recent stakeholder meetings. The next Brussels Bulletin will be shared in the next Advisory Board meeting on 7-8 January 2026.

4. Adaptation project
The Advisory Board discussed the draft recommendations of the adaptation report and provided further guidance to the Secretariat. The Secretariat will refine the recommendations where the Advisory Board provided comments.

The Secretariat committed to send an updated version of the summary and draft report by 23 December 2025 (close of business), so that the Advisory Board can have a final discussion and approve the report at its meeting on 7-8 January 2026.

5. Any other business

No other business was raised.

Annex 1: Participants

Advisory Board members	Signature
Jette Bredahl Jacobsen	Signed
Constantinos Cartalis	Signed
Suraje Dessai	Signed
Laura Diaz Anadon	Absent
Ottmar Edenhofer	Signed
Vera Eory	Signed
Edgar Hertwich	Signed
Lars J. Nilsson	Signed
Lena Kitzing	Signed
Elena Lopez Gunn	Signed
Keywan Riahi	Absent
Joeri Rogelj	Signed
Nicolaas Schrijver	Signed
Jean-François Soussana	Signed
Maarten van Aalst	Signed

Secretariat to the Advisory Board	
François Dejean	Signed
Rasmus Sangild	Signed
Pieter Lemmens	Signed
Elsa Malika Malki	Signed
Ciaran Maguire	Signed
James Clarke	Signed
Frederik Silbye	Signed
Kamila Paquel	Signed
Sebastian Franz	Signed
Martina Popova	Signed
Mathilde de Goër de Herve	Signed
Kristina Madsen	Signed

Observer	
Christopher Leisinger	Signed

Annex 2: Meeting agenda

Time	Item		Notes
13:00-13:05	1.	Opening of meeting	
	1.1	Adoption of minutes from the 09 December 2025 meeting	*For adoption*
	1.2	Adoption of agenda	*For adoption*
13:05-13:15	2.	General update by the Chair	*For information*
13:15-13:30	3.	General update by the Secretariat	*For information*
13:30-15:00	4.	Adaptation project	*For discussion*
15:00-15:15	*Break*		
15:15-16:50		Adaptation project (continued)	*For discussion*
16:50-17:00	5.	Any other business	*For information*