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**CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE  
INTER-AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL  
CHANGE RESEARCH  
Twenty-eight meeting  
Asunción, Paraguay, meeting date to be confirmed  
Agenda item 4**

**Approval of the Report of the 27th meeting of the Conference of the Parties**

1. This document has been prepared by the IAI Directorate.

Background

2. Rule 85 of the *Standing rules of the Conference of the Parties of the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research* (as approved by CoP-21, June 2013, Montevideo) states:

*The Executive Director shall prepare a draft Report for each Conference of the Parties. This draft report shall include all approved resolutions and action lists for each day, the minutes of the Conference and annexes as needed. The Directorate shall make the draft Report available to all Conference participants no later than sixty (60) days following the end of the Conference of the Parties for the participants' review and comment. All such comments shall be submitted to the Directorate within thirty (30) days of the distribution of the draft Report.*

3. Rule 86 of the same document states that:

*The Directorate will make the draft Report available to all Parties and other Conference participants no later than one-hundred and twenty (120) days following the end of the Conference of the Parties.*

4. The draft report of the 27th meeting of the Conference of the Parties (CoP-27, Brasilia, 2019) was made available on the IAI website for review and comments by CoP-27 representatives on 17 July 2019 via notification no. IAIUYDIR/2019/016.
5. On notification IAIUYDIR/2019/016, and in accordance with Rule 85 of the *Standing rules*, the IAI Directorate requested that comments be sent no later than 18 August 2019.
6. At the time of writing, comments or suggestions for revisions to the Report of CoP-27 has not been received by the IAI Directorate.
7. The report of CoP-27, 5 to 6 2019, Brasilia, Brazil, no. IAI/COP/27/FNRPT, is contained as an Annex to the present document.

#### Recommendation

8. Conference of the Parties is invited to approve the *Report of the 27th meeting of the Conference of the Parties*, no. IAI/COP/27/FNRPT, which is attached as an Annex to this document.