

Original Geneva Text	LMDC Proposal for Streamlining on First Reading (Without Prejudice to Position on Second Reading in Relation to Substance)
<p>17.2. <b><u>Option 1</u></b>: [Parties’ efforts to take the form of:] [The agreed long-term objective mentioned above shall be in the context of a time frame sufficient to allow ecosystems to adapt naturally to climate change, to ensure that food production is not threatened and to enable economic development to proceed in a sustainable manner, and shall also take into account vulnerabilities and the managing of the transition in a sustainable manner. In this regard, Parties’ differentiated efforts to take the form of:]</p> <p>a. <b>Option (a)</b>: A long-term zero emission sustainable development pathway[, bearing in mind that social and economic development and poverty eradication are the first and overriding priorities of developing countries][ for developing countries that combines adaptation and mitigation to reduce climate change and its impacts]:</p> <p>i. Consistent with carbon neutrality / net zero emissions by 2050, or full decarbonization by 2050 and/or negative emissions by 2100 [for developed countries];</p> <p>ii. Consistent with science and the findings of the / Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) (e.g. 40–70 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050) in accordance with historical responsibilities, capabilities and the state of development, while addressing vulnerabilities and in a cooperative manner;</p> <p>iii. Consistent with a global reduction in greenhouse gas emissions of at least 50 per cent by 2050 compared with the levels in 1990 and a continued decline in emissions thereafter, [in the context of equitable access to sustainable</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Merged Para. 17.2 Opt 1(a) Opt (a)</b></p> <p>a. <b>Option (a)</b>: A long-term zero emission sustainable development pathway[, bearing in mind that social and economic development and poverty eradication are the first and overriding priorities of developing countries][ for developing countries that combines adaptation and mitigation to reduce climate change and its impacts] <b>[that]: [(i) is]</b> [consistent with science and the findings of the / Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)] [consistent with the findings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change][the findings of the best and latest available science] [the scientific findings of the IPCC, in order to have a likely chance of keeping the temperature change to below 2 °C]; <b>[(ii) is]</b> [in accordance with [common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities,] historical responsibilities, capabilities and the state of development, while addressing vulnerabilities and in a cooperative manner] [in the context of equitable access to sustainable development [and a global carbon budget]]; <b>[(iii) with]</b> [emissions peaking for [developed countries][Parties included in annex X] in 2015] [a peaking of global greenhouse gas emissions as soon as possible, noting that the time frame for peaking may be longer in [developing countries][Parties not included in annex X][For developed countries, this should be quantitative and time-bound and for developing countries peaking should be aspirational]]; <b>[(iv) achieves]</b> [carbon neutrality / net zero emissions by 2050] [full decarbonization by 2050] [e.g. 40–70 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050] [global reduction in greenhouse gas emissions of at least 50 per</p>

development and a global carbon budget][reaching near-zero emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the century, consistent with the findings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change];

- iv. Consistent with emissions peaking for [developed countries][Parties included in annex X] in 2015, with an aim of zero net emissions by 2050, in the context of equitable access to sustainable development;
- v. Consistent with a peaking of global greenhouse gas emissions as soon as possible, noting that the time frame for peaking may be longer in [developing countries][Parties not included in annex X], in the context of equitable access to sustainable development. [For developed countries, this should be quantitative and time-bound and for developing countries peaking should be aspirational];
- vi. Consistent with the findings of the best and latest available science in accordance with common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, historical responsibilities, capabilities, and the state of development, while addressing vulnerabilities and in a cooperative manner;
- vii. Consistent with the scientific findings of the IPCC, in order to have a likely chance of keeping the temperature change to below 2 °C, global GHG emissions in 2050 will need to be 40 to 70 per cent lower than in 2010 and reach levels near zero Gt CO<sub>2</sub> eq or below in 2100;
- viii. Ensuring significant and rapid global greenhouse gas emission reductions of at least 70–95 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050 and zero emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases in the period 2060–2080.

cent by 2050 compared with the levels in 1990 and a continued decline in emissions thereafter] [an aim of zero net emissions by 2050] [global GHG emissions in 2050 will need to be 40 to 70 per cent lower than in 2010] [significant and rapid global greenhouse gas emission reductions of at least 70–95 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050]; [(v) reaches] [zero emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases in the period 2060–2080]; [and (vi) results in] [negative emissions by 2100 [for developed countries]] [reach levels near zero Gt CO<sub>2</sub> eq or below in 2100] [reaching near-zero emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the century]

19.

**Option 1:** In accordance with Article 4 of the Convention, all Parties to progressively enhance the level of ambition of their mitigation commitments / contributions / actions such that [the aggregate commitments achieve the long-term global goal referred to in paragraph 17 above] each commitment / contribution / action is of a type, scope, scale and coverage more / no less ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement or the Convention or its Kyoto Protocol; [national commitments shall be inscribed as an integral part of the 2015 agreement]

**Option 2:** [Developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X] to progressively enhance the level of ambition of their mitigation commitments / contributions such that each commitment / contribution is of a type, scope, scale and coverage more / no less ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement or the Convention or its Kyoto Protocol;

**Option 3:** All Parties [should seek] to progressively enhance the level of ambition of their mitigation commitments / contributions [towards achieving the ultimate objective of the Convention][such that the scale and coverage is more / no less ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement or the Convention or its Kyoto Protocol][ and strengthen and review commitments line with the process outlined in section J];

**Option 5:** All Parties, in accordance with their common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities and in light of their national circumstances, shall progressively enhance the level of ambition of their mitigation commitments such that the net level of greenhouse gas emissions released into the atmosphere, stemming from policies, measures and actions implemented and the sectors and greenhouse gases accounted for in a commitment are more ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement, the

**Merged Para. 19 Options 1, 2, 3, and 5, and Para. 7 Options 1 and 2 on First Reading**

In accordance with Article 4 of the Convention, [in accordance with their common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities and in light of their national circumstances,] [and their specific national and regional development priorities, objectives and circumstances, with developed countries taking the lead,] [all Parties][Developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X] [shall] [should seek] [to progressively enhance the level of ambition of their mitigation commitments / contributions / actions] [take action at the highest level of ambition / mitigation ambition, reflecting its national circumstances, and to progressively increase that level of ambition] [towards achieving the ultimate objective of the Convention] [such that [the aggregate commitments achieve the long-term global goal referred to in paragraph 17 above] each commitment / contribution / action is of a type, scope, scale and coverage more / no less ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement or the Convention or its Kyoto Protocol] [such that the net level of greenhouse gas emissions released into the atmosphere, stemming from policies, measures and actions implemented and the sectors and greenhouse gases accounted for in a commitment are more ambitious than those previously undertaken under this agreement, the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol] [ and strengthen and review commitments line with the process outlined in section J]; [national commitments shall be inscribed as an integral part of the 2015 agreement]

<p>Convention and its Kyoto Protocol;</p> <p>7. [<b>Option 1</b>]: Each Party to take action at the highest level of ambition / mitigation ambition, reflecting its national circumstances, and to progressively increase that level of ambition;</p> <p><b>Option 2</b>: All Parties to take action at the highest level of ambition and to progressively increase that level of ambition, taking into account their common but differentiated responsibilities and their specific national and regional development priorities, objectives and circumstances, with developed countries taking the lead;</p>	
<p>21. [<b>Option 1 (chapeau)</b>]: In accordance with the principles of the Convention and its Article 4, each Party to prepare, communicate and implement successive nationally determined mitigation commitments / contributions / actions, which are to:</p> <p><b>Option 2 (chapeau)</b>: Each Party to communicate and implement successive mitigation commitments / contributions, which are to:</p> <p><b>Option 4 (chapeau)</b>: Each Party shall prepare and communicate successive proposed mitigation commitments that shall be implemented and reviewed in accordance with section J, and shall:</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Merged Para. 21 chapeau, Options 1, 2, and 4</b></p> <p>[In accordance with the principles of the Convention and its Article 4,] each Party to prepare, communicate and implement successive [nationally determined] [proposed] mitigation commitments / contributions [/ actions] [that shall be implemented and reviewed in accordance with section J], [which are to] [and shall]:</p>
<p>21.1. <b>Option 1</b>: Be quantified or quantifiable, be able to be aggregated, and be transparent, comparable and/or verifiable;</p> <p><b>Option 2</b>: Be quantified or quantifiable and consider a fair and equitable distribution of the global emission budget in accordance with a compound index of countries' participation in such a budget, and be transparent, comparable and/or verifiable;</p> <p><b>Option 4</b>: Be quantified or quantifiable, recognizing that the least developed countries and small island developing States may communicate strategies, plans or actions for low GHG development</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Merged Para. 21.1, Options 1, 2, and 4</b></p> <p>Be quantified or quantifiable, [and consider a fair and equitable distribution of the global emission budget in accordance with a compound index of countries' participation in such a budget,] [recognizing that the least developed countries and small island developing States may communicate strategies, plans or actions for low GHG development,] [be able to be aggregated,] [and be transparent, comparable and/or verifiable];</p>

21.5. ***Option 1***: Be based on national circumstances and capacities;

***Option 2***: Be based on the following:

- a. Common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, equity and national circumstances and capacities;
- b. Parties to include one of the following options, in accordance with their common but differentiated responsibilities, national circumstances, development levels and capabilities, while recognizing that the emissions of [developing countries][Parties not included in annex X] will grow to meet their social and development needs: a quantified, economy-wide, absolute emission limitation or reduction target in relation to a baseline year; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation or reduction target relative to a projection of its emissions; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation or reduction target relative to a unit of GDP in relation to a previous year; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation and reduction target per capita; non-economy-wide actions:
  - i. [[Developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X] to take the lead in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 1, and Article 4, paragraph 2, of the Convention through quantified economy-wide, absolute emission reduction targets / commitments;
  - ii. [Developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X], which have been provided with means of implementation, to prepare, communicate and implement a diversity of enhanced net mitigation commitments / contributions / actions in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 1, of the Convention and in the context of sustainable development, ranging from economy-wide absolute limits on [net] emissions, relative emission

**Merged Para. 21.5, Opt.1 and Opt.2 and delete Opt.1 due to overlap with Opt.2, subpara(a).**

**In Opt.2, subpara.(b), merged Subpara.ii, iii and v; and merged subpara.v, vi and vii.**

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- a. Common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, equity and national circumstances and capacities;
- b. Parties to include one of the following options, in accordance with their common but differentiated responsibilities, national circumstances, development levels and capabilities, while recognizing that the emissions of [developing countries][Parties not included in annex X] will grow to meet their social and development needs: a quantified, economy-wide, absolute emission limitation or reduction target in relation to a baseline year; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation or reduction target relative to a projection of its emissions; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation or reduction target relative to a unit of GDP in relation to a previous year; a quantified, economy-wide emission limitation and reduction target per capita; non-economy-wide actions:
  - i. [[Developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X] to take the lead in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 1, and Article 4, paragraph 2, of the Convention through quantified economy-wide, absolute emission reduction targets / commitments;
  - ii. [Developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex

<p>reductions, intensity targets, nationally appropriate mitigation actions, low-emission development plans and strategies and sectoral mitigation plans and strategies / taking into consideration paragraph X above;</p> <p>iii. [Developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X] to take a diversity of nationally determined actions in accordance with their specific needs and special circumstances as stated in Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Convention, including net avoided emissions, or also manifested as adaptation co-benefits, where appropriate;</p> <p>iv. [Developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X] to prepare their actions in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 1, of the Convention and their circumstances and capacities, through nationally appropriate mitigation actions, subject to the provision of means of implementation and in accordance with Article 4, paragraph 7, of the Convention;</p> <p>v. Major economies to take on quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets / commitments;</p> <p>vi. [Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (non-Annex I Parties)][Parties not included in annex X] that are in a position to do so to take on quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets / commitments;</p> <p>vii. All Parties to take on quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets / commitments at some point in the future in accordance with their [common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, historical responsibilities,][national circumstances], development levels and capabilities;</p> <p>viii. The LDCs to implement non-economy wide actions and are encouraged to develop and implement low-emission development strategies;</p>	<p>X], [which have been provided with] [subject to the provision of] means of implementation, to [take] [prepare, communicate and implement] a diversity of [nationally determined actions] [enhanced net mitigation commitments / contributions / actions] [nationally appropriate mitigation actions] in accordance with [Article 3, paragraph 1, of the Convention and in the context of sustainable development] [their specific needs and special circumstances as stated in Article 3, paragraph 2, of the Convention] [Article 4, paragraph 7, of the Convention], [ranging from economy-wide absolute limits on [net] emissions, relative emission reductions, intensity targets, nationally appropriate mitigation actions, low-emission development plans and strategies and sectoral mitigation plans and strategies / taking into consideration paragraph X above] [,including net avoided emissions, or also manifested as adaptation co-benefits, where appropriate];</p> <p>iii. [All Parties] [Major economies] [[Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (non-Annex I Parties)][Parties not included in annex X] that are in a position to do so] to take on quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets / commitments [at some point in the future in accordance with their [common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, historical responsibilities,][national circumstances], development levels and capabilities];</p> <p>iv. The LDCs to implement non-economy wide actions and are encouraged to develop and implement low-emission development strategies;</p> <p>v. For all Parties on [the][a] basis of categories [that are] updated over time [on the basis of][taking account of] evolving emissions and economic trends.]</p>
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<p>ix. For all Parties on [the][a] basis of categories [that are updated over time [on the basis of][taking account of] evolving emissions and economic trends.]</p> <p>x. All Parties shall enhance their mitigation commitments under Article 4, paragraph 1, of the Convention. Parties shall formulate, implement, regularly update, communicate and submit for assessment national commitments to reduce GHG emissions. Parties with additional commitments under Article 4, paragraph 2, of the Convention shall adopt commitments of a type, scope, scale and coverage at least as stringent as in the previous implementation period.</p>	<p>vi. All Parties shall enhance their mitigation commitments under Article 4, paragraph 1, of the Convention. Parties shall formulate, implement, regularly update, communicate and submit for assessment national commitments to reduce GHG emissions. Parties with additional commitments under Article 4, paragraph 2, of the Convention shall adopt commitments of a type, scope, scale and coverage at least as stringent as in the previous implementation period.</p>
<p>21.6. <b><u>Option 1</u></b>: Mitigation commitments / contributions / actions of all Parties to be communicated and implemented without conditions;</p> <p><b><u>Option 2</u></b>: Mitigation commitments / contributions / actions of [developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X ] to be communicated and implemented without conditions;</p> <p><b><u>Option 6</u></b>: Mitigation commitments by all Parties shall be communicated and implemented without conditions; developing country Parties may specify additional levels of mitigation conditioned on enhanced support available;</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Merged Para. 21.6, Options 1, 2, and 6</b></p> <p>Mitigation commitments / contributions / actions [of] [by] [all Parties] [developed country Parties][Parties included in annex X ] [shall] [to] be communicated and implemented without conditions; [developing country Parties may specify additional levels of mitigation conditioned on enhanced support available;]</p>
<p>33. <b><u>Option 1</u></b>: The secretariat to keep and update accordingly an online registry of national mitigation targets, and actions; registry to be integral part of the agreement;</p> <p><b><u>Option 3</u></b>: The secretariat shall keep and update accordingly an online registry of the national mitigation commitments without prejudice to the instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession being deposited with the Depositary in accordance with the provisions of this agreement; this registry is an integral part of the agreement;</p> <p><b><u>Option 4</u></b>: The secretariat to keep and update accordingly separate online registries of national mitigation targets of developed country</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Merged Para. 33, Options 1, 3, and 4</b></p> <p>The secretariat [to] [shall] keep and update accordingly [an] [separate] online [registry] [registries] of national mitigation [[targets, and actions] [commitments without prejudice to the instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession being deposited with the Depositary in accordance with the provisions of this agreement]] [of developed country Parties and nationally appropriate mitigation actions of developing country Parties]; registry [to be] [is an] integral part of the agreement;</p>

Parties and nationally appropriate mitigation actions of developing country Parties;]	
Paragraphs 21.2, 149, and 174	There are overlaps in terms of text and concepts in paras. 21.2, 149, and 174