

DRAFT TEXT on

ADP 2-7 agenda item 3 Implementation of all the elements of decision 1/CP.17

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13. *Invites* Parties, pursuant to decision 1/CP.19, paragraph 2(b), and in accordance with article 4.7 of the Convention to communicate to the secretariat their intended nationally determined contributions by providing information, consistent with the support provided, on the type of contribution, time frames and periods, scope and coverage, expected outcomes and, if relevant, any references, methodologies and accounting approaches used, taking into consideration equity and appropriateness of their intended nationally determined contributions towards achieving the objective of the Convention, in relation to the relevant provisions of the Convention and, as appropriate and if relevant, the voluntary complementary information identified in the annex, in accordance with their national circumstances;

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14. *Notes* that the arrangements specified in this decision in relation to intended nationally determined contributions are an elaboration of Decision 1/CP.19 paragraph 2(b-d) and are in not way intended to impart more reporting burden to developing countries, ~~without prejudice to the legal nature of the contributions of Parties or to the content of to the protocol, another legal instrument or agreed outcome with legal force referred to in paragraph 2 above; (or since its statement of the fact -delete)~~

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15. *Also notes* that having to provide information when putting forward intended nationally determined contributions may will facilitate domestic preparations, as well as the clarity, transparency and understanding of those contributions, without prejudice to the legal nature of the contributions of Parties and to the protocol, another legal instrument or agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties, to be adopted by the twenty-first session of the Conference of the Parties; (Could be deleted)

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16. *Further notes* that the information communicated by Parties on their intended nationally determined contributions should be consistent with the provisions of the convention in terms of national communications and should enhance the understanding of whether:

(a) ~~The~~ aggregate effect of the efforts of all Parties brings global emissions on a pathway consistent with achieving the objective of the Convention, set out in its Article 2, and in light of the goal of holding the increase in global average temperature below ~~2 °C or~~ 1.5 °C above pre-industrial levels, consistent with the scientific findings assessed in the Fifth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change; and

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(b) The efforts of each Party constitutes an equitable and appropriate contribution by them towards the objective of the Convention, in accordance with the principles and provisions of the Convention, including the principles of equity of common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities;

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~~17. Decides, in order to enhance understanding among Parties of the intended nationally determined contributions, to provide opportunities for seeking and providing clarification to Parties and admitted observer organizations via electronic means, noting that future arrangements will be determined by the provisions of the protocol, another legal instrument or agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties, to be adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-first session, and any decisions that will give effect to these provisions;~~

~~18. Encourages all each Party particularly developed country Parties to provide, through the electronic means referred to in paragraph 17 above, written responses through the secretariat to questions for~~

~~clarification within one month of the questions being made available whilst providing flexibility to developing country Parties;~~

~~18bis. Encourages developed country Parties, the operating entities of the financial mechanism and any other organizations in a position to do so to provide support for the activities referred to in paragraphs 17 and 18 above;~~

19. *Requests* the secretariat to:

~~(a) Separately publish. Publish as a miscellaneous document the intended nationally determined contributions as communicated by developed and developing Parties and a compilation of the information provided by Parties referred to in paragraph 13 above, and make it available on the UNFCCC website;~~

~~(b) Create the electronic means referred to in paragraph 17 above and publish the questions and responses referred to in paragraph 18 above on the UNFCCC website;~~

20. *Also requests* the secretariat to organize workshops in conjunction with the session of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action to be held in June 2015 and its subsequent session with the objectives of:

~~(a) Enhancing the clarity, transparency and understanding of the aggregate effect of communicated intended nationally determined contributions, including their individual and aggregate contribution towards the objective of the Convention in accordance with the principles and provisions of the Convention, including the principles of equity of common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities;~~

~~(b) Facilitating efforts by Parties that have not communicated their intended nationally determined contributions up to that point;~~

~~(c) Facilitating efforts by developed country Parties, the operating entities of the financial mechanism and any other organizations in a position to do so to provide support;~~

21. *Urges* developed country Parties and other Parties in a position to do so, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism of the Convention and any other organizations in a position to do so to continue to provide support to developing country Parties for the preparation, clarification and implementation of their intended nationally determined contributions;

22. *Requests* developed country Parties and other Parties in a position to do so, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism of the Convention and any other organizations in a position to do so to submit to the secretariat no later than 31 January 2015, information on the support provided to developing country Parties for the preparation of their intended nationally determined contributions, and on lessons learned from this collaboration, and requests the secretariat to make this information available on the UNFCCC website;