

Table collating the outputs of the breakout groups at the APA round table on item 4

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Prepared on request by Parties at the APA round table on item 4, held on 4 November 2017 from 9:30 am to 17:30 pm at the World Conference Center Bonn, this table collates the outputs of the breakout groups at the round table. It contains the outputs as they were captured on flip charts by each group, and, where available, submitted electronically by participants. In the case of differences between flip chart and electronic outputs, the electronic inputs were included. The outputs are presented in the sequence they were reported in. Minor modifications were required to transfer the flip charts into digital form. This table has no formal status.

Group 4	Group 5	Group 8	Group 10	Group 9	Group 2
0. Preamble 1. Guiding Principles (reference to relevant articles in the Convention and Paris Agreement) 2. Purpose - Adaptation communication - Enhance the profile of adaptation/parity with mitigation - Recognition of adaptation efforts - Inform on progress towards the GGA - Communicate adaptation needs, priorities, plans and actions - Enhance /enable/catalyze support to meet the adaptation needs 3. Elements 4. Vehicles 5. Linkages Parking lot: - Provision on frequency of updates on guidance - Support for development and implementation	1. Preamble Guiding principles* 2. Purpose - To advance towards GGA - To enhance/catalyze action and support for Adaptation - To communicate priorities, needs, plans and actions (7.10) - Raise profile of adaptation - Recognition of adaptation efforts* - Sharing lessons learned, info, good practices* - To inform other processes under the UNFCCC *no consensus 3. Elements 4. Vehicles** 5. Interlinkages** (ETF, GST, registry, support) 6. Support*** 7. Other matters****	Structure: 0. Preamble - Reference to 7.11 - Reference to 7.14 and 13.8 - Principles 1. Purpose - Communicating adaptation actions, plans and priorities - Enhancing support for actions, plans and priorities - Contributing to progress on GGA 2. Elements - National circumstances - M&E - Resilience-building activities/actions - Adaptation plans/strategies and priorities - Implementation and support needs as appropriate 3. Support and MOI of the process - Preparation - Submission	Preamble - Flexibility in vehicles - Reference to relevant provisions of the Paris Agreement Purpose - Catalyze and enhance action and support - Identify the needs of means of implementation for developing countries - Identify adaptation needs - Communicate plan and action - Contribute towards GGA - Sharing experience/ recognition of efforts - Adaptation need linked to mitigation action - Raise the profile of adaptation Elements <u>Common elements</u> - National circumstances - Best practice, experience and lesson learned - Impact, vulnerability and risks - Priorities, plans, actions - Adaptation support needs for developing countries	Preamble (D) Principles Purpose (D ACom) - Communicate adaptation actions, needs* and plans. (Art. 7.10) - Enhance support* for adaptation actions and plans. - Contribute and inform progress towards GGA - Recognize adaptation efforts* - Enhance implementation of adaptation action* * ½ Guidance, ½ Adaptation communications Elements Vehicles (D) Linkages Timing (D) Support (D) Registry* (D) Flexibility** (D)	Preamble and introductory remarks Guiding principles* Purpose The purpose should take into consideration several dimensions, such as: 1) contributing to the GGA, which is linked to the PA objective stated in art. 2, 2) communicating plans, priorities, actions and needs, 3) raising the profile of adaptation to reach parity with mitigation – inter alia through sharing experiences and lessons learned, 4) enhancing adaptation support, 5) recognising adaptation efforts (this last dimension was not shared by all members) Elements (common and additional/opt-in/opt-out) Vehicles Discussion about the development of the guidance considering the possibility to choose

<p>- Para of CMA, decision adopting guidance</p>	<p>*could be part of the preamble or separate **could be a heading or included in the preamble *** could be a heading or part of other headings, different views. **** depends on the needs and info. of other headings.</p>		<p>- Adaptation needs (both developed and developing countries) - No Agreement as to whether M&E should be part of the common element or should be optional.</p> <p>Linkages - Global stocktake - Transparency - Link between and amongst different vehicles - Timing [Time frame] - AC and LEG mandate</p> <p>Vehicles - Recognizing the existing flexibility for Parties - Specifying the vehicle</p> <p>Support for Developing Countries - Meeting adaptation needs of developing countries - Support for developing countries in preparing their communication</p> <p>Other matters - Review process for the guidance - Gender - Indigenous knowledge</p>	<p>*Could be merged with linkages. ** Could be merged with preamble or principles.</p> <p>(D) = where (not mutually exclusive)</p>	<p>different vehicles to present the Adaptation Communication. Some believe that general guidance should be developed, together with supplementary guidance that would add to the existing where appropriate. Others expressed their preference for developing specific guidance for each vehicle. In all cases, it was considered that the Adaptation Communication should be clearly identified from beginning to end regardless of the chosen vehicle.</p> <p>Linkages* - Preamble? Purpose?</p> <p>Support for developing countries**</p> <p>Other matters Other matters that were not discussed in depth but it was recognized that some guidance on those should be reflected are the following: i) frequency of the presentation of the Adaptation Communication, considering the flexibility of the vehicle and ii) frequency of the revision of the guidance.</p>
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