United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

7th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda 10 (b)

Workshop on the means to incentivize the implementation of adaptation actions

Overview of the workshop Bonn, Germany, 24 to 27 February 2015



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Mandate

AC to convene a workshop, in the first quarter of 2015, with the relevant bilateral, regional and multilateral institutions facilitating the means of implementation (finance, technology and capacity-building), as well as with development agencies at the country level, to discuss how to further promote the implementation of enhanced action in a coherent manner under the Convention.



I: Background and context (continued)

Focus

- Following a scoping paper prepared for AC 6, the AC agreed to focus the workshop on "Understanding adaptation finance: how has adaptation finance resulted or not resulted in effective and concrete action?" and to take into account the following aspects when organizing the workshop:
 - > national-level institutional arrangements and mobilization of finance in developing countries;
 - the role of the private sector;
 - > the NAP process;
 - > the importance of integrating adaptation into development;
 - ➢ issues related to access to finance.



II: Summary (continued)

- As mandated, a synthesis paper has been prepared to serve as background information for the workshop (AC/2015/9) as introduced yesterday;
- Workshop will take place in Wissenschaftszentrum Bonn;
- ✤ Ca. 60 expected participants;
- Structure includes plenary discussions as well as rather extensive work in parallel working groups on the aspects agreed by the AC;
- Output: report;
- Outcomes will feed into an input document to be prepared by the AC, in collaboration with the TEC, the SCF and the LEG, with information and further actions, for consideration by the COP when providing guidance on Mol for adaptation (establishment of joint task force?);
- Outcomes will also be presented during an in-session side event at COP 21 to present recent work of the AC on Mol.



The AC may wish to:

- > Take note of the overview of the workshop;
- Consider how to proceed with its work on MoI for adaptation after the workshop taking into account its outcomes and the further activities mandated for 2015.

