
**Third meeting of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism
for Loss and Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts**

Agenda item 4(d)

Action Area 4: Non-economic losses

Activity 4(b): Establish an expert group to develop inputs and recommendations to enhance data on and knowledge of reducing the risk of and addressing non-economic losses, including how to factor these into the planning and elaboration of measures to address loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change

Process from Excom 2 to date

*During
Excom 2*

- A working group developed draft ToRs
- The Excom agreed to advance the work intersessionally:
 - Group of champions revised the draft ToRs based on written comments received by 5 Feb (deadline agreed at Excom 2).

22 March

- Revised draft ToRs and a proposal for selecting non-Excom experts were shared with the Excom for comments by 1 April
- Group of champions also invited expression of interest to serve in the expert group (four expert slots within the Excom, according to the current ToRs)

Group of champions: Ama, Dawn, Monika, Orville, Shereen, Takeya

Next steps

The Excom may wish:

- To finalize and endorse the ToR;
- To assign four members, as referred to in the ToR, to be part of the expert group under activity (b);
 - These four members to recommend constituency groups and organizations from which representative(s) will be drawn, for approval by the co-chairs.
 - Timeline

UNFCCC constituency groups:

- Environmental non-governmental organizations (ENGO)
- Research and independent non-governmental organizations (RINGO)
- Business and industry non-governmental organizations (BINGO)
- Farmers
- Indigenous peoples organizations(IPO)
- Local government and municipal authorities (LGMA)
- Trade Unions non-governmental organizations (TUNGO)
- Youth non-governmental organizations (YOUNGO)
- Women and Gender

UNFCCC admitted intergovernmental organizations (IGOs)

Nationally- or regionally-based research institutions and universities