

Action Area 5: Resilience, recovery and rehabilitation

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Action area 5

Enhance the understanding of the capacity and coordination needs with regard to preparing for, responding to and building resilience against loss and damage associated with extreme and slow onset events, including through recovery and rehabilitation

Activity (a)

Invite relevant national disaster risk management and international humanitarian organizations and their partners, taking into account extreme and slow onset events and with a view toward comprehensive climate risk management:

- i. To develop and conduct country-specific analyses of climate risk and associated loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change in different sectors;
- ii. To identify institutional requirements to prevent, minimize or otherwise manage loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change

Activity (b)

Invite relevant organizations at all levels to collaborate with the Executive Committee to assess, including through the use of existing relevant data and knowledge, the capacity of humanitarian and disaster risk management systems for:

- i. Emergency preparedness and response;
- ii. Taking anticipatory action to reduce risks;
- iii. Explicitly increasing resilience during post climate-related disaster recovery, rebuilding and rehabilitation

Activity (c)

Invite relevant institutions to collaborate with the Executive Committee to prepare a paper for activity 5(d) below, based on activities 5(a) and (b) above, including on methods for scenario analysis and stress testing, which can illustrate the potential challenges and requirements for preparedness and response, as well as resilience building

Activity (d)

Consult with experts to review the paper mentioned in activity 5(c) above, consolidate experiences and lessons learned, and identify priority areas for increasing capacity and investment

Tasks for the working group in the order of priority

- 1) Finalize the four documents arising from the intersessional work (two sets of letters, two sets of questionnaire, list of recipients) for the endorsement by the Excom
- 2) Consideration of the co-chairs' proposal (e.g. timeframe, invitees, etc.)

Co-chairs' proposal as presented at the plenary:

- To organize a technical meeting with the interested respondents to the questionnaires (of activities (a) and (b) of this Action Area), with the aim of developing an annotated outline of the paper, and agreeing on the process and timeframe for developing the final paper, including the consultation with experts to review the paper as referred to in activity (d).
- Excom members may suggest additional relevant participants to be invited