

# Pre-sessional round table on APA agenda item 3: Further guidance in relation to the mitigation section of decision 1/CP.21<sup>1</sup>

## Draft agenda

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Room, Santiago de Chile, WCCB in Bonn, Germany

*Note:*

- *Participants must be officially registered for the SB session (online registration) and carry a valid conference badge to access the round table venue*
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- *Participation at the round table is for Parties and observer states only.*

1. Opening (9:00-9:15)
2. Further guidance on features (9:15-11:30)
  - Ice-breaker presentation by 2 Parties
  - Discussion
  - Resumed discussion
  - Coffee break (11:15-11:30)
3. Further guidance on information (11:30-14:45)
  - Ice-breaker presentation by 2 Parties
  - Discussion
  - Lunch break (12:30-13:30)
  - Resumed discussion
  - Coffee break (14:30-14:45)
4. Guidance on accounting (14:45-16:45)
  - Ice-breaker presentation by 2 Parties
  - Discussion
  - Resumed discussion
5. Closing (16:45-17:15)

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<sup>1</sup> Information relating to APA agenda item 3 is available here: <http://unfccc.int/bodies/apa/items/10128.php>

Notification to Parties on roundtable, available here:

[http://unfccc.int/files/bodies/apa/application/pdf/notification\\_-\\_apa\\_preessional\\_round\\_table\\_on\\_agenda\\_item\\_3.pdf](http://unfccc.int/files/bodies/apa/application/pdf/notification_-_apa_preessional_round_table_on_agenda_item_3.pdf)

## Annex

### Questions that Parties may consider for further work under APA agenda item 3

#### Further guidance in relation to the mitigation section of decision 1/CP.21.<sup>2</sup>

##### **3(a) – Features of nationally determined contributions, as specified in paragraph 26**

1. What is the understanding of features of NDCs under this agenda item?
2. What should be the purpose of further guidance on features under this agenda item?
3. What is the relationship, if any, between further guidance on features of NDCs under this sub-item, and further guidance on sub-items 3(b) and 3(c)?
4. How could this work be usefully structured and progressed?

##### **3(b) – Information to facilitate clarity, transparency and understanding of nationally determined contributions, as specified in paragraph 28**

1. What is the understanding of information to facilitate the clarity transparency and understanding of NDCs under this agenda item?
2. What should be the purpose of further guidance on information to facilitate the clarity transparency and understanding of NDCs under this agenda item?
3. What is the relationship, if any, between further guidance on information to facilitate the clarity, transparency and understanding of NDCs under this sub-item, and further guidance on sub-items 3(a) and 3(b)?
4. How could this work be usefully structured and progressed?
5. What issues should be discussed and resolved under this sub-item?

##### **3(c) – Accounting for Parties' nationally determined contributions, as specified in paragraph 31**

1. What is the understanding of accounting for Parties NDCs under this agenda item?
2. What should be the purpose of the guidance on accounting for NDCs under this agenda item?
3. What is the relationship, if any, between guidance for accounting for NDCs under this sub-item, and further guidance on sub-items 3(a) and 3(b)?
4. How can Parties draw from existing approaches under the Convention and its related legal instruments?
5. How could the work under this sub-item be usefully structured and progressed?
6. What issues should be discussed and resolved under this sub-item?

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<sup>2</sup> Informal note by the co-facilitators, available here:  
[http://unfccc.int/files/na/application/pdf/informal\\_note\\_item3.pdf](http://unfccc.int/files/na/application/pdf/informal_note_item3.pdf)