

Section C. Objectives/General – Compilation of inputs from Parties
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Input by AILAC

- Table reflects only partially the interest of AILAC group, there a key elements missing that would benefit from a better placement
- We are encouraged by including further references in the objective of a long term approaches involving climate resilient development and the achievement of the next zero greenhouse gas emissions,as important framework benchmarks for the work of parties under the agreement.
- AILAC foresees a concise and comprehensive general objective for the agreement that provides forenoon overarching view of all dimensions of climate change related action on mitigation,adaptation and means of implementation.
- However, for a concise and comprehensive general objective to be complete,its essential that includes as well, a human rights and gender equality perspective, as well as a reference to intergenerational equity.

Input by the Arab Group

Under the “Narrative version”

Elements of a negotiating text for Agreement

Objective:

Principles

- ...
- Special circumstances of the particularly ~~most~~-vulnerable.
- Cost effectiveness and comprehensiveness.

Elements of a negotiating text for COP decision/preamble

- Gender Responsive Agreement, ~~human rights~~, integrity of Mother Earth.

Textual version – option 1 with operative provision

Elements of a negotiating text for Agreement

Objective:

Principles:

1. ...
2. ...
3. Policies and measures to deal with climate change should be:
 - a. Cost-effective so as to ensure global benefits at the lowest possible cost.
 - b. Comprehensive, cover all relevant sources, sinks and reservoirs of greenhouse gases and adaptation, and comprise all economic sectors.

Elements of a negotiating text for COP decision/Preamble

[Agrees that the implementation of the Agreement shall be guided by respect for:

- a. ~~The protection, promotion and fulfilment of human rights for all~~

- b. Gender responsiveness ~~equality~~ and the full and equal participation of women in all climate actions and decision-making processes
- c. ...

Input by the Environmental Integrity Group

We favour option 1.

“The EIG wants to ensure the successful inclusion of human rights and gender equality in Section C, as we have stated in previous sessions.

In our view, it is crucial to integrate the human rights framework and gender equality not only as overarching principles in the agreement, but also to stress their importance for the implementation.

Therefore, we emphasize that it is a high priority for us to keep human rights and gender equality in Section C (General/Objective).

Only an explicit reference in the operative part of the Agreement will reflect that the commitment of all Parties to the two agendas is indeed of an operational nature.”

Input by the Philippines

"All Parties shall, in all climate change related actions, respect, protect, promote and fulfil **human rights for all**, including the rights of **indigenous peoples**; ensuring **gender equality** and the full and equal participation of women; ensuring intergenerational equity; ensuring a just transition of the workforce that creates decent work and quality jobs; ensuring food security; and ensuring the integrity and **resilience of natural ecosystems**."

Input by Norway

The purpose of this agreement is to achieve the objective of the Convention consistent with limiting increase in global average temperature [below 2 degrees] [as far as possible below 2 degrees] above preindustrial levels through climate resilient pathways that reduce climate change and its impacts."

Input by the African Group

Objective

The objective of this agreement is to further enhance the full, effective and sustained implementation of the Convention by enhancing their commitment under the Convention and enhancing their contribution, in order to achieve its objective as set out in its Article 2, in accordance with the principle of equity and common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capability, taking into account financial resources available and provided to meet the costs incurred by Parties in complying with their obligations.