

## Cook Islands Intervention

Thank you very much co-chair,

The CKI must see L&d as a separate element in the 2015 agreement. We are disappointed that it is no longer in the current draft decision text, but we do believe that there is scope to address loss and damage on the road to the Paris agreement based on its inclusion in the elements text annexed to the draft decision. Despite our disappointment, at the absence of loss and damage in the decision text, we see a great need to move forward with our work; therefore, the CKI is willing to endorse the draft decision text as is.

Thank you