

## New Zealand Intervention

We may be taking time this morning, and doing so Thanks for work that resulted in text released in early hours of morning.

For Lima, have relatively modest, achievable tasks to complete (guidance for INDCs and advancing elements). At same time, important foundation work for Paris, and to guide the preparation of our INDCs.

Like others, much about this text with which we are very uncomfortable (dead rats). Much we wanted that isn;t reflected here.

The discussions over the last year have made it clear positions are far apart on some key sensitive issues - and those divergences remain. What is clear is that we all have concerns about the same things - even though our concerns are different.

Through this process, and the various text iterations that have been tabled, it's clear to my delegation that no sides have been ignored. Instead, the text has sought to steer round red-lines and avoid prejudicing the structure and design of the 2015 agreement.

Of course, we have textual suggestions to deal with the many aspects of the text we're not happy about. But I will not be making them. What for us would be desirable - even essential - we recognise would be rejected by others. And we would respectfully point out that the same is true in reverse.

The place to address this is in our negotiations over the coming months, starting as soon as we meet in Geneva. This text does not prejudge or prejudice the main lines of division we are hearing expressed today. No one is operating in this negotiation from the position that differentiation doesn't exist. The difference between us is how it will be given effect in an agreement to apply from 2020.

If it is not possible for us all to accept this text as representing a careful compromise, we'd share the concern that the real risk is a 'less rather than more' draft being presented for adoption. If it's re-opened, we'd be asking for the things we need but don't see there. Fully share US comments on risks at stake here today - for Lima, Paris and for the UNFCCC. NZ is ready to endorse this text in spirit of compromise and bringing this COP to a successful conclusion - one we can be proud of as representing a real advance beyond Warsaw.