Original Geneva Text	LMDC Proposals on Merging Paragraphs in Section C (Without Prejudice to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading Substantive Positions)
5. [Option 1: All Parties [shall][to] take action and cooperate [to further implement the Convention in order to reach its ultimate objective as stated in its Article 2 on the basis of equity and in accordance with their historical responsibilities and common but differentiated responsibilities / evolving common but differentiated responsibilities and respective	the Convention in order to reach its ultimate objective as stated in its Article 2 on the basis of equity and in accordance with their [historical
capabilities by achieving an emission pathway consistent with limiting the global average temperature increase to below 2 °C or 1.5 °C above pre-industrial levels, which entails: <i>Option 3</i> :	responsibilities and] common but differentiated responsibilities / evolving common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities[,] by achieving an emission pathway consistent with limiting the global average temperature increase to below 2 °C or 1.5 °C above pre-industrial levels [and with achieving climate resilience][,
All Parties to take action and cooperate to further implement the Convention in order to reach its ultimate objective as stated in its Article 2, on the basis of equity and in accordance with their common but differentiated responsibilities / evolving common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, by achieving an emission pathway consistent with limiting the global average temperature increase to below 2 °C or 1.5 °C above pre-industrial levels and with achieving climate resilience.	which entails:]
<ul> <li>5.1. Option (a): Ensuring significant global greenhouse gas emission reductions over the next few decades or a 40–70 per cent reduction in global greenhouse gas emissions below 2010 levels by 2050 and near-zero emissions of carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the century;</li> <li>Option (b): Ensuring that global greenhouse gas emissions peak by 2020 at the latest, are reduced by at least 50 per cent by 2050 and continue to decline thereafter [reaching near-zero emissions of CO<sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Merged Para. 5.1, Options (a) to (d)</li> <li>5.1. Ensuring [significant] [and rapid] global greenhouse gas [emission reductions over the next few decades [in order to achieve the global goal of substantially reducing global emissions by 2050 / consistent with the agreed global goal of substantially reducing global emissions by 2050 / consistent with the agreed global goal and on the basis of the best available scientific knowledge and equitable access to sustainable development] [or</li> </ul>

	century, consistent with the findings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change]; <b>Option</b> (c): Ensuring significant global greenhouse gas emission reductions over the next few decades in order to achieve the global goal of substantially reducing global emissions by 2050 / consistent with the agreed global goal of substantially reducing global emissions by 2050 / consistent with the agreed global scientific knowledge and equitable access to sustainable development; <b>Option</b> (d): Ensuring significant and rapid global greenhouse gas emission reductions of at least 70–95 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050 and negative emissions of $CO_2$ and other long-lived greenhouse gases before 2080;]	a 40–70 per cent reduction in global greenhouse gas emissions below 2010 levels by 2050 and near-zero emissions of carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the century] [emissions peak by 2020 at the latest, are reduced by at least 50 per cent by 2050 and continue to decline thereafter [reaching near-zero emissions of CO <sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases by the end of the century, consistent with the findings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change]] [of at least 70–95 per cent below 2010 levels by 2050 and negative emissions of CO <sub>2</sub> and other long-lived greenhouse gases before 2080];
		Para. 5, Option 1 para. 5.2 and 5.3 to replace Option 2, para. 5.2 and 5.3 because duplicative
9	. [Option 1: Commitments / contributions of Parties particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change, especially the least developed countries (LDCs) and small island developing States (SIDS), to reflect their efforts in the context of their specific needs and special situations; Option 2: Commitments / contributions / actions of [developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X], especially those referred to in Article 4, paragraphs 8–10, of the Convention, including the least developed countries (LDCs) and small island developing States (SIDS), to reflect their efforts in the context of sustainable development and their specific needs and special circumstances, bearing in mind that the extent to which [developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X] will effectively implement their commitments under the Convention will depend on the effective implementation by [developed country Parties][Parties included in	<ul> <li>Merged Para. 9, Options 1 and 2</li> <li>9. [Commitments / contributions of [Parties] [developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X] [particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change, especially] [especially those referred to in Article 4, paragraphs 8–10, of the Convention], including the least developed countries (LDCs) and small island developing States (SIDS), to reflect their efforts in the context of [sustainable development and] their specific needs and special [situations][circumstances][, bearing in mind that the extent to which [developing country Parties][Parties not included in annex X] will effectively implement their commitments under the Convention will depend on the effective implementation by [developed country Parties][Parties included in annex Y] of their commitments under the Convention related to financial resources and the transfer of</li> </ul>

annex Y] of their commitments under the Convention related to financial resources and the transfer of technology.]	technology.]];
<ul> <li>10. [Option 1: All Parties to prepare, maintain, communicate and implement commitments / contributions / mitigation commitments contributions in accordance with the provisions of this agreement which are to be considered, formalized / finalized and reviewed in accordance with section J below;</li> <li>Option 2: In accordance with the principles and provisions of the Convention, all Parties to prepare, maintain, communicate and implement commitments / contributions in accordance with the provisions of this agreement, which are to be considered, formalized finalized and reviewed in accordance with section J below;</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>10. [In accordance with the principles and provisions of the Convention,] All Parties to prepare, maintain, communicate and implement commitments / contributions [/ mitigation commitments / contributions] in accordance with the provisions of this agreement[;][,] which are to be considered, formalized / finalized and reviewed in accordance with section J below;</li> </ul>