United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

Status of negotiations on NAMAs

UNFCCC LAC regional workshop in promoting international collaboration to facilitate preparation, submission and implementation of NAMAs

10-13 December 2013, Mexico City



Background

Nationally appropriate mitigation actions (NAMAs)

Sub-paragraph 1 (b) (ii) of the Bali Action Plan

Developing country Parties will undertake nationally appropriate mitigation actions in the context of "sustainable development" enabled by finance, technology and capacity building support, in a measurable, reportable and verifiable manner



Background

- COP 15 requested developing country Parties to submit to the secretariat information on their NAMAs;
- ➤ 55 Parties have submitted their NAMAs. In addition a joint submission from African Group on NAMA in agriculture sector;
- > They have been compiled in document FCCC/SBI/2013/INF.12/Rev.2
- All the submissions on NAMAs from Parties can be found at: http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7172.php



27% of LAC countries have submitted NAMAs

	Country	
1	Antigua and Barbuda	25% reduction below 1990 level by 2020
2	Argentina	NAMAs in energy, forestry and waste sectors supported by strong regulatory framework
3	Brazil	36.1% - 38.9% reduction below BAU in 2020
4	Chile	20% reduction below BAU in 2020, as projected in 2007
5	Colombia	 Unilaterally: at least 77% of energy to be generated from renewables by 2020; With international support: Reduce deforestation in Colombian Amazon rainforest to zero by 2020; In addition various other measures to be supported through <u>carbon markets</u>



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	Country	
6	Costa Rica	Implement long-term economy wide transformational effort to enable carbon-neutrality, which will mean significant deviation from BAU emission till 2021 and beyond.
7	Dominica	Communicated low-carbon climate-resilient development strategy and expected to undertake various measures in energy, waste and land-use sectors.
8	Mexico	30% reduction in comparison to BAU by 2020
9	Peru	 Between 2010-2021: Reduce net emissions from LULUCF through conservation of 208,500 sq. miles of primary forest; Renewables form 40% of total energy mix; Waste management – capture and use methane by building 31 landfills



1. SBI Work Programme

- COP at Doha established a work programme to further the understanding of the diversity of NAMAs submitted to UNFCCC.
- An in-session workshop and technical briefings were organized in Warsaw.
- ➤ This is the continuation of the process of clarification of pledges that the COP established in Cancun.
- ➤ Under this process four in-session workshops were organized to facilitate clarification of pledges. All information related to the workshops can be found at:

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2. Registry

- ➤ Develop a registry as a web-based platform to record mitigation actions and information on support;
- Facilitate matching of finance, technology and capacity building support to mitigation actions and provide recognition to domestically supported actions;

3. Biennial update reports

- ➤ Developing country Parties to prepare biennial update reports containing:
 - Update of national GHG inventory
 - Information on mitigation actions
 - Support needs and received



3. Biennial update reports

➤ Guidelines for preparation of BUR were adopted in Durban (Annex III to decision 2/CP.17)

(http://unfccc.int/documentation/deisions/items/3597.php#beg)

➤ The Global Environmental Facility has put in place support for preparation of BURs and Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Jamaica, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru and Uruguay have initiated the process to access funds for its preparation.

4.International consultation and analysis

- ➤ Conduct international consultations and analysis of BURs under the SBI:
 - Technical analysis of the BURs by a team of technical experts:
 - Facilitative sharing of views under the SBI.
- ➤ Modalities and guidelines for conducting ICA were adopted in Durban (Annex IV to decision 2/CP.17).



Implementation of decisions

- Open invitation to Parties to submit NAMAs
- NAMA Registry submission of individual NAMAs for recognition or seeking support
- NAMAs submitted to date
 - ➤ 35% of developing countries
 - > 27% of LAC countries

Ad-hoc Working Group on Durban Platform

- ➤ UNEP Emissions Gap report: 8-12 gigatonnes of CO2 eq. in 2020
- ➤ Under ADP Work stream 2 Parties have resolved to enhance pre-2020 ambition and ensure highest possible mitigation efforts by all Parties;
- Parties that have not submitted NAMAs to submit ambitious NAMAs;
- Under WS1 initiate domestic preparation of contributions for post 2020 period.



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