## 1. National adaptation plans

b) The modalities and guidelines for least developed country Parties and other developing country Parties to employ the modalities formulated to support national adaptation plans

Adaptation to the adverse impacts of Climate Change is very important to safeguard the lives and livelihood of people and maintain sustainable development of highly vulnerable countries like Sri Lanka. Most of the vulnerable countries already prepared National Communications identifying adaptation needs, adaptation strategies and action plans. However, those countries are unable to implement these strategies and action plans due to financial constraints.

Therefore, there is an urgent need to identify and prepare appropriate modalities and guidelines to provide necessary supports for implementation of those strategy and action plans with an effective financial mechanism.