

## Work of the Spin-off group on Article 10 on global stock take and related decision paragraphs

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### Article 10 (GLOBAL STOCKTAKE)

1. ~~PURPOSE and OUPUT~~ The CMA shall periodically take stock of the implementation of this Agreement [in accordance with Article 4.2(d), Article 7.2(e) and Article 10.2 (a) of the Convention,] to assess [overall] [aggregate][collective] progress towards achieving the [[ultimate] [objective of the] Convention] [the long-term goal established in this agreement] [and] the purpose of this Agreement in a comprehensive and facilitative manner, [including identifying means of further advancing such objectives within this agreement] [and to inform the process referred to in Article 3.6 and Article 4.6] [Article 6].<sup>1</sup>
2. ~~SCOPE, PROCESS~~ The stocktaking shall consider [overall] [aggregate][collective] implementation in relation to mitigation, adaptation and the means of implementation, taking into account the different specificities of each issue [and] [Parties' differentiated responsibilities and commitments][different national circumstances] [and equity].
3. ~~INPUTS~~ The stocktaking shall consider information from, inter alia, [the mechanisms of the Conventions and this agreement], [information on the implementation of individual and collective efforts under the Agreement], including [on assessments of aggregate level of ambition communicated through the proposed nationally determined contributions for the subsequent commitment period in relation to the level of ambition needed as recommended by the best available science]; the best available science, [including reports of the IPCC]; and information from other relevant international processes [other information decided by the CMA].
4. ~~TIMING~~ The CMA shall undertake its first global stocktake in [2023] [2024][after the review of the accelerating the pre-2020 implementation and the review of adequacy of post-2020 finance support by developed country Parties,] and [every five years thereafter] [at regular intervals to be decided by the CMA.]
5. [The extent to which developing country Parties can participate in the global stocktake will depend on the provision of finance resources.]

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<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise provided, the cross-references in this Article refer to the numbering as in ADP.2015.8.InformalNote.

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~~Option 1:~~

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*Decides* that the stocktaking referred to in Article 10 of the Agreement shall be designed to:

- (a) Take into account [an updated synthesis report on the aggregate progress towards the below 2°C objective and the long-term goal specified in Article 3.1] [the information on the implementation of the individual and collective efforts under the Agreement];
  - (a)bis. Consider the aggregate effect of the nationally determined contributions communicated by Parties for subsequent commitment periods;
  - (a)ter. Consider the state of adaptation efforts in light of mitigation trajectories;
  - (a)quater. Take into account the state of adaptation experiences, efforts and priorities;
  - (a)quinquies. Consider the adequacy of the mobilization and provision of means of implementation;
- (b) Be informed by the reports of the IPCC;
- (c) Take into consideration [relevant input from the MRV process] [the lessons learned from the 2013–2015 review];
  - ~~C(c)bis. Takeing into consideration options for forward planning of Parties' nationally determined commitments~~NDCs NDCs;
  - ~~C(c)ter. Takeing into account the financial needs of developing countries to participate in the stocktake;~~
  - ~~(c)quaterquater. Taking into account input from non-state actors, relevant international organizations and international cooperative initiatives;~~
  - ~~(c)quinquies. Takeing into account information from the technical examination of opportunities to enhance practical action;~~
  - (d) Other;:  
recognising that modalities may differ across elements.

Option 2

No optiontext

~~Option 1:~~

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*Requests* the SBSTA to provide advice on how the assessments of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change can inform the stocktaking of the implementation of the Agreement pursuant to its Article 10, paragraph 1, and to report to the IPC on this matter at its [second][first] session;

Option 2:

No optiontext

~~Option 1:~~

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**Option 1:**

*Also requests* the IPC to develop modalities for the stocktaking, referred to in Article 10, paragraph 2, of the Agreement, and make recommendations to the CMA for consideration and adoption at its first session. The IPC should be guided by paragraph 60 above and Article 10, paragraph 1, of the Agreement, take into account the advice of the SBSTA referred to in paragraph 61 above, and consider the following when developing the modalities:

- (a) The arrangements for the stocktaking including the institutional arrangements and the relationship with other Agreement and Convention processes and procedures;
- (b) The operational processes and procedures, including relevant time frames;
- (b)bis The manner in which the stock-take process shall serve as an input to the High Level Sessions established under Articles 4.10 and 6.12 of the Agreement;**
- (c) The form and nature of the outcomes of the stocktaking [taking into account the nature of the process as described in Article 10.1 of the Agreement];

**Option 2:**

*Also requests* the IPC to develop modalities for the stocktaking, referred to in Article 10, paragraph 2, of the Agreement, and make recommendations to the CMA for consideration and adoption at its first session.

**Note from co-facilitator**

- 1. In the second meeting of the spin off group, a number of issues were raised in relation to the streamlined and re-organised text prepared for that meeting.
- 2. Parties noted that there would need to be further work on placement of text between the Agreement and Decision.
- 3. It was further noted that there were a number of cross-references to Articles in the Agreement that were no longer correct and that these would need to be addressed throughout the text.
- 4. Parties also noted the issue of terminology used in this text, such as ‘nationally determined commitments’, and that, as other parts of the Agreement advanced, there would be a need to revisit language to ensure consistency across the text.
- 5. Some Parties raised specific issues, such as the purpose of the stocktake in relation to implementation and ambition, and it was noted that Parties would need to negotiate these issues further.
- 6. It was also understood that options presented in the text will still need to be discussed, such as the dates in paragraph 4.
- 7. Further insertions and clarification may be needed as we work further, including the relation of terms to the convention.
- 8. The co-facilitator urged Parties to continue to work together and to bring bridging proposals to the next session.