# Capacity development under the work of the LEG

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#### Vision of the LEG – to guide its support to the LDCs on adaptation

# Support provided by the LEG by 2020 of the achievement of:

- the existence of a well-structured adaptation planning process in the LDCs;
- formulation of robust and good-quality NAPs;
- implementation of priority adaptation needs identified in the NAPs with funding from the GCF and other sources; and
- demonstrable results in building adaptive capacity, strengthening resilience and reducing vulnerability to climate change in the LDCs.

Reference: FCCC/SBI/2016/7, paragraph 15



#### Type of activities used to support the LDCs

**Technical Training** Regional guidelines and activities exchanges materials Synthesis of experience, best Technical advice Technical papers practices and lessons learned NAP Case **NAP Central** NAP Expo Studies: Open **NAPs** NAP Technical Working Group, NAP Central support group and NAP Expo advisory group

<sup>\*</sup> Shaded boxes are activities supporting capacity development



#### Feedback from participants on the regional training workshops

- Country participants showed improved understanding of the process to formulate and implement NAPs and the diversity of technical and financial resources available to support their work.
- Majority indicated that the objectives of the training were achieved
- Most of them provided some follow up with the LEG on how the information and knowledge acquired in the workshop were used in their formulation of national adaptation plans

## Recommendations from participants for future training

- Better coordination between providers of training on NAPs
- A task group on training to, inter alia:
  - Include all relevant organizations offering training on NAPs;
  - Work towards harmonizing training materials and approaches to ensure that individual efforts complement each other
  - LEG to create a joint calendar on training activities on NAP Central



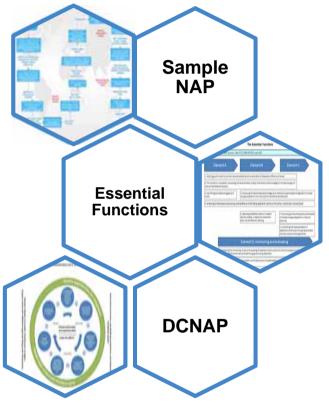
#### **Publications, technical and information papers**

- **1 Best practices and lessons learned** in addressing adaptation in the LDCs, Volume 3
- 2 Strengthening gender considerations in adaptation planning and implementation in the LDCs
- 3 Regional synergy in in addressing adaptation through the NAPAs and the process to formulate and implement NAPs in the LDCs
- 4 Information paper on how the process to formulate and implement NAPs can be **support**ed in LDCs
- A tool for **monitoring and evaluating** progress, effectiveness and gaps of the process to formulate and implement NAPs (PEG M&E tool)
- 6 An **overview** of the process to formulate and implement NAPs and guidelines



#### **Technical Guidelines/Supplements**

Develop technical materials to supplement the technical guidelines to provide in-depth coverage of specific issues.



- New and additional elements related to adaptation referred to in the Paris Agreement
  - global adaptation goal and the global temperature increase limit
  - related to linkages to the United Nations Sustainable Developed Goals and the operationalization of the GCF
- b) A development-centred approach to the formulation of NAPs;
- c) Considerations regarding vulnerable communities, groups and ecosystems in the context of the process to formulate and implement NAPs;
- d) Methods for assessing progress, effectiveness and gaps using the associated monitoring and evaluation tool and other relevant tools;
- e) On the assessment of climate vulnerabilities and risk to identification of effective adaptation solutions and actions



#### **Advancing NAPs through training**



2012–2013 Launching/initiating NAPs



2014–2015
Preparatory elements

2016-2017

Advancing NAPs

Regional training workshops to start in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2016

Development of training strategy based on gaps and needs emerging from previous workshops and other sources on the vision of the LEG

Design and conduct of the training to be supported by the *NAP Technical Working Group* 

Engagement of all relevant partners to promote the provision of best training and support to countries, while ensuring coherence and complementarity



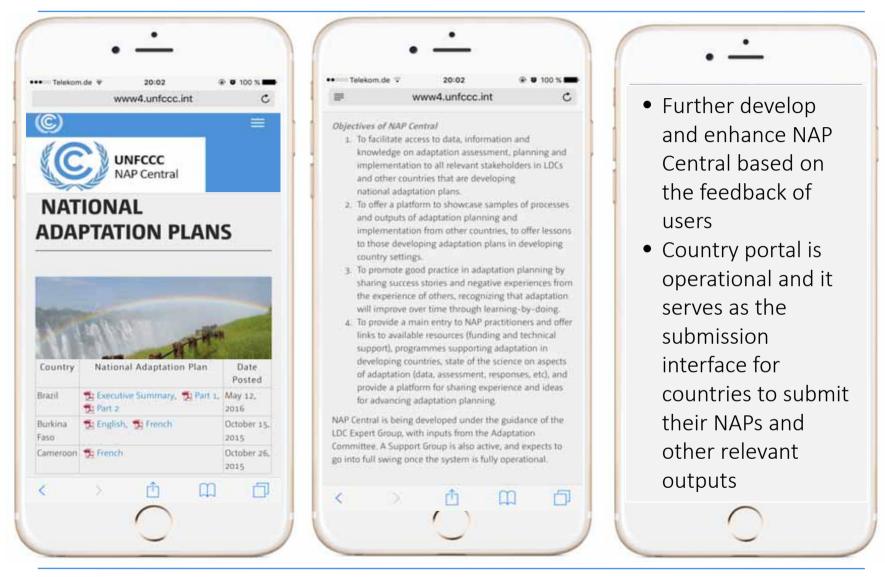
#### **NAP Expo**



An annual outreach event which brings together national leaders and policy makers on NAPs and relevant stakeholders from the Green Climate Fund, the Global Environment facility, United Nations organizations, international organizations, bilateral and multilateral agencies, regional centres and networks, as well as scientists and practitioners.



#### **NAP Central**





## **The LEG Work Programme**

Detailed rolling work programme of the LEG for 2016-2017 is available at:

<a href="http://unfccc.int/9516">http://unfccc.int/9516></a>



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