

Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3

Report of the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

Dates: 22 and 24-26 March 2021

Venue: Virtual, deemed to have been held in Bonn at the headquarters of the secretariat

Version 01.0

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3 Report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

Table of contents

Page

1.	AGENDA ITEM 1: OPENING OF THE MEETING		
2.	AGENDA ITEM 2: ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS 4		
	2.1.	Agenda item 2(a): Adoption of the agenda4	
	2.2.	Agenda item 2(b): Family photo4	
	2.3.	Agenda item 2(c): Organization of the work of the meeting	
3.	AGENDA ITEM 3: UPDATE ON INTER-MEETING ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMITTEE		
4.	AGENDA ITEM 4: DEVELOPMENT OF THE DRAFT RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR THE PROPER AND EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONING OF THE COMMITTEE		
5.	AGENDA ITEM 5: REVIEW OF THE WORKPLAN OF THE COMMITTEE FOR 2020 AND 2021		
6.	AGEN	DA ITEM 6: NEXT MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE	
7.	AGENDA ITEM 7: CONSIDERATION OF GENDER IN THE DRAFT RULES OF PROCEDURE		
8.	AGENDA ITEM 8: BUDGETARY AND FINANCIAL MATTERS		
9.	AGENDA ITEM 9: OTHER MATTERS		
10.	AGENDA ITEM 10: ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE 3 RD MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE		
11.	CLOS	URE OF THE MEETING	

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3

Report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

1. Agenda item 1: Opening of the meeting

- 1. The Co-Chairs, Christina Voigt and Haseeb Gohar, opened the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement by welcoming the members and alternate members of the Committee.
- 2. The members and alternate members of the Committee had agreed to hold the 3rd meeting virtually, on 22 and 24–26 March 2021.
- 3. The meeting, although held virtually, was deemed to have been held in Bonn at the headquarters of the secretariat.
- 4. The UNFCCC Executive Secretary addressed the Committee on the first day of the meeting.
- 5. The Co-Chairs confirmed that, in accordance with paragraph 15 of the annex to decision 20/CMA.1, containing the modalities and procedures for the effective operation of the Committee, sufficient members of the Committee were present at the meeting to constitute a quorum.
- 6. The table below presents the members and alternate members of the Committee. The names of those present at the meeting are in bold.

Group/Constituency	Members	Alternate members
Africa	Selam Kidane-Abebe	Mominata Campaore
Africa	Cornelius Scholtz	Chokri Mezghani
Asia Pacific	Shang Baoxi	Tomonobu Sato
Asia Pacific	Haseeb Gohar	Seung Jick Yoo
EEG	Jana Sobotova	Grzegorz Grobicki
EEG	Iryna Stavchuk	Ivan Narkevitch
GRULAC	Nomination pending	Michai Robertson
GRULAC	Nomination pending	Nomination pending
WEOG	Jacob Werksman	Johan Lundberg
WEOG	Christina Voigt	Julia Gardiner
SIDS	Rueanna Haynes	Danielle Yeow
LDCs	Ziaul Haque	Edith Kateme-Kasajja

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3

Report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

2. Agenda item 2: Organizational matters

2.1. Agenda item 2(a): Adoption of the agenda

7. The Committee adopted the agenda of the meeting as contained in the annex.

2.2. Agenda item 2(b): Family photo

8. The members and alternate members of the Committee present at the meeting had a group photo taken.

2.3. Agenda item 2(c): Organization of the work of the meeting

9. The Committee decided to organize the work for the meeting following the order of the agenda.

3. Agenda item 3: Update on inter-meeting activities of the Committee

10. The Committee reflected on the discussions at its 2nd informal meeting, held virtually on 24 and 25 February 2021.

4. Agenda item 4: Development of the draft rules of procedure for the proper and effective functioning of the Committee

11. The Committee worked on a draft working document on the possible elements of the draft rules of procedure, providing comments and input. The Committee agreed to continue work on a revised draft of the working document, which would be sent to them by the Co-chairs no less than two weeks before the next informal meeting (see item 6 below).

5. Agenda item 5: Review of the workplan of the Committee for 2020 and 2021

12. The Committee reviewed and further elaborated its workplan for 2020 and 2021, adopted as annex 4 to the report on its 2nd meeting, contained in document PAICC/2020/M2/7.

6. Agenda item 6: Next meeting of the Committee

- 13. The Committee agreed to convene an informal virtual meeting on 10 and 11 May 2021 for three hours each day and its 4th formal meeting from 14 to 17 June 2021, while recognizing that the Co-Chairs may propose new dates for the 4th formal meeting, if necessary, after the confirmation as to how and when the next sessions of the subsidiary bodies will take place.
- 14. The Committee requested the secretariat to start planning the 4th formal meeting as an in-person meeting, while recognizing the evolving global situation in relation to travel restrictions and other limitations resulting from the coronavirus disease 2019

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3

Report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

pandemic. The Committee recognized the need to ensure the inclusive participation of all members and alternate members in its meetings. In particular, the Committee noted the information technology and time zone related challenges faced in convening meetings virtually.

7. Agenda item 7: Consideration of gender in the draft rules of procedure

15. In accordance with the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan,^a the Committee discussed the inclusion of gender in its draft rules of procedure, taking into account the goal of gender balance. The Committee requested the secretariat to provide an overview of the established practices, including for issues of parental leave, for the consideration of gender within other UNFCCC constituted bodies.

8. Agenda item 8: Budgetary and financial matters

16. The Committee considered the financial aspects of holding meetings in person and virtually over the course of 2021, in particular the budgetary and staffing constraints faced by the secretariat in relation to its work for the Committee.

9. Agenda item 9: Other matters

- 17. The Committee took note of the information provided by the secretariat on the status of the submission of communications by Parties under Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement.
- 18. The Committee had a preliminary exchange on an interim approach to initiating proceedings under paragraph 22(a) of the annex to decision 20/CMA.1.

10. Agenda item 10: Adoption of the report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee

19. The Committee adopted this report on 26 March 2021 and the report is deemed to have been adopted in Bonn.

11. Closure of the meeting

20. After thanking the members and alternate members of the Committee for their participation and the secretariat for its support, the Co-Chairs closed the meeting.

^a Decision 3/CP.25, annex.

Document PAICC/2021/M3/3 Report on the 3rd meeting of the Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

Annex

Committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance referred to in Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement

Third Meeting

Bonn, 22, 24-26 March 2021 (Virtual meeting)

Document no. PAICC/2021/M3/1

Agenda and annotations to the agenda

Agenda

- 1. Opening of the meeting
- 2. Organizational matters
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda
 - (b) Family photo
 - (c) Organization of the work of the meeting
- 3. Update on inter-meeting activities of the Committee
- 4. Development of the draft rules of procedure for the proper and effective functioning of the Committee
- 5. Review of the workplan of the Committee for 2020 and 2021
- 6. Next meeting of the Committee
- 7. Consideration of gender in the draft rules of procedure
- 8. Budgetary and financial matters
- 9. Other matters
- 10. Adoption of the report on the third meeting of the Committee
- 11. Closure of the meeting