16th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda item 7 (a)

Work of the Adaptation Committee NAP Taskforce

Gaps and needs related to the process to formulate and implement NAPs and how to address them

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Background and scope

- Decision 8/CP.24
 - LEG and AC to consider gaps and needs related to the process to formulate and implement NAPs, identified through their relevant work -> include outcome of consideration in respective reports to COP 25
- ✤ LEG 35 > FCCC/SBI/2019/5:
 - Compiled gaps and needs in tabular format
 - Identified how the compiled gaps and needs are being addressed
 - Agreed to include relevant activities in the LEG work
 - Agreed to coordinate activities to address this mandate with the AC
- ✤ AC 16 > AC/2019/23
 - Based on LEG compilation, analysis of gaps and needs and how they can be addressed by ongoing and planned work of the LEG, AC and others



Overview of gaps and needs

- ✤ Identification of gaps and needs in the areas of
 - $\checkmark\,$ Climate scenarios, science, translation to local context
 - ✓ Risk and vulnerability assessment and risk management
 - $\checkmark\,$ Linkage with the development agenda
 - $\checkmark\,$ Monitoring, evaluation and learning
 - $\checkmark\,$ Accessing financial and other support
 - ✓ Guiding principles
 - ✓ Active learning from practice
 - $\checkmark\,$ Institutional arrangements and coordination
 - $\checkmark\,$ Access to and use of technology



Monitoring and reviewing gaps and needs

- Various processes to assess and review gaps and needs related to adaptation
- The AC may wish to focus on:
 - The actions Parties and organizations can take to advance the NAP process in developing countries
 - Identifying the mandates that the SBs, the COP and the CMA have provided, to date, to enable the advancement of the NAP process



Next steps

AC may wish to, in coordination with the LEG:

- Review the entries in the table and update the entries that the AC can work
- Propose where other bodies and organizations can help address the identified gaps and needs

The completed table is to be presented to SBI 51 through the LEG 36 report and the AC 2019 report and will also inform follow-up activities by the AC and the LEG

