

CRP SUR countries Brazil, Ecuador, Paraguay and Uruguay

Matters relating to adaptation: report of the Adaptation Committee

Draft proposal for two draft decisions: decision -/CP.29 and decision -/CMA.6 A

A - Text to be included in both draft decisions:

1. Welcome the 2023 report of the Adaptation Committee,
2. Welcomes the 2024 report of the Adaptation Committee,
3. Also welcomes the progress of the Adaptation Committee in implementing its flexible workplan for 2022–2024;
4. Welcome the flexible workplan of the Adaptation Committee for 2025–2027,
5. Invites relevant constituted bodies, representatives of institutional arrangements under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, Parties and non-Party stakeholders, as appropriate, to use relevant findings from Adaptation Committee publications and events.
6. Notes with appreciation the continued efforts of the Adaptation Committee to promote the implementation of enhanced adaptation action in a coherent manner, including in collaboration with other constituted bodies, including through its NAP taskforce, and with partners of the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change;
7. Requests the Adaptation Committee to organize further training sessions for developing country Parties on addressing identified gaps and needs related to the process to formulate and implement NAPs;
8. Invites the Adaptation Committee to continue efforts to address the capacity-building needs of developing countries, including at the regional level, in relation to accessing adaptation finance;
9. Welcomes the portal of interactive country profiles¹⁰ containing information on adaptation action reported by Parties under the Convention and the Paris Agreement and requests the secretariat to regularly update the portal and make available online training material on how to use it;
10. Encourages the Adaptation Committee to continue its regional engagement with a view to enhancing the sharing of relevant information, knowledge, experiences and good practices and improving the dissemination, understanding and use of its technical products by organizations and practitioners within and outside the Convention and the Paris Agreement process and in all geographical regions,
11. Reiterates the encouragement for the Adaptation Committee to make further use of communication in languages other than English;
12. Takes note of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat;
13. Requests that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.

B – Text relating to the Paris Agreement to be added to decision -/CMA.6:

1. Welcomes the contribution of the Adaptation Committee to the compilation and mapping of indicators relevant to measuring progress towards the targets referred to in paragraphs 9–10 of decision 2/CMA.5, namely its identification of information on indicators reported by Parties in their national reports and communications in the context of the work referred to in paragraph 45 of decision 2/CMA.5;

2. Urges the Adaptation Committee to continue or expedite its mandated work on:
 - a. Compiling existing methodologies for reviewing the adequacy and effectiveness of adaptation and support;
 - b. Providing guidance to the secretariat to prepare regular synthesis reports in the context of recognizing adaptation efforts of developing countries;
 - c. Supporting the implementation of the United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience with technical guidance and training materials thereon;
 - d. Developing recommendations on how to improve reporting on adaptation action and progress, including with a view to informing the review and update, as appropriate, of the modalities, procedures and guidelines for the transparency framework for action and support referred to in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement¹⁸ and the review of the training course referred to in paragraph 10 of decision 9/CMA.4.