

19th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda item 7a

Work of the Adaptation Committee Taskforce on NAPs

16-19 March 2021



I: Introduction and background

- NAP Taskforce established in 2013 to further support developing countries seeking to formulate and implement NAPs.
 - Welcomed by COP 19
 - Consists of AC members and representatives of the AF, GCF, GEF, LEG, TEC and SCF
 - Useful means for AC to share its work with other constituted bodies, and to invite input and feedback on selected elements of its work that are directly addressing national adaptation planning and implementation.
 - AC 15 endorsed 2019-2021 workplan of the NAP Taskforce
 - Workplan in line with the AC's flexible workplan
 - Also addresses SBI 47 invitation for the AC and the LEG to *consider ways to assist with the implementation of NAPs in their future work programmes and to include information thereon in their reports, as appropriate.*
 - AC and NAP Taskforce also took into account COP request "*through its NAP Task Force and within its existing mandate and workplan, to consider gaps and needs that have been identified through relevant work of the LEG and the AC and how to address them and include relevant information thereon in its annual report for 2019*".
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II Activities for 2021 on the 3-year workplan of the NAP Taskforce

Activities on the NAP TF workplan address topics including:

- Displacement related to the adverse impacts of climate change
- Gender considerations in adaptation action and the AC workplan activities
- Update of the 2015 thematic report on navigating the landscape of support for the process to formulate and implement NAPs
- AC technical paper on adaptation technologies
- NAP Expo

Further activities not included in the 3-year workplan (emerged after adoption of the workplan)

- Gaps and needs related to the NAP process
- Capacity gaps in accessing adaptation funding
- Information sharing

The next meeting will take place at the end of April, it will also discuss measures to enhance the use and impact of the NAP taskforce



III. Next steps

The AC may wish to take note of the status update contained in the document.

The AC may further wish to discuss section 4 of this document (Enhancing the NAP Taskforce) and agree on next steps, as appropriate

