

To all Parties and Constituencies

COP25 is aiming to become the first COP where implementation and climate action start to be at the centre of our attention. The successful negotiations in Katowice of the rules for the implementation of the Paris Agreements was a timely achievement, which allows us to focus in what science is clearly showing: a considerable gap in ambition and also in implementation.

COP25 main motto is "Time for Action". Under this inspiration, we must encourage climate action coming from Parties and Non State Actors that help us to reduce this gap. Now we are called to work together and accelerate our pace with concrete measures.

In this regard, the incoming Presidency of COP25 would like to make sure that all the initiatives that are launched at the COP are highlighted and encouraged as examples that can also contribute to this major task.

The Marrakech Partnership for Global Climate Action is a great example of how climate action can be fostered with strong and concrete outcomes. These efforts have built a success story that should lead us all to think how these joint efforts between Parties and Non State Actors can be enhanced in the context of climate ambition, as we get closer to 2020.

On the other hand, there might be new initiatives that are under preparation or in a planning phase. Those actions should also be brought to light and recognized in COP25, as a simple way to provide recognition to Parties or Non State Actors that are stepping forward and taking concrete steps to enhance action.

With this in mind, I invite all Parties and Non State Actors to share and communicate in advance your initiatives that are due to be launched or presented at COP25. The incoming Presidency is planning to provide a space to showcase those climate action initiatives in Madrid.

As we put forward this invitation, we strongly encourage proponents to provide also information on how these initiatives will be followed-up in their implementation, including through voluntary reporting in upcoming UNFCCC Conferences.

We kindly invite to submit these initiatives, including a brief description on activities and thematic scope, to the E-mail address: [ivejar@cop25.cl](mailto:ivejar@cop25.cl), which is also open to receive questions or comments.



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