

Proposal by Iceland for a draft CMA decision on the Glasgow–Sharm el-Sheikh work programme on the global goal on adaptation

*The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement,*

*Recalling* Article 7, paragraph 1, of the Paris Agreement and decision 7/CMA.3,

1. *Welcomes* the work carried out under the Glasgow–Sharm el-Sheikh work programme on the global goal on adaptation in 2022;
2. *Recognizes* the importance of capturing collective progress towards diverse states and attributes of resilience as part of the global goal on adaptation;
3. *Requests* the subsidiary bodies to develop an approach for reviewing overall progress made in achieving the Global Goal on Adaptation as part of the first global stocktake;
4. *Recommends* the use of a combination of approaches, both qualitative and quantitative, to assess progress along the adaptation policy cycle;
5. *Requests* the secretariat to publish the single annual report on the workshops referred to in paragraph 16 of decision 7/CMA.3 no later than three weeks prior to the fifth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement;
6. *Invites* Parties and observers to submit by 10 March 2023, via the submission portal their views on what to consider at the workshops in respect to the respective workshop thematics and elements outlined in paragraph 8 and 12 below;
7. *Requests* the Chairs of the subsidiary bodies, with the support of the secretariat, to prepare a concept note and guiding questions relating to the themes and areas of work, for each workshop at least three weeks in advance thereof, taking into account the submissions referred to in paragraph 6 above;
8. *Decides* that the thematical topics for the four workshops in 2023 are:
  - a. Long-term goals in the Paris Agreement, in particular those included in Article 2, paragraph 1, including how they inform national adaptation goals and targets;
  - b. Developing an approach for reviewing overall progress made in achieving the Global Goal on Adaptation as part of the first global stocktake;
  - c. Exploring diverse and inclusive modalities for mainstreaming adaptation in national and regional priority areas, systems and sectors;
  - d. Improving risk and vulnerability assessments as a basis for identifying adaptation options and needs;
9. *Decides* to hold the workshops in the above order with the first workshop no later than April 2023 and the fourth workshop in 2023 no later than six weeks prior to the

fifth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of Parties to the Paris Agreement (November 2023);

10. *Recalls* paragraph 12 of decision 7/CMA.3, in which it decided to conduct four workshops per year, namely two virtual intersessional workshops and two in person workshops in conjunction with the sessions of the subsidiary bodies;
11. *Decides* to hold the 5th and the 7th workshop virtually with a balanced approach across time zones.
12. *Decides* the workshops will explore the following elements for all the respective thematic topics:
  - a. the effective use of conceptual framings set out in the contribution of Working group II to the Sixth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change;
  - b. the assessment of progress on adaptation on the local and subnational level, while leveraging the potential of non-Party stakeholders such as private sector stakeholders, local communities and indigenous peoples;
  - c. the range of different visions for what can be considered as climate-resilient development pathways on international, regional, national, sub-national and local levels;
13. *Recognizes* the challenges associated with reviewing overall progress in achieving the global goal on adaptation given the challenges involved in assessing progress on adaptation at the local, national, regional and international level;
14. *Also recognizes* that there is not 'one-size-fits-all' approach to reviewing overall progress in achieving the global goal on adaptation;
15. *Requests* that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.