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Common time frames for nationally determined contributions referred to in Article 4, paragraph 10, of the Paris Agreement

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

Recalling Article 4, paragraph 9, of the Paris Agreement, which states that each Party shall communicate a nationally determined contribution every five years in accordance with decision 1/CP.21 and any relevant decisions of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement and be informed by the outcomes of the global stocktake referred to in Article 14 of the Paris Agreement,

Also recalling Article 14, paragraph 3, of the Paris Agreement, which states that the outcome of the global stocktake shall inform Parties in updating and enhancing, in a nationally determined manner, their actions and support in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Paris Agreement, as well as in enhancing international cooperation for climate action,

Further recalling Article 4, paragraph 3, of the Paris Agreement, which states that each Party's successive nationally determined contribution will represent a progression beyond its then current nationally determined contribution and reflect its highest possible ambition, reflecting its common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities in the light of different national circumstances,

Recalling Article 4, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement, which states that support shall be provided to developing country Parties for the implementation of that Article, in accordance with Articles 9, 10 and 11 of the Paris Agreement, recognizing that enhanced support for developing country Parties will allow for higher ambition in their actions,

Also recalling Article 4, paragraph 10, of the Paris Agreement, which states that the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement shall consider common time frames for nationally determined contributions,

Further recalling that, according to decision 6/CMA.1, paragraph 2, Parties shall apply common time frames to their nationally determined contributions to be implemented from 2031 onward,

1. [Decides that each Party shall] [Invites each Party to] communicate in 2025 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 31 December 2035, in 2030 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 31 December 2040, and so forth every five years thereafter;

2. Invites each Party that is not in a position to communicate in 2025 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 31 December 2035 to communicate in 2030 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 31 December 2040, in 2035 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 31 December 2045, and so forth every five years thereafter.

{ Note: there was a proposal to discuss the following issue in the cover COP decision: requests Parties to consider in 2025 revising their existing nationally determined contributions with a view to enhancing levels of ambition in line with Art. 4.11, Art. 4.3, and Art. 4.9, informed by the outcomes of the relevant global stocktake as per Article 14.3 of the Paris Agreement, and to do so every five years thereafter. }