



Katowice Committee of Experts on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures

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Possible recommendations

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1. **Enhancing the capacity and understanding of Parties, through collaboration and input from stakeholders, on the assessment and analysis of the impacts of the implementation of response measures to facilitate the undertaking of economic diversification and transformation and just transition**
 1. The KCI recommends to the forum that the COP, CMP, CMA
 - (a) encourage Parties to Foster international cooperation to identify and share best practices and experiences of countries that have successfully diversified their economies. [Non-domestic barriers could also be identified, such as trade barriers, along with ways in which the international community could facilitate increased foreign investment and support in the form of technology transfer and financial support].
 - (b) requests forum and its KCI to prioritize developing and sharing case studies from Parties and experts, particularly on developing country Parties on both just transition as well as economic diversification and transformation, to understand the significant opportunities and possible challenges faced in planning and implementing just transition.
 - (c) requests forum and its KCI to facilitate development of robust tools and methods which can capture a range of multidimensional impacts of implementation of response measures
 - (d) request GCF and GEF to support assessment and analysis of impacts of mitigation actions, policies and programs including NDCs and LEDs with a view to address the adverse impacts.
 - (e) encourage relevant agencies to enhance support on issues related to assessment and analysis of impacts of implementation of mitigation actions, policies and programs.
 - (f) encourage relevant agencies to enhance and develop their existing training frameworks and training modules on assessment and analysis which can be used for country level training programs and for developing impact assessment tools and methods.
2. **Facilitate the development, enhancement, customization and use of tools and methodologies for modelling and assessing the impacts of the implementation of response measures, including identifying and reviewing existing tools and approaches in data-poor environments, in consultation with technical experts, practitioners and other relevant stakeholders**
 2. The KCI recommends to the forum that the COP, CMP, CMA
 - (a) requests the forum and its KCI to facilitate the enhancement of the capacity of parties particularly developing country parties to develop and use impacts assessment methodologies and tools to carry out their own assessments and analyses of the impacts of RM, including for cross-border impacts, for impacts on trade, on employment and jobs, on competitiveness and other socioeconomic factors, and on the environment.
 - (b) requests the forum and its KCI to organise targeted multiple regional hand-on training workshops for building capacity of experts in the constituencies.

(c) requests the forum and its KCI to facilitate the enhancement of the institutional capacity and support developing countries in the establishment and maintaining of national Monitoring, Reporting and Verification information Systems.

(d) requests the secretariat to regularly update the existing database of tools and methods suitable for assessing the impacts of implementation of response measures, as needed and as appropriate.

(e) requests the forum and its KCI to develop and maintain a web-based user interface for selecting tools and methods and promote its use among the Parties and stakeholders, as needed and as appropriate. Supporting user manual to guide users through the process of using the interface could be developed.

(f) encourage Parties to consider the availability of country level expertise, training and support, and consultancy services when selecting a tool or method to assess the impacts of implementation of response measures.

(g) encourage Parties to invest in data collection, if possible, then in line with national and international standards (for example, the UN System of National Accounts (SNA) or the UN System of Environmental-Economic Accounting (SEEA).

(h) encourage Parties to establish capacity building partnerships and networks for increasing the representation of developing countries in the use and development of impact assessment tools and methods to assess the impacts of implementation of response measures.

(i) encourage Parties to consider both qualitative and quantitative methods to assess impacts of implementation of response measures

(j) requests forum and its KCI to facilitate development of case studies on use of tools and methods to assess the impacts of implementation of response measures
