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Information session on the Fourth Facilitative, Multilateral Consideration of Progress (FMCP4) @SBI65 / COP31

FMCP – inclusive dialogue on policy implementation

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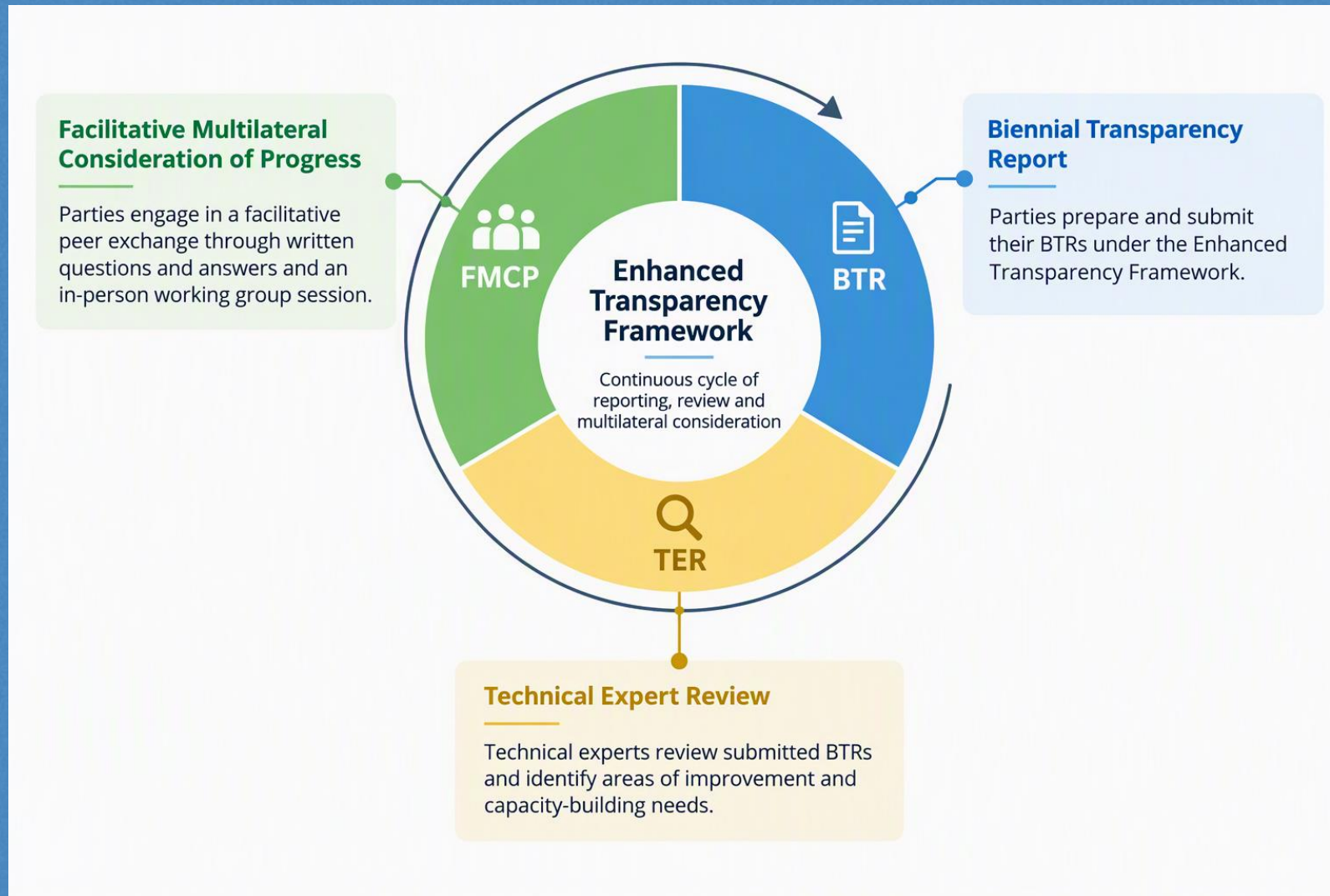
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Agenda

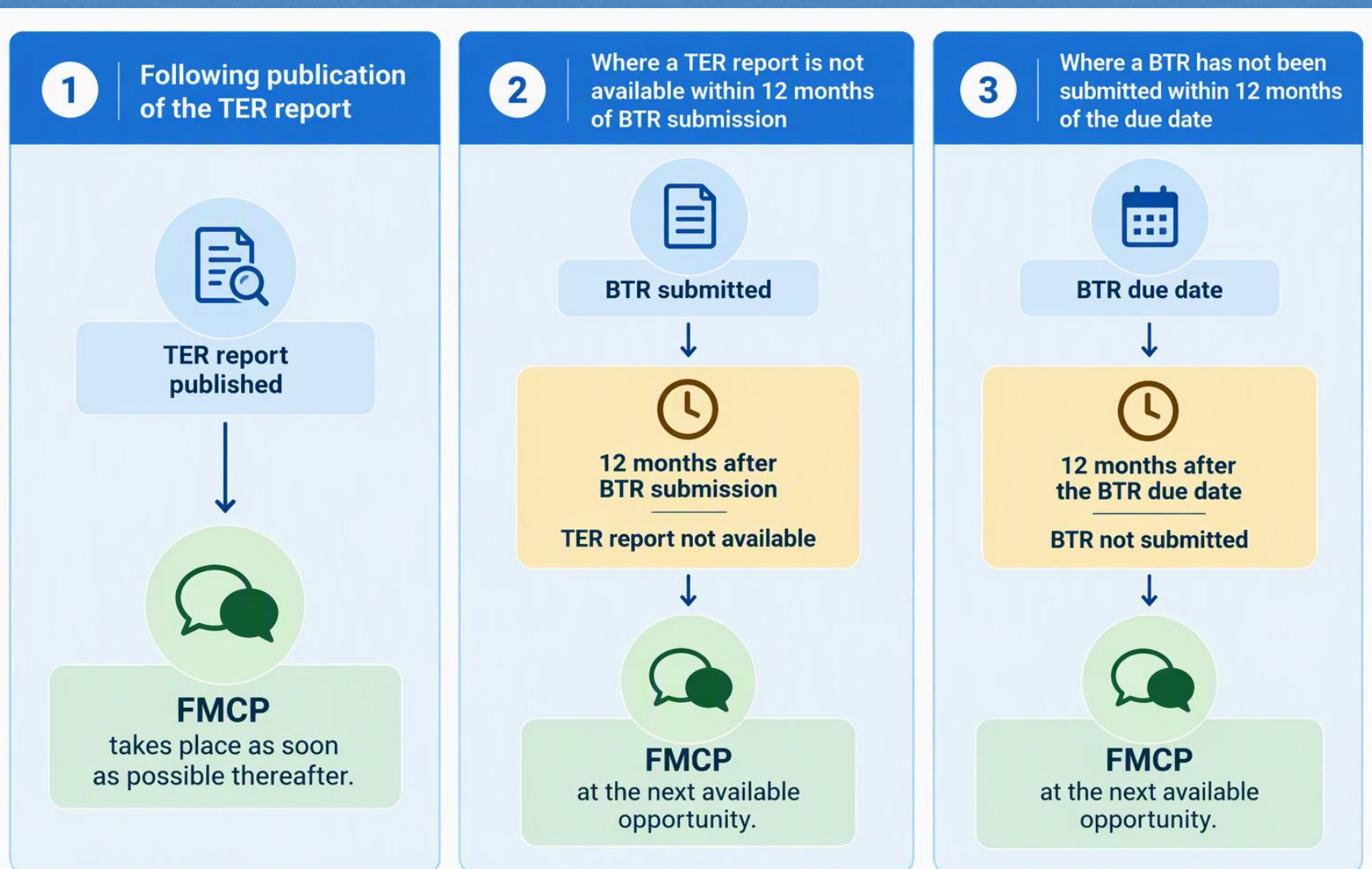
- The FMCP Explained: Process, Timing, Phases
- (1) Written Q&A Phase
- (2) Formal FMCP Working Group Session
- (3) Informal FMCP Dialogues
- FMCP schedule at COP31
- Pre-recorded Presentations
- **Questions**
- Next steps

ETF process overview

Reporting, review and multilateral consideration under the Enhanced Transparency Framework



Timing of participation in FMCP



Timing arrangements for FMCP under paragraphs 197 and 198 of the MPGs.

Phases of FMCP and informal dialogues

The FMCP process combines written exchanges before the SBI session with in-person discussions during the SBI session.

(1) Written Q&A session

Questions and responses submitted through the FMCP Q&A portal prior to the SBI.

(2) FMCP working group session

Formal multilateral consideration of progress.

(3) Informal FMCP Dialogues (voluntary)

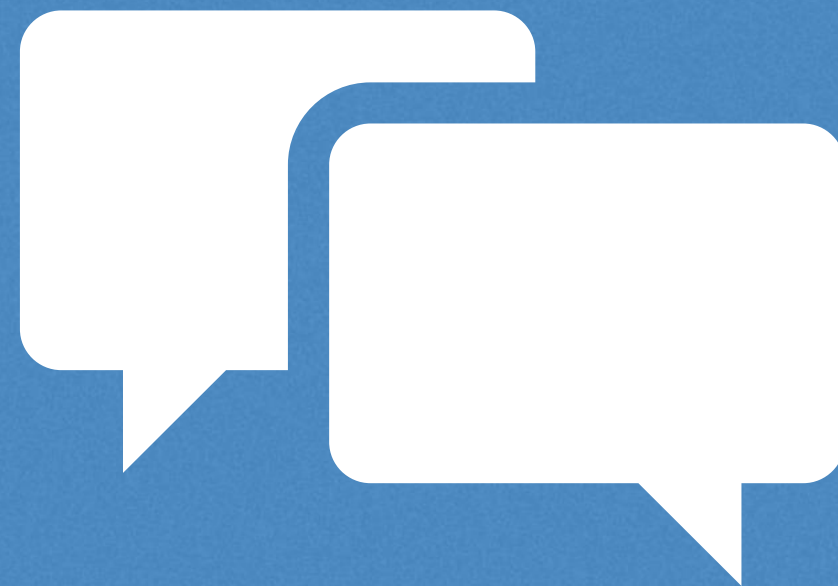
Open exchange on experiences and lessons learned.



(1) Written question and answers prior to the SBI

The Q&As per Party will be published on the FMCP session website shortly

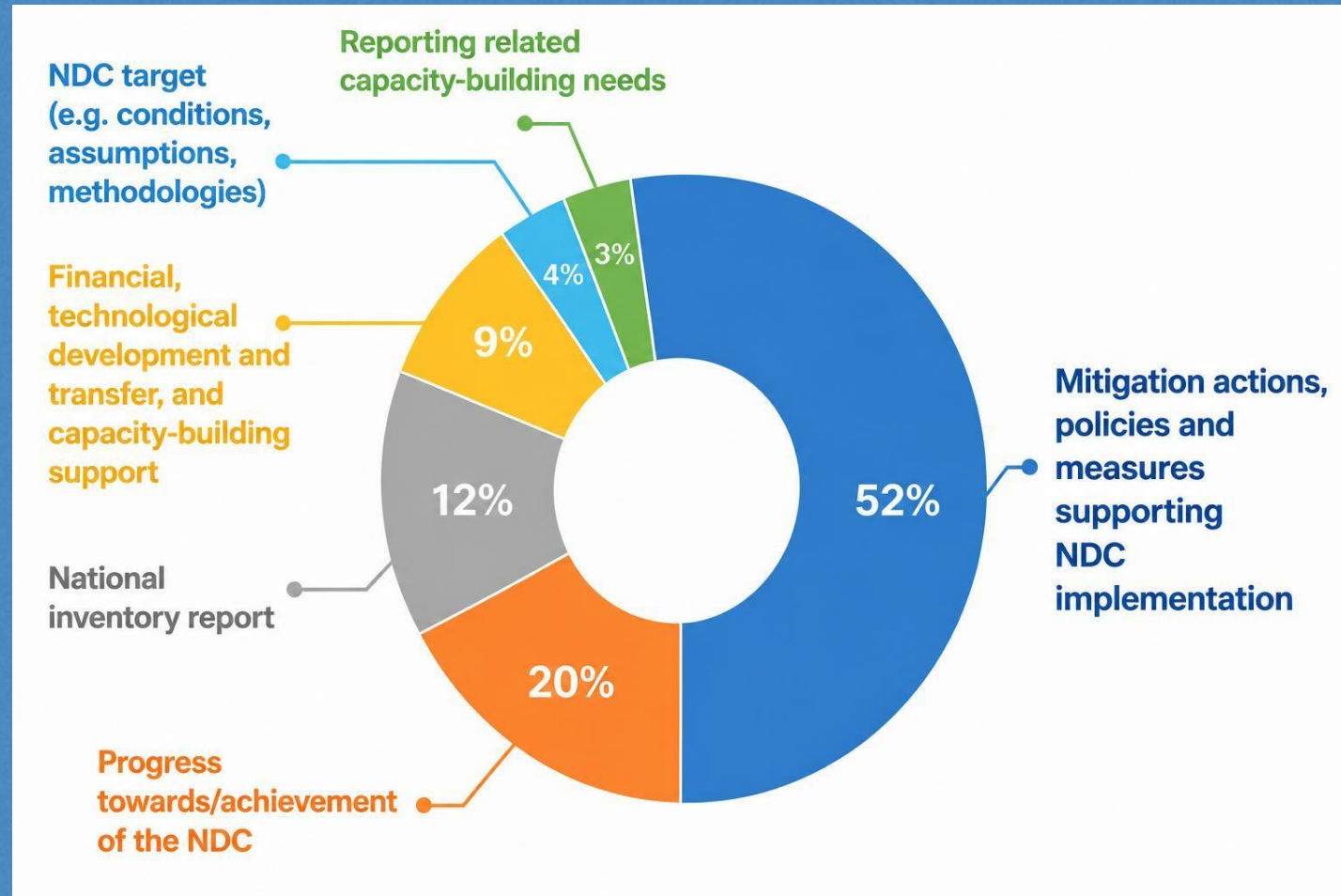
- 9 August – 9 September 2026:
FMCP Q&A portal opens for written question
- 10 September – 9 October 2026
(26 October with flex.):
Parties should make best efforts to respond in writing via the FMCP Q&A portal



- The scope of the written questions should be with respect to the Party's efforts under Article 9 of the Paris Agreement and the Party's respective implementation and achievement of its NDC.
- A Party may indicate in its response if it considers the written question to be outside the scope of a FMCP.

(1) Written question per topic

Questions were raised to each of the 35 Parties under the FMCP, amounting to a total of 138 questions



(2) Preparing for the Formal FMCP Working Group Session

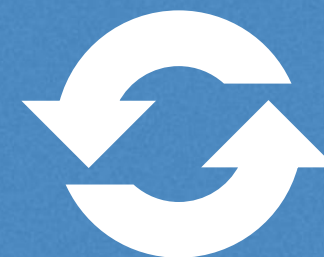
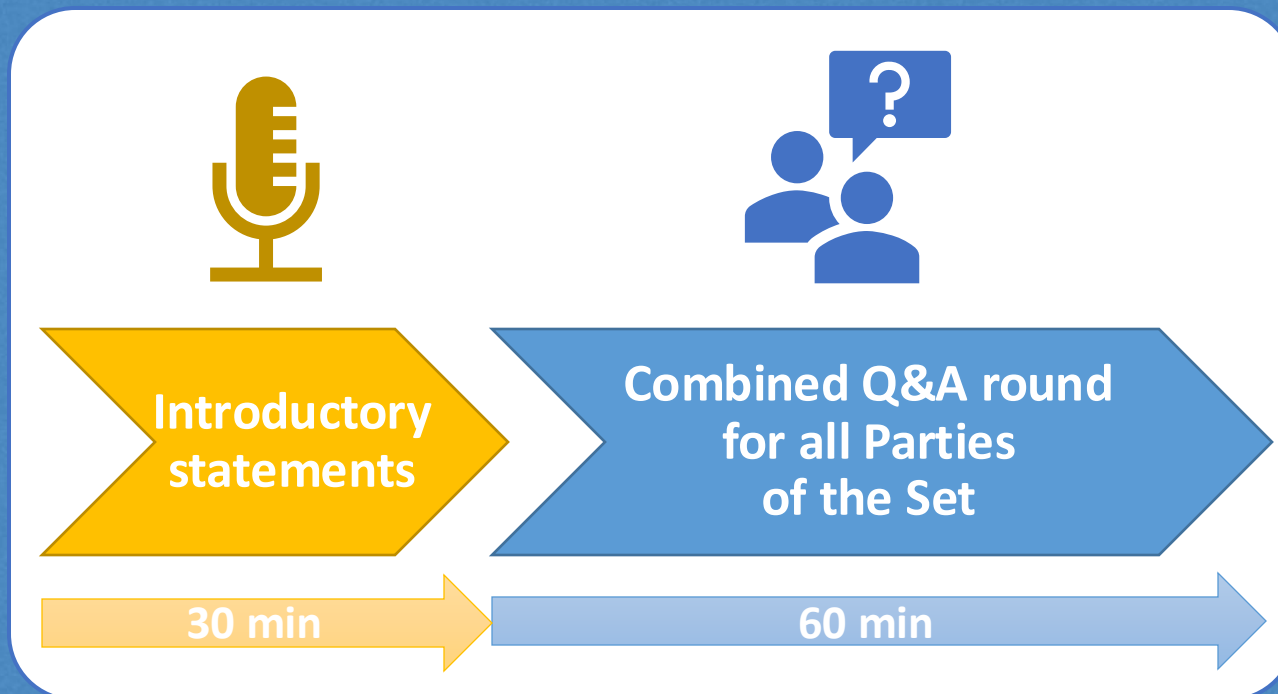
Important logistical and participation arrangements for Parties

- Conducted in English (no interpretation)
- At least one higher-level in-person representative per Party expected
- There is no separate funding mechanism for FMCP. [Participation and financial support follow the standard arrangements for UNFCCC sessions, including Trust Fund support for eligible developing country Parties.]
- Introductory statement of max. 5 minutes



(2) Conducting the Formal FMCP Working Group Session

Introductory statements by each Party within the set of up to 5 Parties, followed by a combined Q&A round for all Parties within the same set



**Repeat for the
2nd set of Parties**

- Should time not permit all questions to be addressed during the session, any remaining questions from the floor will be collected and transmitted to the Parties for written responses.
- A Party may provide additional written responses to questions raised during the discussion session in writing within 30 days.

(2) Engaging remote experts during the Q&A of the WGS

Parties may draw on remote technical experts to support responses during the question-and-answer session

- Remote experts may respond to questions raised
- Please share names and contacts of up to 5 remote experts
- Colleagues not actively involved in the Q&A may view FMCP using the publicly available link



(3) Informal FMCP Dialogues

Small-group discussions that enable direct exchanges between FMCP Parties and participants

- 2 x 2h lunchtime sessions
- 1-2 FMCP Parties per table
- Participants rotate between tables while FMCP Parties remain at their designated table



FMCP @SBI65/COP31: Overview schedule

Formal FMCP Working Group Sessions and voluntary, Informal FMCP Dialogues

	9-Nov Monday	10-Nov Tuesday	11-Nov Wednesday	12-Nov Thursday	13-Nov Friday	14-Nov Saturday
AM (10:00-13:00)						WGS Part IV
Lunchtime (13:00-15:00)					Informal Dialogues (Parts I & II)	Informal Dialogues (Parts III & IV)
PM (15:00-18:00)	WGS Part I	WGS Part II			WGS Part III	(FSV)



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WGS = Working Group Session

Part I – Monday, 9 November 2026 – 15:00-18:00, Opening of the 4th FMCP working group session

Session	Party
Part I.1	Burkina Faso
	Morocco
	Niger
	Tunisia
Part I.2	Belize
	Colombia
	Cuba
	Honduras
	Peru

Part II – Tuesday, 10 November 2026 – 15:00-18:00	
Session	Party
Part II.1	Czechia
	Estonia
	Liechtenstein
	Poland
	Republic of Moldova
Part II.2	Gabon
	Malawi
	Namibia
	Rwanda
	Zimbabwe

Part III – Friday, 13 November 2026 – 15:00-18:00	
Session	Party
Part III.1	Bulgaria
	Croatia
	Greece
	Portugal
	Serbia
Part III.2	Holy See
	Lebanon
	Pakistan
	Paraguay

Part IV – Saturday, 14 November 2026 – 10:00-13:00, Closing of the 4th FMCP working group session	
Session	Party
Part IV.1	India
	Russian Federation
	Tajikistan
Part IV.2	Brunei Darussalam
	Solomon Islands
	Sri Lanka
	Vanuatu



Pre-Recorded Presentations (videos)

Pre-recorded presentations support a more informed FMCP exchange and increase visibility of Parties' progress beyond the working group session

- 10-minute presentation (slides and video)
- Supports Parties' preparation for the FMCP exchange
- Particularly valuable where no technical expert review report is available
- Presentations will be made available online
- The secretariat is exploring options to screen presentations at COP31 outside the working group session (subtitles may be required)

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Any questions?





Next steps

Kindly share with us by 2 November 2026

- Pre-recorded presentation (**ppt slides and video**, ideally with subtitles)
- Speaker's name, title and organization (of the introductory statement)
- Names and email addresses of the remote experts
- Any questions, please contact us: **FMCP@unfccc.int**