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**Procedural summary report on the facilitative, multilateral
consideration of progress at the sixty-third session of the
Subsidiary Body for Implementation**

I. Background and mandate

1. Article 13 of the Paris Agreement established the facilitative, multilateral consideration of progress (FMCP) as part of the enhanced transparency framework. The modalities, procedures and guidelines for the transparency framework for action and support referred to in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement include the modalities and procedures for FMCP,¹ according to which FMCP is undertaken, under the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI), with the aim of promoting transparency and accountability by facilitating an open exchange with respect to a Party's efforts under Article 9 of the Paris Agreement and implementation and achievement of its nationally determined contribution.²
2. FMCP consists of a written question-and-answer phase and a working group session.³
3. During the period for submitting written questions, which commences three months and concludes two months prior to the working group session, any Party may submit written questions, as per the scope defined in paragraph 1 above, to the Parties undergoing FMCP, which shall make their best efforts to respond in writing to the questions no later than one month prior to the working group session; although developing country Parties that require flexibility in the light of their capacities in this regard may do so up to two weeks prior to the working group session.⁴
4. The working group session takes place during a session of the SBI and consists of a statement and presentation by each Party undergoing FMCP and a discussion. All Parties present may participate in the discussion and ask questions to the Parties concerned.⁵
5. The second working group session for FMCP was organized for nine Parties: Côte d'Ivoire, European Union, Finland, Kazakhstan, Netherlands (Kingdom of the), Slovakia, South Africa, Spain and Switzerland.
6. The secretariat is mandated to prepare and publish a procedural summary report on the FMCP for the Parties concerned,⁶ which is presented below and will be made available on the web page for the working group session.⁷

II. Written questions and answers

7. The written question-and-answer phase prior to the second working group session for FMCP was launched on 10 August 2025 and 111 questions were submitted to the nine Parties undergoing FMCP by the following seven delegations: Canada, Denmark, European Union, Japan, New Zealand, Republic of Korea and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. The questions received, which focused largely on technical matters in relation to the Parties' biennial transparency reports, and the answers provided are available via the web page for the working group session.

III. Working group session

8. The second in-person working group session for FMCP was convened at SBI 63, on 15 November 2025.
9. The session, which was open to all Parties and observers attending SBI 63, took place in two parts, the first chaired by the SBI Vice-Chair, Eyad Aljubran, and the second chaired by the SBI Rapporteur, Kamil Salazar.

¹ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, chap. VIII.

² Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, para. 189.

³ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, para. 191.

⁴ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, para. 192.

⁵ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, para. 193.

⁶ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex, para. 199.

⁷ https://unfccc.int/Second_session_FMCP2.

10. Côte d'Ivoire was represented by Kumassi Philippe Kouadio from the Ministry of the Environment, Sustainable Development and Energy Transition, who delivered the opening statement, after which the pre-recorded presentation was shared.
11. The European Union was represented by Jake Werksman, who delivered the opening statement, while the pre-recorded presentation was delivered by Roxanne Lake, both from the European Commission's Directorate-General for Climate Action.
12. Finland was represented by Outi Honkatukia from the Ministry of the Environment, who delivered the opening statement and the pre-recorded presentation.
13. Kazakhstan was represented by Shattyk Tastemirova, who delivered the opening statement, while the pre-recorded presentation was delivered by Saule Sabiyeva, both from the Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources.
14. The Kingdom of the Netherlands was represented by Jori Keijsper from the Ministry of Climate Policy and Green Growth, who delivered the opening statement and the pre-recorded presentation.
15. Slovakia was represented by Simon Lacena from the Ministry of the Environment, who delivered the opening statement and the pre-recorded presentation.
16. South Africa was represented by Maesela Kekana, who delivered the opening statement, while the pre-recorded presentation was delivered by Sandra Motshwanedi, both from the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment.
17. Spain was represented by Teresa Solana, who delivered the opening statement, while the pre-recorded presentation was delivered by Elena Pita, both from the Spanish Climate Change Office.
18. Switzerland was represented by Felix Wertli from the Federal Office for the Environment, who delivered the opening statement and the pre-recorded presentation.
19. The statements and presentations were followed by a discussion in which 54 questions were asked by the following 21 Parties: Australia, Austria, Belarus, Brazil, Czechia, Denmark, European Union, Georgia, Germany, India, Japan, Lebanon, Malaysia, Monaco, New Zealand, Norway, Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Sweden and United Kingdom. In total, 46 Parties participated in the second working group session for FMCP.
20. A recording of the working group session, including the Parties' statements and presentations and the discussion, is available on the UNFCCC website.⁸
21. In closing the working group session, the SBI Chair, Julia Gardiner, congratulated the nine Parties for successfully undergoing FMCP and completing the first cycle of the process under the enhanced transparency framework. She also thanked all Parties present for engaging in the session in a facilitative manner and the secretariat for its support in organizing the session.

⁸ Part one is available at <https://unfccc.int/event/sbi-2d-2nd-facilitative-multilateral-consideration-of-progress-part-i-mandated-event> and part two is available at <https://unfccc.int/event/sbi-2d-2nd-facilitative-multilateral-consideration-of-progress-part-ii-mandated-event>.