

Co-chairs' note summarizing decision points

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FWG 5 (21 – 24 June 2021)

FWG agreed by consensus on the following matters at its fifth meeting.

Agenda item 2: organizational matters

- FWG adopted the agenda for FWG5
- The FWG heard an update by the secretariat related to the UNFCCC calendar and Bureau guidance. FWG noted that relevant to FWG's work in 2021 including its membership term, its current workplan, and LCIPP review are all issues for which the "decision moment" falls at a session that is scheduled to take place as per mandate (2021). The Bureau may then find it proper to avoid pronouncing on the requests FWG makes since the Glasgow session itself can do so.
- The FWG heard an update from the secretariat on changes to FWG membership, including:
 - WEOG: Mr. Thomas Cameron (Canada) replaced Mr. Elias Abourizk (Canada), who resigned 13/01/2021; for the Indigenous sociocultural region: Central and South America and the Caribbean Mr. Tuntiak Katan following the passing of Mr. Estebancio Castro Diaz
 - Three nominations for alternate members are pending: Africa, Eastern Europe, UN Indigenous sociocultural region: (Central and South America and the Caribbean)
- FWG elected new co-chairs and vice chairs as follows: Ms. Hindou Oumarou Ibrahim (IP rep) and Mr. Thomas Cameron (Party rep) were elected as the new co-chairs of the FWG; Mr. Tuntiak Katan (IP rep) and Mr. Alick Bulala Muvundika (Party rep) were elected as the new vice co-chairs of FWG.

Agenda item 3: Reflection and discussion

- The FWG reflected on and discussed the approach the LCIPP will use for assessing the progress on current work plan and approach to draft 2nd 3-year workplan, priorities and benchmarks for success of LCIPP.

Agenda item 4: Considering progress on activities of the initial two-year workplan

- Activity 1 (Annual Meeting in Conjunction with COP): FWG agreed to review and approve Concept Note by **30 July 2021**, and to include inputs from FWG indigenous representatives from their respective regions for compilations 1 and 3, by **30 July 2021**. FWG asked the secretariat to explain the entry in the UNFCCC biennium budget related to the activity to facilitate its implementation, which the secretariat did.

- Activity 2 (Regional gatherings): FWG agreed to consider including regional gatherings and bring together people, including knowledge holders and their experiences in the draft second three-year workplan.
- Activity 3 (Information about indigenous peoples curricula and materials): FWG agreed to hold an informal call for relevant materials through LCIPP listserv. FWG acknowledged that a seminar with indigenous educators from across 7 UN sociocultural regions will be convened virtually. FWG members heard that there will be a launch webinar on July 29. FWG agreed to review and approve compilation of examples of indigenous curricula that can be replicated in other areas by **20 October 2021**. FWG agreed to continue working towards a shared understanding of co-production of knowledge, and to continue internal capacity building discussion.
- Activity 4 (annual thematic training workshops): FWG noted that a summary report with key themes and recommendations will be prepared. FWG will host a roundtable discussion featuring all webinar speakers to discuss findings in summary report (planned for September 2021). FWG agreed that the activity will collect materials concerning guidelines, protocols, principles, etc., for use of indigenous peoples knowledge on an ongoing basis. FWG agreed it would continue sharing recordings of training webinars as a resource via LCIPP Web portal.
- Activity 5 (Outreach/dissemination plan and thematic training materials): FWG agreed to review and approve thematic training materials by **30 July 2021**.
- Activity 6 (Engagement and input across the UNFCCC process): The FWG agreed on a no-objections basis for members to review Activity 6 (set of recommendations) intersessionally and approve on a no-objections basis for inclusion in the FWG5 report. The FWG agreed that the activity co-leads, with the support of the secretariat, will finalize the complementary guidance document intersessionally, considering relevant outputs from other activities including the compilations under activity 1.
- Activity 7 (Existing policies and practices for participation (under and outside the UNFCCC)): FWG agreed to review and approve draft technical paper by **30 July 2021**.
- Activity 8 (Multi-stakeholder in-session workshop): FWG agreed as planned to organize a multi-stakeholder dialogue in-session workshop during COP26, in coordination with Activity 1 (annual gathering, in Glasgow). FWG asked the secretariat to consider resource mobilization for the participation of indigenous peoples organizations towards full engagement considering diversity across regions.
- Activity 9 (Existing policies, actions and communications under the Convention): FWG agreed to consider findings of technical paper to inform Activity 6 recommendations. FWG agreed

to include considering updating the existing report as NDCs and NAPs as they become available, and build on this activity in the draft second three-year workplan.

- Activity 10 (Good practices for the participation of indigenous peoples and local communities in national climate policy): FWG agreed to review and approve summary document compiling information from submissions and in-session dialogue by **30 July 2021**.
- Activity 11 (Existing funding within the United Nations system, and additional funding opportunities, for participation): FWG agreed to utilize the synthesis document to inform future work. FWG agreed to organised informal discussion among members on finance related to the Activity 4. FWG mandated secretariat to organise a discussion between members and the financial institutions to discuss this matter.
- Activity 12 (Promotion of the LCIPP at the national and regional level): FWG agreed on a no-objections basis for members to amend the concept note of Activity 12. The amendment specifies that a survey will be the outreach modality to collect information on relevant good practices from UNFCCC National Focal Points, intergovernmental regional organizations, LCIPP contributors, and International Indigenous Peoples Forum on Climate Change (IIPFCC) members. FWG noted it would be desirable if the secretariat can translate the survey into languages like Spanish, French and Russian to make it easier for recipients to respond.

Agenda item 5: Development of draft 2nd 3-year workplan of the LCIPP

- FWG recalled that decision 2/CP.24 mandated the FWG to draft a second three-year workplan at this meeting and attach the draft workplan in an annex to the meeting report. The draft workplan will then be considered and endorsed in Glasgow.
- The FWG agreed to include recommendations from co-leads of activities under the initial two-year workplan as elements to be considered in the draft second three-year workplan.
- The FWG agreed to consider suggestions from contributors at FWG5 as elements to be considered in the draft second three-year workplan FWG will work intersessionally to streamline and prioritize these suggestions from FWG5.
- The FWG agreed to approve on a no-objections basis the draft introduction for the draft 2nd 3-year workplan intersessionally.

Agenda item 6. Enhancing the coherence of the actions of the Platform

- The FWG agreed to consider the ideas about collaboration with constituted bodies under the convention in its draft second three-year workplan. FWG asked the secretariat to

facilitate exchange in the future between FWG and other bodies/agencies to discuss opportunities for collaboration.

- The FWG agreed to consider the ideas about collaboration with UN agencies and other relevant partners in its draft second three-year workplan

Agenda item 7. Any other matters

- FWG agreed to request the secretariat to look for ways that interpretation could be made available at its mandated meetings and [unspecified] events in its draft second three-year workplan in English, Spanish, French, and Russian. FWG agreed to consider requesting translation of [unspecified] documents in its draft second three-year workplan in English, Spanish, French, and Russian. FWG agreed to reflect this decision in the FWG5 report, noting any decision that may be taken related to the content of the FWG5 report is subject to the availability of unearmarked supplementary resources.
- FWG agreed to discuss [terms of reference, the public-facing framing of the LCIPP in communications materials] at an intersessional informal meeting
- FWG agreed to consider nominating a gender focal point to serve as a point-person to help enhance the FWG's work on gender considerations, and to attend relevant meetings on gender mainstreaming under the Convention. This consideration was in response to In response to decision 3/CP.25, para 12 to progress towards integrating a gender perspective into UNFCCC constituted bodies.

Agenda item 8:

- FWG agreed to conduct its sixth meeting from 28 – 29 – 30 October in conjunction with the COP in Glasgow.
- FWG agreed on a no-objections basis on the timeline to finalize draft of the second three-year workplan by 10 August 2021: The FWG requests the secretariat to compile all elements of the draft second three-year workplan and share it with FWG members shortly after FWG5. The FWG will discuss the draft in their regions in July, and by the end of July will send their streamlined and prioritized revisions to the secretariat. In the first part of August, FWG may meet informally to agree by consensus and on a no-objections basis on the draft second three-year workplan. The secretariat will annex this to the FWG5 report before 9 August.