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Background paper by the Co-Chairs for items 6-11¹

I. Context

1. ExCom 17 (September 2022) adopted its second five-year rolling workplan (2023–2027) that contains 16 activities across five strategic workstreams (slow onset events, non-economic losses, comprehensive risk management, human mobility, and action and support) and 20 cross-cutting activities.

2. The workplan takes into account the Plans of Action of the five thematic expert groups of the ExCom, therefore the activities are not duplicative and their undertakings are synergistic across the workstreams.

3. The workplan also contains a placeholder for follow-up activities to be included in response to guidance by the COP/CMA. This placeholder enables the ExCom to respond to the evolving needs and concerns of developing countries vulnerable to the impacts of climate change and keep its activities compatible and current amid the progress in overall support architecture for loss and damage.

4. The table below provides an overview of the current status of the activities contained in the workplan and the linkages across activities (within ExCom's workplan and across plans of action of thematic expert groups). Where appropriate, possible issues for consideration at ExCom 19 are also included to facilitate the implementation of the activities.

II. Next steps

5. Noting the above, the ExCom may wish to consider the implementation status of activities of the workplan, and agree on the next steps accordingly, where appropriate, including by:

(a) Identifying which activities warrant a decision at ExCom 19 to achieve desired impacts in a timely manner;

- (b) Prioritizing the consideration of those activities;
- (c) Observing linkages across activities and agenda items;
- (d) Any needed adjustments to respond to emerging needs and evolving contexts;

(e) Providing guidance to its thematic expert groups as needed and where appropriate.

¹ The background paper covers all activities of the second <u>five-year rolling workplan</u>.

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1.	Organize a series of events and develop knowledge products to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the establishment of the WIM and its Executive Committee	 Invite other constituted bodies and expert groups to make contributions (for example, inputs to knowledge products and participation in events) as appropriate Launch an art competition, inviting relevant stakeholders for submissions of, for example, photographs, paintings and drawings depicting the impacts of climate change and solutions for averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage 	2023	ExCom 18 tasked an intersessional group of champions to 1) advance prep work to hold a photo exhibition to commemorate the WIM's 10 th anniversary at COP 28 based on the ' <i>implementation plan</i> ', and 2) identify and recommend HL speakers for the ExCom's event at COP 28.
				SB 58 side event launched the Photo entry with the deadline 30 Sep.
				ExCom 19 – agree on the next steps in organizing the annual outreach event and an event at COP 28
				Linked with activities 2, 4
2.	Foster public education and awareness-raising efforts at the regional, national and local level	ts at the Executive Committee each year and organize, with the thematic	2023 onward	For the 2023 outreach event, ExCom 18 decided to focus on commemorating the WIM 10 th anniversary
	with a view to enhancing knowledge and understanding of and building capacity in relation to	Committee as appropriate, annual outreach events targeting loss and damage contact points and other focal points under the UNFCCC, with a view to strengthening their capacity on loss and		Appoint additional champion members, as needed, to those carrying forward Activity 1
	loss and damage	damage, as appropriate		Appoint a new group of champions at ExCom
		• Participate in relevant regional and international events, dialogues and forums, as appropriate, including those organized by other constituted bodies		20 (Spring 2024) for the planning of 2024 annual outreach events
		• Maintain a calendar of relevant events and prioritize events with a view to participating in them, as appropriate		
3.	Explore modalities for communication with and among relevant stakeholders in relation to	• Update the Executive Committee communication strategy, as appropriate, to take into account the second five-year rolling workplan and the plans of action of the thematic expert groups	2023 onward	Primary modalities for communications with relevant actors have been through the networks of the members of the ExCom, its thematic expert groups, and the secretariat

Table 1: Implementation monitor for cross-cutting activities

	Description of the activities and outcomes to be delivered in the next five years (2023–2027)	Possible approaches for delivering associated deliverables, including a brief description of the related activities	Indicative time frame for implementation/ inception of work	Current status of activity Possible next steps/considerations at ExCom 19
	averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage	 Facilitate the preparation of a newsletter to update on the activities and outputs of the thematic expert groups Collaborate with entities that work on spatial data to create story 		team, the UNFCCC website and social media channels, ExCom and related events at COP/SB sessions.
		maps at the community, sector and country level focusing on the impacts of loss and damage and efforts to avert, minimize and		ExCom 8 (Sep 2018) adopted the ExCom communication strategy
		 address loss and damage Enhance an online presence (e.g. website) to provide information on the knowledge products and other activities of the thematic expert groups 		ExCom 19 – consider 1) the purpose, process/timeframe to develop an updated comm strategy; and 2) provide guidance to the secretariat on the frequency, modality, and target audience of a newsletter
4.	Produce, encourage or endorse the production of knowledge products,	Prioritize topics for knowledge productsIdentify the target audiences of knowledge products, including	2023 onward	ExCom 18 identified priority knowledge products contained in the PoAs
	such as policy briefs and case studies, and the sharing of best practices across workstreams to increase visibility of issues pertaining to loss and damage	policymakers, and encourage the use of tools such as infographics to make them more accessible		ExCom 19 – Identify what knowledge products (new or existing), if any, can support
		• Encourage and foster partnerships between the Executive Committee and the scientific community and other relevant partners		delivering Activity 1 this year Linked with Activity 1
	Enhance synergies among the thematic expert groups and facilitate their engagement, including, with a view to fostering the sharing of information and partnerships with relevant communities of practice relevant to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage	 Hold cross-thematic expert group meetings annually in conjunction with the regular meetings of the Executive Committee Invite thematic expert group members to contribute to the meetings of the Executive Committee, including under the standing agenda item on the science–policy nexus 	2023 onward	Cross-expert group meetings held between NELs and TFD in 2023
5.	Enhance engagement and partnerships with relevant constituted bodies	 Prepare and submit written inputs on loss and damage to support initiatives undertaken by other constituted bodies at the regional and international level, as appropriate Appoint members to liaise with and attend meetings of the constituted bodies 	2023 onward	Consider this activity in the context of activities that involve constituted bodies – i.e. Activities 1, 2, 7, 11, 16, 21, 25, 34, 36 List of liaison members to be updated, as needed

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		• Invite representatives of the constituted bodies to attend meetings of the Executive Committee		Constituted bodies are invited to attend regular meetings of ExCom
	Strengthen collaboration with the	• Share information through the liaison members		ExCom participated in two of the CGE's
	CGE	• Continue the engagement with the CGE, including with regard to the training materials developed by the CGE and outreach events	onward	regional hands-on training workshops on the ETF (Afrida and LAC) and plans to do so for the A-Pac workshop
	Facilitate joint work by expert groups on slow onset events and on action and support, TEG-CRM	• Explore the use of opportunities available under the NWP, such as the focal point forums, to identify common action areas to address knowledge gaps in relation to comprehensive climate risk	2023–2024	Linked with agenda items 7 (SOEs workstream), 9 (CRM workstream) and 11 (Action and Support workstream)
	and partner organizations of the NWP to promote the	management in developing countries and showcase associated good practices		ExCom champion members to the respective EGs can identify entry points for specific contributions by NWP partner organizations in implementing PoAs, as needed, and engage them, as appropriate, with the assistance of the secretariat
implementation of risk management approaches		• Invite partner organizations under the NWP to engage in thematic		
	Improve the Executive Committee's access to the expertise of relevant scientific and technical panels and bodies	Hold expert briefings, including by members of the thematic expert groups and IPCC authors as appropriate, to strengthen the science- policy interface	regular meetings of the Executive	ExCom regularly invites expert speakers at its regular meetings under a standing item on how the latest climate science can inform policymaking, and/or during thematic expert briefings held in the margins
			Committee	ExCom 18 identified two topics for future meetings. Accordingly, the WMO is invited to inform the ExCom on the science-policy nexus of the EW4All Initiative at ExCom 19
0.	Engage with the scientific community, including indigenous, traditional and local knowledge holders on information and data	• Inform the scientific community about knowledge and capacity gaps in relation to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage	2023 onward	Ideas to be fleshed out on ways to share information with the scientific community on the gaps, challenges, and needs related to implementing policies and action on loss and damage in developing country contexts

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	relating to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage	• Facilitate research on, and share good practices for, averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage, including through long-term risk assessments and risk communications		
11.	Engage those that are at the forefront of climate change, such	• Include in annual reports of the Executive Committee information on progress towards integrating a gender perspective into its work	2023 onward	Entry points for engaging those that are at the forefront of climate change to be identified
	as women, youth, indigenous peoples, local communities and	• Foster the collection, sharing, management and use of gender- disaggregated data		from activities of the ExCom's workplan and/or EGs' PoAs
	persons with disabilities	• Encourage the thematic expert groups to mainstream gender and other human rights perspectives in their plans of action		A possible entry point for collaboration with LCIPP FWG. FWG representative(s) plan to
		• Mainstream considerations relating to gender, youth, indigenous peoples, local communities and persons with disabilities in the work of the Executive Committee, in accordance with the gender action plan, the Action for Climate Empowerment work programme and the workplan of the Facilitative Working Group of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform		be present at ExCom 19 and could contribute to the deliberations
12.	Strengthen synergies with	• Appoint liaison members to lead this activity	2023 onward	ExCom 18 appointed liaison members
	instruments, processes and mechanisms of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Sendai Framework for Disaster	• Invite stakeholders relevant to, and organizations acting as custodians of, the Sustainable Development Goals and the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015–2030 to attend meetings of the Executive Committee, as appropriate		Possible processes are laid out in the workplan. In implementing the activity, ExCom benefits from having a common understanding of the substantive aim –
	Risk Reduction 2015–2030	• Invite or engage the stakeholders relevant to, and custodians of, the Sustainable Development Goals and the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015–2030 in outreach events organized by the Executive Committee		Exchange views on desired impacts from this activity on the delivery of the ExCom's workplan and/or EGs' PoAs
13.	Develop technical guides in collaboration with the thematic	• Prioritize and endorse topics for technical guides in order to guide the work of the thematic expert groups	2023 onward	Linked with agenda items 7–11 (workstreams on SOEs, NELs, CRM, human mobility, and
	expert groups, including sections on risk assessments, including	• Identify the target audience for the technical guides		Action & Support)
	long-term risk assessments, of	• Provide strategic guidance to the thematic expert groups		Work ongoing by the SOEs EG, NELs EG, TFD
	climate change impacts; approaches to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage associated with the	• Provide space to collaborate on technical guides at the annual cross-thematic expert group meetings		

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	risk assessments; resources available for supporting such approaches; and monitoring systems for assessing the effectiveness of these approaches			
gui pro	Promote and disseminate technical guides and other knowledge products, including those by	• Create an online presence (e.g. website) to provide information on the knowledge products and other activities of the thematic expert groups	2023 onward	To be considered at future ExCom meetings once technical guides have been finalized
	expert groups, to target audiences	• Use newsletters to capture information on the activities and outputs of the thematic expert groups		
15.	Facilitate capacity-building and training in relation to the application of technical guides and other knowledge products	• Present technical guides and knowledge products via virtual meetings	2024 onward	To be considered at ExCom 20 (Spring 2024) or future ExCom meetings once technical guides are published
		• Encourage the thematic expert groups to provide capacity- building in relation to the application of technical guides		
		• Organize events and webinars on the technical guides, including case studies detailing countries' experience of using them		
gaj and for ave ade	Compile information, identify gaps, and prepare guidance, tools and methodologies, as appropriate, for assessing needs related to cuarting minimizing and	• Encourage the thematic expert groups, relevant constituted bodies, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism and other partners, as appropriate, to identify, compile and prepare guidance, tools and methodologies	2023 onward	Possible processes are laid out in the workplan. Initial steps for implementing the activity could entail an initial exchange for fleshing out possible directions for undertaking the activity
	averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage at various levels	ssing loss and damage at methodologies into existing processes, such as the process to		 Define types of needs (e.g. information, data, practical tools, capacity, financial, etc.) for assessing averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage Usage of information compiled for assessing such needs Ways to identify gaps for assessing such

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17.	Develop tools for integrating information on averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage, and/or mainstream them in national planning and policymaking processes	Encourage countries to integrate approaches to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage into their national planning processes	2024 onward	To be considered at ExCom 20 (Spring 2024)
18.	Encourage relevant organizations, bodies, networks and experts to submit information on their	• Broadly publicize the cut-off date for submitting information, using the UNFCCC submission portal, for inclusion in the upcoming annual report of the Executive Committee	Annually	The UNFCCC Submission portal entry has been created. The cut-off date for inclusion in this year's ExCom report is 9 September
	progress in providing technical assistance to developing countries relevant to the Santiago network for inclusion in the annual report of the Executive Committee	• Review the information submitted and provide guidance to the secretariat in preparing the upcoming annual report, as appropriate		A draft report synthesizing the relevant information will be made available prior to the COP
19.	Prepare recommendations for inclusion in the annual report of the Executive Committee, derived from the work of the Executive Committee and that of the thematic expert groups	Consider, at the last meeting of each year, potential areas of recommendations on the basis of progress made and inputs from the thematic expert groups, and include them in the annual reports	Annually	Linked with item 14 of ExCom 19
20.	Evaluate progress in implementing the second five-year rolling workplan of the Executive Committee and the plans of action of the thematic expert groups	 Conduct a survey to assess the uptake of products developed by the Executive Committee and the thematic expert groups and to what extent they respond to the needs of developing countries Conduct a stocktake of activities implemented under the second five-year rolling workplan and the plans of action 	2024–2025	To be considered at ExCom 20 (Spring 2024) or future meetings in 2024–25

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21.	Facilitate continued collaboration with the	Extend an official invitation to strengthen collaboration	2023–2024	TEC plans to attend ExCom 19 to present its relevant ongoing/planned relevant work
	Technology Executive Committee to highlight nationally relevant technologies for averting, minimizing and addressing slow onset events in coastal zones			At ExCom $19 - 1$) consider a possible deliverable(s) to be delivered out of this activity; 2) explore jointly with the TEC reps way(s) for cross-fertilization of each other's (TEC, ExCom) work
22.	Increase awareness of and share information on slow onset events	 Update, and share information on, the <u>database of organizations working on slow onset events</u> Organize outreach events on slow onset events with a view to sharing information on, for example, integrating slow onset event considerations in national planning and policy responses Organize technical meetings and awareness raising sessions, in cooperation with the TEG-CRM and the expert group on slow onset events, on recovery and rehabilitation and permanent loss as a result of slow onset events 	2023 onward	At ExCom 19 – 1) consider how best to tie in the outreach events referred to in the ' <i>Possible approaches</i> ' column to the process envisaged by the SOEs EG to produce three thematic technical guides; 2) request experts of the SOEs EG and TEG-CRM to cross-review each others' PoAs to identify opportunities for technical meetings and awareness-raising sessions referred to in the ' <i>Possible approaches</i> ' column, and make proposals to the respective ExCom champions; 3) request the secretariat to continue update the database referred to in the ' <i>Possible approaches</i> ' column Linked with Activity 8, and item 11 (WS (c) on CRM

Table 2: Implementation monitor for strategic workstream (a) on enhancing facilitation and cooperation in relation to slow onset events

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23.	Cooperate with the expert group on non-economic losses to develop and periodically update the database on tools for assessing non-economic losses	Assist the expert group on non-economic losses in establishing and maintaining the database on tools for assessing non-economic losses, as appropriate	2024 onward	To be considered at future meeting(s)
24.	Facilitate collaboration between the expert group on non-economic losses and the TFD on developing a technical guide on non-economic losses in the context of human mobility	Provide specific direction for the technical guides and schedule joint meetings	2023 onward	A joint meeting of NELs EG and TFD took place to kick-start the development of the joint tech guide, and lead experts from both groups have been working together, [the draft outline was circulated on x date/is available under agenda item 8, for ExCom's endorsement]
				Collaboration to develop this tech guide is included in the PoAs of both NELs EG and TFD
				Linked with Activity 27
25.	Expand knowledge of the role of traditional knowledge in averting, minimizing and addressing non- economic losses	Invite the Facilitative Working Group of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform to explore ways of taking into account traditional knowledge in developing technical products and identifying good practices with regard to facilitating the participation of indigenous peoples in identifying non-economic losses	2023 onward	LCIPP FWG is invited to inform the deliberations at ExCom 19
26.	Facilitate the development of new partnerships with stakeholders engaged in work on non-economic	Invite relevant stakeholders to present their work to the Executive Committee on the basis of the mapping of potential partners, to be conducted by the	2023 onward	An initial survey administered under the NELs PoA i 2022 produced an inventory of 48 organizations that expressed interest in collaborating on NELs work
	losses	expert group on noneconomic losses		The survey was re-disseminated post-ExCom 18 and is available online to continue widening the pool of potential partner organizations

Table 3: Implementation monitor for strategic workstream (b) on enhancing facilitation and cooperation in relation to noneconomic losses

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27.	Engage relevant experts to collect and disseminate information on methodologies for integrating long-term risk assessments, including those associated with the quantification of risks, into comprehensive climate risk management approaches, including national and subnational assessment and planning processes	 Cooperate with the TEG-CRM Increase visibility and use of the UNDRR technical guidance on comprehensive risk assessment and planning, by including a link on the loss and damage parts of the UNFCCC website Engage practitioners and decision-makers in undertaking comprehensive risk assessments and planning in the context of climate change 	2023 onward	Linked with the technical guides mandate (Activity 13), which includes a section on long-term risk assessment, and with Activity 16, among other activities UNDRR tech guidance and other knowledge products catalyzed by the TEG-CRM PoA 1 are available on ExCom's CRM workstream webpage At ExCom 19 – consider how best to tie in this activity with the EGs' processes/plans to develop respective technical guides
28.	Maintain and promote the Fiji Clearing House for Risk Transfer	Cooperate with relevant partners to identify ways to improve the Fiji Clearing House for Risk Transfer for stakeholders	2023 onward	Fiji CH was launched at COP 23. Its interactive part, Risk Talk, which was developed and maintained by the Fiji CH partner, InsuResilience Secretariat, ceased its service in 2022.
29.	Update and promote the WIM compendium on comprehensive risk management approaches ²	 Collaborate with the TEG-CRM to periodically update the compendium to include new and emerging information on good practices and use of tools, including technical guides, in relation to comprehensive risk management approaches Obtain feedback on the compendium from other thematic expert groups 	2024	The current Compendium was published in 2019 At ExCom 19 – agree on the roadmap to update the compendium, with a view to making available a final version in 2024. See the CRM champions' note

Table 4: Implementation monitor for strategic workstream (c) on enhancing facilitation and cooperation in relation to comprehensive risk management

² https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/FINAL_AA3_Compendium_September_2019%28revised%29.pdf

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80.	Facilitate and support collaboration between the expert group on non-economic losses and the TFD on developing a technical guide on noneconomic	Provide specific direction for the development of the technical guide and schedule joint meetings	2023	A joint meeting of NELs EG and TFD took place to kick-start the development of the joint tech guide, lead experts from both groups have been working together, [the draft outline was circulated on x date/is available under agenda item 8, for ExCom's endorsement]
	losses in the context of human mobility			Collaboration to develop this tech guide is included in the PoAs of both NELs EG and TFD
				Linked with Activity 24
51.	Increase visibility and use of the recommendations on integrated approaches ³	 Promote the recommendations on the UNFCCC website and among relevant partners and stakeholders Collaborate with the TFD on its communication and outreach 	2023 onward	The TFD PoA implements this activity directly. TFD briefing is planned for 20 Sep in the margin of ExCon 19 to consult ExCom members for guidance on ways which ExCom can further facilitate TFD work

Table 5: Implementation monitor for strategic workstream (d) on enhancing facilitation and cooperation in relation to human mobility

³ Decision 10/CP.24, annex

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Activity 1umber	ourcomes to be derivered (2025	Possible approaches for delivering associated deliverables, including a brief description of the related activities, as contained in the workplan	Indicative time frame for implementation/ inception of work	Current status of activity Possible next steps/considerations at ExCom 19
32.	Strengthen collaboration with the GCF, including with a view to clarifying how developing country Parties may access funding for developing funding proposals related to the strategic workstreams of the five-year rolling workplan, and include information thereon in the annual reports of the Executive Committee	Extend an invitation to the GCF to strengthen collaboration	2023 onward	The GCF secretariat presented their relevant work at ExCom 18, and ExCom welcomed their offer for follow- up informal session(s) Linked with Activity 34
3.	Initiate collaboration with the GEF	Extend an invitation to collaborate with the GEF	2023	The GEF secretariat presented their relevant work at ExCom 18, and ExCom welcomed their offer for follow- up informal session(s)
				Linked with Activity 34
34.	Strengthen collaboration with the SCF	Consider the input prepared by the expert group on action and support and submit it to the SCF for consideration in preparing its draft guidance for the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism	Annually	SCF provided an update on its relevant work at ExCom 18. Invitation sent to SCF, along with other CBs, to attend ExCom 19 to inform the meeting with its relevant current work
				ExCom is invited by the SCF to submit its input on the draft guidance to GCF and/or GEF. [ASEG champions, as per its PoA Activity a.1, are preparing draft input which was circulated to members on x date] At ExCom 19 – consider and adopt ASEG's proposal and submit it to the SCF

Table 6: Implementation monitor for strategic workstream (e) on enhancing facilitation and cooperation in relation to action and support

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35.	Cooperate with the SBI on organizing the Glasgow Dialogue	 Invite the SBI Chair to share the information with the Executive Committee on its progress in preparing for the Glasgow Dialogue Establish a group of champions to provide input for consideration by the Executive Committee 	Until SB60	ExCom 17 established a group of champions; ExCom 18 invited the SBI Chair, Champions held a follow-up meeting with the SBI Chair and produced a draft input of ExCom, which subsequently was submitted by ExCom. Input included suggested themes, guiding questions, and speakers for the 2nd Glasgow Dialogue (GD2)
				At GD2, the Co-Chairs provided opening remarks and the ExCom presented its ongoing and upcoming technical work during the scene-setting session
				The next group of champions to be established at ExCom 20 in time to prepare for GD3
36.	Explore possible areas of collaboration with the PCCB	 Encourage the liaison member to participate in the informal coordination group of the PCCB Extend an official invitation to the Co-Chairs of the PCCB to explore how to advance joint work on capacity-building in relation to loss and damage 		ExCom 18 decided to respond to the PCCB's call for submissions on ' <i>Capacity-building support for</i> <i>adaptation, with a focus on addressing gaps and needs</i> <i>related to formulating and implementing national</i> <i>adaptation plans</i> ', and adopted the input, which was subsequently submitted to PCCB Currently, the liaison member for the Non-Annex I constituency is vacant. At ExCom 19 – designate a NA1 liaison member

Note: The rolling workplan also contains a placeholder for the ExCom to include follow-up activities.