

Norway's submitted intervention to the GST closing plenary 13th of June

The Global Stocktake must deliver a credible response to the huge ambition and implementation gap. The milestones provided by science and that have come forward through the technical dialogues must now be used to create roadmaps for system-transformation in all areas keeping 1,5 within reach and ensuring a climate resilient future for all.

Our expectations for the third Technical Dialogue were to give input to the emerging messages and to answer the question of “what’s next?”. We also wanted an inclusive process for all stakeholders.

The third Technical Dialogue has lived up to our expectations by being highly inclusive and given fruitful input with the aim to improve the emerging messages.

We want to express our sincere gratitude to our co-facilitators Farhan and Harold for their able guidance and support throughout the technical dialogues. We appreciate your efforts and hard work through three well-prepared technical dialogues. We wish you all the best with your last deliveries from the technical assessment phase. You have our full support.

We must now start harvesting from the technical dialogues – building a momentum for standing together to provide the motivation and courage it takes meet the challenges we are facing.

As Australia has mentioned, pre-2020 action is not an explicit part of the GST mandate. Since it already has been mentioned by parties several times, we support that Australia gave nuanced perspectives to the issue.

As we are moving towards COP 28, we look forward to engaging in scoping out a robust roadmap with concrete milestones in all areas.

Finally, we believe that up to COP 28 momentum needs also to build at political level. We therefore also look forward hear from the high-level committee on their plans and appreciate a transparent approach where we are informed and consulted at the different stages of the planning process.

Thank you.