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MESSAGE TO CONSTITUENCIES OF ADMITTED NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Forty-first Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance

23 to 25 September 2026
Sydney, Australia

I am pleased to inform constituencies of admitted non-governmental organizations (NGOs) that the **Forty-first Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance** (SCF 41) will take place **from 23 to 25 September 2026** in Sydney, Australia. The meeting will be co-hosted by the Government of Australia in partnership with the Pacific Island countries and the Philippines.

The provisional agenda for SCF 41 and any additional documents will be uploaded to the [SCF 41 meeting webpage](#) prior to the meeting.

NGO observer nominations should be communicated to the secretariat by the [NGO constituency focal points](#) (CFPs). Representatives of admitted NGOs nominated by CFPs must register using the online registration form, which will be communicated to the nominated participants. Kindly note that, owing to the limited capacity of the venue, a maximum of **two representatives per constituency** will be permitted to participate in-person. CFPs are requested to submit their nomination list via cool@unfccc.int no later than **Monday, 10 August 2026**.

Additional observers may participate virtually. The deadline for registration for virtual participation through the CFPs is **Friday, 4 September 2026**.

Further details relevant to both in-person and virtual participation in the meeting will be communicated directly to the registered participants. In view of the need to confirm arrangements for the meeting as early as possible, registrations received after the above-mentioned deadlines may not be processed. The meeting will also be broadcast live for those who cannot be nominated for either one of the two modalities above, so that they can follow the meeting. The webcast link will be made available on the SCF meeting webpage.

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In accordance with decision [23/CP.18](#) and with a view to informing more effective climate change policy that addresses the need to promote gender balance, observers are encouraged to nominate women as participants.

For further information on the meeting, please contact standingcommittee@unfccc.int.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed by)

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