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**MESSAGE FROM THE CO-CHAIRS OF THE AD HOC WORK PROGRAMME ON  
THE NEW COLLECTIVE QUANTIFIED GOAL ON CLIMATE FINANCE**

**Ninth technical expert dialogue and first meeting under the ad hoc work programme on  
the new collective quantified goal on climate finance**

**23–26 April 2024**

I am pleased to transmit to constituencies of admitted non-governmental organizations (NGOs) the message from the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance contained in the annex.

Yours sincerely,

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**Distribution:** To constituency focal points of non-governmental organizations admitted as observers by the Conference of the Parties.



## Annex

### **Message from the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance**

Dear colleagues,

We would like to:

- Notify constituencies of admitted NGOs to the location, date and registration details for the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme;
- Invite submissions on the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme.

#### **1. Ninth Technical Expert Dialogue and first meeting under the ad hoc work programme**

As you recall, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA) at its third session established the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance (NCQG) for 2022–2024.<sup>1</sup> We are honoured that the President of CMA 5 reappointed us to co-chair the ad hoc work programme in 2024 and thank him and Parties for entrusting us with this role.<sup>2</sup>

As the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme, we have been requested by the CMA to conduct at least **three meetings** under the ad hoc work programme this year, back-to-back with at least **three technical expert dialogues**, with one dialogue to take place in advance of the sixtieth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2024), one in conjunction with those sessions and one well before CMA 6. Two of the dialogues should be organized in separate regions with a view to facilitating inclusive and balanced geographical participation.

We are pleased to notify constituencies of admitted NGOs to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement, that the **ninth technical expert dialogue** and the **first meeting under the ad hoc work programme** will be held from **23 to 26 April 2024**, in **Cartagena, Colombia**. Further details, including the provisional programme will be made available in due course at <https://unfccc.int/NCQG>.

#### **Nomination and registration details**

Representatives of admitted NGOs nominated by constituency focal points must register for the dialogue using the online registration form, which will be communicated to the nominated participants. Kindly note that, owing to the limited capacity of the venue, only **two representatives per constituency**

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 9/CMA.3.

<sup>2</sup> <https://unfccc.int/documents/636800>.



will be permitted to participate **in person**. Constituency focal points are requested to submit their nomination list no later than **Wednesday, 20 March 2024** via [cool@unfccc.int](mailto:cool@unfccc.int).

All other interested observers may participate virtually. The deadline for **registration for virtual participation** through the constituency focal points is **Monday, 8 April 2024**. In view of the need to confirm arrangements for the dialogue and the meeting under the ad hoc work programme as early as possible, registrations received after the above-mentioned deadlines may not be processed.

Please be informed that onsite and virtual participation in the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme will be guided by the draft rules of procedure of the Conference of the Parties and its subsidiary bodies,<sup>3</sup> with a view to facilitating it in an open-ended, inclusive and Party-driven manner open to observers.

Further details relevant to in-person and virtual participation in both events will be communicated directly to the registered participants.

## **2. Submissions on the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme**

In addition, as mandated in paragraph 14 of the decision entitled “New collective quantified goal on climate finance” adopted under agenda item 10(e) of CMA 5, we invite Parties, constituted bodies under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, climate finance institutions, Observers and Observer organizations, and other stakeholders, including from the private sector, to submit their views on the ninth technical expert dialogue via the submission portal<sup>4</sup> by **Friday, 29 March 2024**. Early submissions would allow for the wide participation of relevant stakeholders, including relevant experts. In these submissions, we encourage Parties and other stakeholders to share ideas on what should be discussed at the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme, and through what format.

Finally, we would like to emphasize our intention to undertake the ad hoc work programme in an open, inclusive and transparent manner and look forward to working with all Parties and non-Party stakeholders in a fruitful and constructive spirit as we did last year. Accordingly, we can be reached at [ncqg@unfccc.int](mailto:ncqg@unfccc.int) for any matters relating to the ad hoc work programme.

Yours sincerely,

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<sup>3</sup> FCCC/CP/1996/2.

<sup>4</sup> <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.