

**Informal note by co-facilitators  
on**

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**Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme referred to in  
decision 4/CMA.4**

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**I. Mandate and scope**

- Recalling decision 4/CMA.4
- Reaffirming paragraphs 1–3 of decision 4/CMA.4
- Reaffirming the nationally determined nature of nationally determined contributions
- Highlighting that the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme should complement the global stocktake

**II. High-level messages** {Some Parties expressed that discussions under this agenda item should not duplicate deliberations under the GST agenda item, while other Parties mentioned the following messages with the understanding that many are currently being discussed under the GST}

- Urgency of scaling up mitigation ambition and implementation in this critical decade
- Importance of the best available science
- IPCC findings, including the need to reach peaking of global emissions well before 2025, reduce emissions by 43 per cent by 2030 relative to the 2019 level and achieve net zero emissions by 2050 in order to limit the global temperature increase to 1.5 degrees Celsius
- Equity and common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, in the light of different national circumstances
- The need for enhanced support on finance, technology cooperation and capacity-building, and the need for international cooperation
- Key messages with regard to the just energy transition, including renewable energies, energy efficiency, energy grids, fossil fuels, fossil fuel subsidies, and forests and methane
- GST decision on next NDCs

**III. Reflection of global dialogues and investment-focused events this year**

- Welcomes the appointment of Amr Osama Abdel-Aziz and Lola Vallejo as the co-chairs of the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme for 2023–2024
- Welcomes the two global dialogues and investment-focused events held under the work programme in 2023

- Expresses appreciation to the Government of the United Arab Emirates for hosting the second global dialogue and investment-focused event under the work programme in 2023
- Welcomes the focused exchange of views, information and ideas amongst participants during the global dialogues on the topic of accelerating the just energy transition
- Welcomes the annual report under the work programme
- Reflections on key findings, opportunities and barriers summarized in the annual report, including in relation to renewable energy, grid and energy storage, carbon capture and utilization and carbon capture and storage, energy efficiency, deploying and shifting to collective and non-motorized modes of transport, energy and resource efficiency in the transport sector, electrification of vehicles and shifting to low- or zero-carbon fuels, as well as the information in the annual report on associated policies and measures, financing issues, technology and capacity, and sustainable development and socioeconomic impacts
- Identification of actionable solutions
- Send messages relevant for implementation

#### **IV. Way forward**

- More interactive engagement with and participation of policymakers, practitioners, experts, local governments and representatives of initiatives relevant to the topic and industry, particularly from developing countries
  - More inclusive participation, including through virtual means, and improved regional balance of presenters and resource persons at the global dialogues
  - Enhanced cooperation with the high-level champions
  - Earlier announcement of date, venue and agenda of the global dialogues and investment focused events, and earlier publication of annual report
  - Improved annual report, including by representing all views in a comprehensive manner, by including key messages on the topics
  - Address different aspects of the energy transition next year
  - Address different topics next year
  - Preparation of a Technical paper
  - Organize additional dialogues with inclusive representation
  - Organize regional dialogues in conjunction with existing events, including potential use or association with regional climate weeks
  - Organize a workshop to consider progress in implementing nationally determined contributions
  - Strengthen link to annual high-level ministerial round table on pre-2030 ambition
  - Follow-up process/implementation tool for global stocktake
  - Follow up on previous CMA decisions
  - Improve the matchmaking under the Investment Focused Event
  - Focus Investment Focused Event on unlocking finance
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