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- SCF considered the draft workplan for delivering the mandated technical reports in 2028 and provided feedback;
- SCF agreed to appoint co-facilitators for the mandated reports in 2028;
  - Third Needs Determination Report; Tamim and Vicky
  - Eighth BA; Karima and Diann
  - Fourth progress report on the USD 100 billion progress report, and Second report on the doubling of adaptation finance; Martin and Lando
  - First biennial NCQG progress report; Apollonia and Elena

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Next steps:

- SCF agreed to request the co-facilitators to initiate the preparation of the reports using the draft workplan as the basis for starting the work, to be updated as the preparation of the reports evolves, as well as feedback received from members at SCF 41.
- SCF agreed to request the secretariat, under the guidance of the Co-Chairs, to prepare a guidebook on operational working modalities and practices of the work of the SCF.

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Agenda item 4: Seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows

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- SCF finalized the technical report on the seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows and its executive summary [including recommendations]

Next step:

- The SCF will include the executive summary [including recommendations]as an addendum to its annual report to COP 31 and CMA 8 for Parties' consideration. The technical report and the executive summary will be published also on the SCF website.

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Agenda item 5: Third report on progress towards achieving the goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation

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- SCF finalized the third technical report on progress towards achieving the goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation and its executive summary including recommendations

Next step:

- The SCF will include the executive summary including recommendations as an addendum to its annual report to COP 31 and CMA 8 for Parties' consideration. The technical report and executive summary will be published on the SCF website.

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Agenda item 6: 2026 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance

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The SCF agreed:

To prepare the summary report of the 2026 SCF Forum intersessionally, under the guidance of the co-facilitators, for consideration and adoption by the SCF.

Next steps:

The summary report will be included as an addendum to the annual report of the SCF to the COP and the CMA for consideration at COP 31 and CMA 8 and will be published on the SCF web page.

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Agenda item 7: Draft guidance to the Operating Entities of the Financial Mechanism

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SCF agreed:

1. To submit to the COP and CMA the thematically clustered submissions, together with an explanatory note, as the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism.
2. To continue to enhance its working modalities for preparing the draft guidance, in accordance with decision 2/CP.17, para 121 (c).
3. To request the secretariat to identify opportunities to communicate and enhance the visibility of the tools among Parties and other stakeholders for consideration by the SCF.

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Agenda item 11: Dates and venues of future meetings

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- **SCF 42**:
  - **15 to 17 February 2027**, Bonn, Germany
- **SCF 43**
  - **21 to 23 June 2027**, after SB 66 and a weekend break.
- **SCF 44**
  - **29 September – 1 October 2027**, after the **2027 SCF Forum (27 – 28 September).**