

Overview of the submissions on matters and modalities for work under the Baku Adaptation Road Map

Climate Week 2 - Consultations on advancing matters relating to GGA for a successful COP30

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1 Background and mandate

➔ **Paragraph 38 of decision 2/CMA.5** requested the SBI and the SBSTA to initiate consideration of matters relating to the GGA at SB60, taking into account ongoing processes under relevant agenda items and workstreams and drawing on inputs from Parties, observers, the secretariat and relevant constituted bodies, with a view to providing recommendations for consideration and adoption by the CMA focusing on, inter alia:

- a) The exchange of knowledge, experience and information related to implementing the United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience
- b) The identification of potential inputs to future global stocktakes related to achieving the global goal on adaptation
- c) The enhancement of understanding of, inter alia, the risks and impacts associated with different temperature increases across different regions;
- d) The opportunities for building on the best available science, including collaboration with the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and other organizations, to provide information relevant to facilitating implementation of the United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience
- e) The development of terms of reference for reviewing the United Arab Emirates Framework.

➔ **Paragraph 29 of decision 3/CMA.6** decided to launch the **Baku Adaptation Road Map** to advance progress in line with Article 7, paragraph 1, of the Paris Agreement and support the implementation of the elements outlined in paragraph 38 of decision 2/CMA.5, and requests the subsidiary bodies to develop modalities for work under the Road Map

➔ **Parties were invited to submit views** on matters and on the modalities for work under the Baku Adaptation Road Map (3/CMA.6, paragraph 32) by 31 March 2025.

20 submissions had been received from Parties and Groups of Parties.



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2.1 What

Promote progress toward the GGA by enhancing the profile and coherence of adaptation efforts

BAR seen as a coordination and knowledge hub

Structured space for furthering progress on the elements under the GGA and linked to UAE Framework

Should be implementation-focused, ensure justice and equity, with measurable targets, and adhere to CBDR

BAR should drive implementation of the UAE Framework and be aligned with Article 7.1 and para 38

address the remaining issues under paragraph 38 of decision 2/CMA.5

Complement ongoing work, avoid duplication and build on existing mandates, including transformational adaptation

Follow up process for UAE–Belém Work Programme

Prioritize the needs of vulnerable groups, including children and youth, and integrate gender-disaggregated and context-sensitive knowledge sharing

A roadmap that ensure that developing countries have access to MOI including finance, technology, and capacity-building



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2.2 HOW

Use existing bodies (AC, LEG, NWP, CGE) to avoid duplication and fragmentation

*Proposed new bodies:
Baku Adaptation Task Force, IPCC task force on adaptation, NAPs Partnership*

Establish a dedicated technical process/work programme under the BAR to implement UAE–Belém outcomes and organise workshops, expert meetings, technical support sessions

Promote exchange through platforms like the NAP Expo, regional workshops, and implementation support programmes, sharing case studies



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2.2 Modalities on knowledge sharing – para 38 (a)

*Leverage
AC, NWP*

*Engage diverse
stakeholders,
including Indigenous
Peoples, local
communities, women,
youth, private sector,
and scientific networks*

*Structured
mechanisms for
exchanging
knowledge and
regular regional
dialogues*

*UNFCCC-
hosted
portal on
state of
adaptation*

*workshops,
expert
meetings,
technical
support
sessions*

*Gender-
disaggregated,
context-
sensitive
sharing; South-
South
cooperation*

*A series of technical
papers on all
adaptation
approaches and
solutions, and
enhancing the
adaptation
components of
existing reporting
mechanisms*



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2.2 Modalities on inputs to GST – para 38 (b)

No new elements; use BTRs and UAE Framework

Targets from the UAE GGA Framework can guide assessments under GST. Suggest a CMA7 decision confirming these linkages and guiding future assessments

Country-driven inputs via BTRs; supported by AC/LEG

GGA should guide GST, not be absorbed into it. Recommend joint GGA-GST workshop to inform 2nd GST

Development of “global goal on adaptation progress information table(s)” to capture the global progress of targets, integrating information from the GGA progress through the indicators in in BTRs and AdComms



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2.2

Modalities on enhancing understanding of the risks and impacts associated with different temp increases/regions– para 38 (c)

NWP and AC to hold dialogues and undertake complementary work

Enhance NWP's mandate and using global modelling platforms to deepen understanding

A series of technical papers on the risks of different temperature increases across regions and methodologies to assess progress towards adapting to the impacts of the temperature goal

Utilizing the existing analysis and approaches countries use to assess climate risks and impacts

Regular reporting and review cycles to track adaptation gaps and responses

"Risk literacy," and development of guidance tools that support country effort

Technical paper on climate risks at different warming levels, with methodologies, regional examples, and national assessments. Jointly produced by Secretariat and IPCC



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2.2 Modalities on the use of best available science & collaboration with IPCC – para 38 (d)

Current arrangements (e.g., IPCC, NWP, AC) are fit for purpose and should continue providing inputs in line with CMA decisions

Discussions on indicators and methodologies should be limited to the UAE-Belém work programme to avoid confusion, recognize the AC and LEG's existing work on adaptation capacity gaps in developing

Collaboration with researchers, policymakers, and practitioners to identify technological and financial gaps in adaptation efforts

IPCC to create a Taskforce on Adaptation to develop methodologies for indicators in the UAE Framework

Emphasize evidence-based approaches, including IPCC, Indigenous knowledge, and LCIPP inputs to the adaptation agenda

Requests the Secretariat to produce technical papers on: an overview of all adaptation approaches.; Methodologies to assess progress toward Paris temperature goal; Enhancing adaptation components within existing reporting mechanisms under the UNFCCC

Collaboration between GGA and RSO. Establish a dedicated mutual scientific cooperation mechanism between the GGA and relevant scientific communities



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2.2 Mandate on TOR for the review of the framework- para 38 (e)

Para 38 of 3/CMA.6

*Decides to undertake the review of the United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience **after the second global stocktake** and to initiate consideration of the terms of reference for the review **after the completion of the United Arab Emirates–Belém work programme;***



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2.2 *Timeline*

Focus on concluding ongoing workstreams before launching the BAR to foster broad-based participation and active engagement from all parties

Three phases: initial implementation (2025–2028), monitoring and review (2028–2029), refinement and long-term integration (2029 onwards) (LMDC, arabs)

Periodic reviews to assess gaps; include GST/AC feedback

Recommendations based on the results of the review of UAE Framework could be considered and adopted at CMA13 in 2031, and that the BAR should be concluded with the adoption of the decision at CMA13.

Thank you