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Matters relating to the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures serving the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement

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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chairs

1. The Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) convened a meeting of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures (hereinafter referred to as the forum) in accordance with decisions 7/CP.24, 3/CMP.14, 7/CMA.1, 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15 and 4/CMA.2.
2. The SBSTA and the SBI considered the annual report of the Katowice Committee of Experts on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures (KCI) for 2020-2021, on exceptional basis before considering the 2019, 2020 reports,¹ with a view to making recommendations and considerations contained therein, and forward the recommendations to the COP, the CMP and the CMA .
3. The SBSTA and the SBI considered the technical discussions held during the informal events in 2020 and 2021² organized by the Chairs of the SBSTA and the SBI as initial-an input to the implementation of activities number 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the workplan of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures and its KCI (hereinafter referred to as the workplan)³.
4. The SBSTA and the SBI, while recognizing the work conducted in virtual settings, underscore the challenges experienced in participating in virtual ~~informal and technical expert meetings settings~~ in 2020 and 2021.
5. recalling 7.cma1 para 10, The SBSTA and SBI invite Parties and observers to submit by April 2022 their views on the midterm review of the workplan of the forum and its KCI⁴ and request the secretariat to prepare ~~a synthesis report~~ a summary based on the submissions with a view to informing Parties' discussion on the midterm review of the workplan ~~starting at~~ at will take place at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2022)⁵.
6. **The SBSTA and SBI request the forum and its KCI to submit a compilation of submissions by Parties] by February 2022, with the assistance of the secretariat, as inputs to the global stocktake technical assessment that starts at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2022)⁶**
7. The SBSTA and the SBI, having considered the implementation of the workplan by the forum and its KCI, recommended a draft decision on this matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-sixth session, Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol at its sixteenth session and Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement at its third session.

¹ Document KCI/2021/4/8

² Decision 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15, 4/CMA.2

³ <https://unfccc.int/topics/mitigation/workstreams/response-measures/workshops-and-events>

⁴ ~~Decision 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15, 4/CMA.2~~

⁵ Pursuant to decision 19/CMA.1, para. 24.

⁶ Pursuant to decision 19/CMA.1, para. 24.

Draft decision -/CP.26
Draft decision -/CMP.16
Draft decision -/CMA.3

Matters relating to the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures

The Conference of the Parties, Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol, Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement

Recalling decisions 7/CP.24, 3/CMP.14, 7/CMA.1, 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15 and 4/CMA.2,

1. **Welcomes** the annual report of the Katowice Committee of Experts on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures (KCI) for 2020–2021^{7,8} and its progress in supporting the work of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures;
2. **Welcomes** the informal event and technical expert meetings in 2020 and 2021⁹ organized by the Chairs of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) serving as preliminary-an input to the forum’s work on implementing the forum and its KCI workplan;
3. **Welcomes** the progress made by the KCI in implementing relevant activities of the workplan of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures and its Katowice Committee of Experts on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures (hereinafter referred to as the workplan)¹⁰;
4. **Notes** the limited progress on the implementation of the functions of the forum and certain activities of the workplan by the forum, taking into account the inability to convene in person due to exceptional circumstances, and **requests** the secretariat to hold a meeting in conjunction with SB 56 to further advance the implementation of activities number ~~4~~, 3, 4 and 11;
5. **Requests** the forum to [consider] the [other outstanding] annual report except for the KCI 2020-2021 annual report, including the recommendations and considerations contained therein, at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2022) with a view to providing recommendations for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement at their next sessions;
6. Welcomes the recommendations and/or key findings in the KCI meeting report as applicable for consideration for the forum on the workplan activities, and aadopts the following recommendations as applicable forwarded by the forum on the 2020-2021 annual report of the KCI pertaining to the following activities of the workplan:
 - (a) Activity number 1: Explore approaches to informing the development and implementation of climate change mitigation strategies, plans, policies and programmes, including nationally determined contributions and/or long-term low greenhouse gas emission development strategies, that maximize the positive and minimize the negative impacts of response measures;
 - (i) Encourage Parties to engage relevant stakeholders at each step of the process of designing and implementing climate mitigation policies and policies to achieve

⁷ Document KCI/2021/4/8

⁸ Pursuant to decision 7/CMA.1, para. 5 and annex, para.4(j)

⁹ <https://unfccc.int/topics/mitigation/workstreams/response-measures/workshops-and-events>

¹⁰ Decision 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15, 4/CMA.2

sustainable development including through social dialogue, when possible and subject to national circumstances. The relevant stakeholders, among others, include workers, employers, organizations, academia, public and private sectors, women, and civil society;

(ii) Encourage Parties to explore complementary policies, such as economic policies, social protection, and labour policies, to help strengthen the outcomes of the implementation of mitigation strategies, plans, policies and programmes including nationally determined contributions and low-emission development strategies;

(iii) Encourage Parties to strengthen international and regional cooperation as it contributes towards planning and implementation of mitigation policies with environmental and socio-economic benefits. For example, to help facilitate technology development and transfer in accordance with article 10 of the Paris Agreement, and strive towards harmonized regional approaches;

(iv) Encourage Parties to use existing qualitative and quantitative assessment methodologies and tools to understand social, economic and employment effects of proposed mitigation measures as a way to inform and guide climate policies and to maximize the positive and minimize the negative effects of the implementation of response measures. More analysis of impacts, including, inter alia, sectoral, national, sub-national, domestic, and cross border, would be useful for informing climate policies and understanding how to maximize the positive and minimize the negative effects of the implementation of response measures;

(v) Encourage the forum and its KCI to enhance the capacity of Parties, particularly developing country Parties, through training and capacity building efforts, including the existing initiatives. This will enable Parties to carry out their own assessments and analyses of the impacts of response measures;

5. Requests the secretariat to organize a regional workshop for activity 3 of the workplan before SB56 in collaboration with other relevant organizations, addressing regional needs and acknowledging the work that is being carried by the KCI; and agreed that any further regional workshop on activity 3 may be decided by the forum.

~~Further requests the secretariat to organize regional workshops for activity 3 of the workplan addressing the needs and gaps of the regions, and building on the work which has been carried out by the KCI, before SB 56 in collaboration with other relevant organizations;~~

~~5.~~

5. Request the ~~forum and its KCI~~secretariat to submit compilation of input reflecting the work of the forum, and the KCI to prepare input the work of the KCI, and compilations of a compilation of submissions by Parties, es

~~-by February 2022, with the assistance of the secretariat, -as inputs to the global stocktake technical assessment that starts at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2022)~~

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Recalling paragraph 24 of decision 19/CMA.1, the forum requested the secretariat, [with the guidance of the KCI,] to submit a synthesis report by February 2022, as an input to the global stocktake technical assessment that starts at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2022), consisting of:

1- a compilation of submissions by Parties and

2- an input on the forum relevant work,

3- An input by the KCI reflecting its relevant work

¹¹ Pursuant to decision 19/CMA.1, para. 24.

[Recalling paragraph 19, 24 and 26 of decision 19/CMA.1, the forum requested the secretariat, to submit an input to the global stocktake technical assessment that starts at the fifty-sixth sessions of the subsidiary bodies \(June 2022\) consisting of the compilation of submissions by parties, and a synthesis report by February 2022, with the guidance of the KCI as an input, consisting of:](#)

- [1- an input on the forum relevant work,](#)
- [2- an input by the KCI reflecting its relevant work](#)

Annex II

Revised rules of procedure of the Katowice Committee of Experts on the Impacts of the Implementation of Response Measures

[copied from the annual report]

Document information

| <i>Version</i> | <i>Description</i> |
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| Version 2 | Revision of paragraph 7 and addition of paragraph 11 |
| Version 1 | Adopted by decisions 4/CP.25, 4/CMA.15 and 4/CMA.2 |