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Technology implementation programme

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

Recalling Article[s] 10 [and 13] of the Paris Agreement,

[Also recalling Article 4 of the Convention,]

Reaffirming the fundamental role of technology development and transfer, endogenous technologies and innovation in facilitating urgent adaptation and mitigation action aligned with achieving the goals of the Paris Agreement and sustainable development,

Recalling decision 1/CMA.5, paragraph[s] 110 [and 186],

Recalling the challenges identified in the first periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism, referred to in paragraph 69 of decision 1/CP.21,¹

1. *Confirms* that the objectives of the technology implementation programme, supported by, inter alia, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, are to strengthen support for the implementation of technology priorities identified by developing countries and address the challenges identified in the first periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism;

Ibis. [Agrees that relevant outcomes of the first global stocktake will be integrated into work under the technology implementation programme;²]

2. *Affirms* that the technology priorities referred to in paragraph 1 above include priorities identified as a result of technical assistance provided by the Climate Technology Centre and Network, and technology priorities identified by developing countries in their technology needs assessments and technology action plans, biennial transparency reports, national adaptation plans, nationally determined contributions, long-term low-emission development strategies and long-term strategies;

3. *Also affirms* that the challenges referred to in paragraph 1 above include, among others, the need for increased resources available for the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, strengthened support for national designated entities to fulfil their roles and enhanced engagement of the private sector and academia in the work of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network;

4. *Decides* that the technology implementation programme shall be operationalized through decisions to be adopted by [the Conference of the Parties and] the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement;]

Option 1 (para 5-6)

5. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice, with the support of the secretariat, to convene, at their first regular sessions of each year, an in-session global technical dialogue on topics relevant to the objectives of the technology implementation programme, with the participation of

¹ See document FCCC/SBI/2022/13, para. 68.

² Pursuant to decision 1/CMA.5, para. 186.

multilateral organizations, non-governmental organizations, youth, women, Indigenous Peoples, local communities and other stakeholders, taking into account the technology framework, the joint work programme of the Technology Mechanism, the rolling workplan of the Technology Executive Committee, the programme of work of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, the status of and lessons learned from the Poznan strategic programme on technology transfer³ and the periodic assessments of the Technology Mechanism, including:

- (a) Implementation of technology priorities of developing countries, as referred to in paragraph 2 above, and addressing the barriers and challenges identified in the first periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism;
- (b) Development of endogenous capacities for technology innovation and deployment, including national systems of innovation, in developing countries;
- (c) Addressing identified financial barriers and enablers in relation to technology development and transfer in developing countries;
- (d) Development, dissemination and deployment of a wide range of new and emerging technologies, based on a country-driven approach, including carbon dioxide removal and carbon capture, utilization and storage technologies;
- (e) [Addressing trade barriers to and enablers for technology development and transfer, including intellectual property rights and policies];

6. Also requests the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, with the support of the secretariat, to convene, in conjunction with regional forums for national designated entities on technology development and transfer, annual regional dialogues on both regional and national technology priorities and needs identified by developing countries in their technology needs assessments and biennial transparency reports, and regional barriers to technology development and transfer;

Option 2 (para 5-6)

5. Requests the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, with the support of the secretariat, to convene, with support of, inter alia, the Global Environment Facility and the Green Climate Fund, in-session dialogues at the sixty-third (November 2025) and sixty-fifth (November 2026) sessions of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on topics such as sustainable finance taxonomies, national systems of innovation, and technology incubators and accelerators, with the participation of multilateral organizations, non-governmental organizations, youth, women, Indigenous Peoples, local communities and other stakeholders, taking into account lessons learned from the Poznan strategic programme on technology transfer and findings from the first periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism and the independent reviews of the Climate Technology Centre and Network;

6. Also requests the Technology Executive Committee, with the support of the secretariat, to prepare a report on the outcomes of the annual in-session dialogues referred to in paragraph 5 above for inclusion in the joint annual report of the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network for 2026 with a view to informing the second global stocktake and the work of the UNFCCC constituted bodies and under the United Arab Emirates just transition work programme and the Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation and ambition work programme;

Option 3 (para 5-7)

5. Requests the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, with the support of the secretariat, to convene in-session technical expert meetings in conjunction with its sixty-second (June 2025), sixty-fourth (June 2026) and sixty-sixth (June 2027) sessions, with the participation of the Global Environment Facility and Green Climate Fund, academia, women, youth and Indigenous Peoples;

³ See documents FCCC/SBI/2015/16 and FCCC/SBI/2019/7.

6. *Also requests* the secretariat to organize high-level events, to be held in conjunction with the seventh (November 2025), eighth (November 2026) and ninth (November 2027) sessions of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement, taking into account the outcomes of the technical expert meetings referred to in paragraph 5 above;

7. *Further requests* the secretariat to prepare annual technical papers and summaries of the technical expert meetings and high-level events referred to in paragraphs 5–6 above, and a final evaluation report thereon, for consideration by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement at its ninth session;

Option 1 (para 8)

8. *Invites* the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, within their mandates, **in collaboration with** multilateral development banks, the **host of the Climate Technology Centre**, international funds and organizations, the private sector, **public-private partnerships** and philanthropic organizations to support the implementation of the technology implementation programme, including through the provision of support to the Technology Mechanism, in particular the Climate Technology Centre and Network, and regional centres for technology development and transfer, by **performing the functions of**, inter alia:

(a) Implementation accelerator to expedite the implementation of **technology priorities identified by developing countries**, as referred to in paragraph 2 above;

(b) National systems of innovation hub to enhance endogenous capacities for technology development and transfer **to** developing countries, taking into account **the work of the Technology Executive Committee and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change**, and experience and good practices of, and lessons learned from, relevant institutions and processes, including among others, the United Nations Technology Bank for Least Developed Countries;

Option 2 (para 8)

8. *Requests* the Technology Executive Committee and the Climate Technology Centre and Network, with the support of, inter alia, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, to strengthen support for developing countries for building their endogenous capacities to develop enabling environments for policy and regulation, national systems of innovation and enhanced access to finance;

Option 3 (para 8)

8. *Notes* that the operationalization and effectiveness of the technology implementation programme may be reviewed at future sessions of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement;

9. **[Decides that the outcomes of the technology implementation programme shall inform the global stocktake] [Notes that the report on the outcomes of the technology implementation programme will be made available for consideration as part of the global stocktake consistently with the modalities set out in decision 19/CMA.1];**

10. *Agrees* to review progress in, and lessons learned from, the implementation of the technology implementation programme after each global stocktake taking into account the latest periodic assessment of the Technology Mechanism;

11. *{Placeholder for timeline}*

11bis. {Placeholder for governance}

12. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraphs 5–8 above;

13. *Requests* that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.