

**Fifteenth meeting of the Adaptation Committee
Bonn, Germany, 19 to 21 March 2019**

**Workplan of the Adaptation Committee Taskforce on
National Adaptation Plans 2019-2021**

Recommended action by the Adaptation Committee

The Adaptation Committee (AC), during the inter-sessional period between AC 14 and AC 15, is invited to endorse the workplan of the Adaptation Committee Taskforce on National Adaptation Plans (NAP Taskforce) for the period 2019-2021 on a non-objection basis.

Background

1. During the inter-sessional period between AC 14 and AC 15 the AC Task Force on National Adaptation Plans (NAP Taskforce) agreed on its workplan for the period 2019-2021 for endorsement by the AC. The draft workplan for inter-sessional endorsement is contained in the annex.
2. At AC 15 the Co-Leads of the NAP Taskforce will be invited to report to the AC on how to proceed with the implementation.

Annex: Draft Workplan of the Adaptation Committee Taskforce on National Adaptation Plans 2019-2021

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Activities			Lead	Collaboration	Specific contributions and inputs of the NAP TF
2019	2020	2021			
Promoting overarching coherence					
To promote the implementation of enhanced action on adaptation in a coherent manner under the Convention					
			NAP TF	AC, UNDP, UNEP, NAP-GSP, and others.	
			NAP TF	AC, LEG and ExCOM	
	<p>Collaborate with the LEG and the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage, to determine next steps in responding to the COP 24 mandate to assist developing country Parties in integrating approaches to avert, minimize and address displacement related to the adverse impacts of climate change into relevant national planning processes, including the process to formulate and implement national</p>				

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adaptation plans, as appropriate;						

To incorporate gender as a cross-cutting consideration into all AC activities

Prepare suggestions on how to mainstream gender considerations in the NAP process (outputs will contribute to the concept note and the AC activity on enhancing consideration of gender in adaptation action)	Develop a 1-2 pager on lessons learned and best practices in prioritizing/incorporating gender in the NAP process.	Contribute to the AC's evaluation of progress in incorporating gender considerations into adaptation action and the AC workplan activities	NAP TF with AC	Gender constituency, LEG, NWP, NAP GN and others
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Workstream A. Providing technical support and guidance to Parties on adaptation action

To provide guidance to Parties on planning and implementing adaptation action

Consider and propose concrete actions according to the gaps and needs identified through relevant work of the Adaptation Committee and the LEG.	Contribute to the AC's technical paper on connecting short-, medium- and long-term adaptation planning at the national and subnational level by organizing a panel/session on the topic at the 2020 NAP Expo.		NAP TF	AC, LEG, NWP and others
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Contribute to the AC's technical paper on countries' needs and solutions, specific to the NAP process, in relation to accessing, developing and using data systems for planning and implementing adaptation action						
To share experience and lessons learned from developing and implementing monitoring and evaluation systems						
Provide country examples of M&E systems developed as part of the NAP process for the AC's event for sharing existing knowledge on and tools for M&E				Contribute to the AC's technical paper on useful information and methodologies for assessing progress in enhancing adaptive capacity, strengthening resilience and reducing vulnerability to climate change by introducing specific examples of M&E of NAPs in different regions ^B	NAP TF	AC, NWP
To enhance the provision of technical support to developing country Parties for adaptation action in a coherent manner						

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<i>2019</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>2021</i>			
	Highlight approaches, tools and methodologies used in the NAP process to address adaptation needs as an input to the inventory.		NAP TF	AC, NWP	
Workstream B. Providing technical support and guidance to Parties on means of implementation					
To provide guidance with a view to enhancing the provision of financial support for adaptation action, including for the process to formulate and implement NAPs					
	Gather information for updating the 2015 AC thematic report based on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Contact the SCF, PCCB, TEC and CTCN in order to explore current adaptation support landscape; b. Make use of 2019 TEP-A outcomes on adaptation finance included in the technical paper. c. Engage with private sector activities and lessons learned applicable to NAP support, incl. findings from the 2019 Adaptation Forum “Private sector engagement in NAPs” 	Contribute to the update of the 2015 thematic report on navigating the landscape of support for the process to formulate and implement NAPs, and other adaptation planning processes, based on the information gathered in 2020.	NAP TF and AC members designated to PCCB, CTCN...	AC, SCF, PCCB, TEC, CTCN	

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<i>Activities</i>					
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To strengthen engagement with the GCF and other financing institutions under the Convention in order to more effectively support the implementation of adaptation action, plans and strategies.					
Contact GCF and other financial institutions under the Convention for information on financial flows related to NAPs formulation and implementation. Make use of previous activities and papers of the AC on this matter.	Provide input to the AC's technical paper on national experience in implementing adaptation action as a result of accessing financial flows, in particular from the GCF, GEF (LDCF/SCCF) and other financial institutions under the Convention – with a focus on support received for the NAP process and other adaptation planning processes.		NAP TF with AC	GCF, GEF, LEG, NAP GN and others	
To strengthen engagement with the private sector on mobilizing financial resources for adaptation action					

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	Toolkit for attracting private sector involvement in the NAP process (e.g. to highlight the benefits of engaging, including access to TA, tools, data, knowledge on building climate resilience throughout their operations; enhancing their social responsibility reputation to increase their brand value)	Organize an event at the NAP Expo based on the best practices, lessons learned, challenges and opportunities related to engaging the private sector in the NAP process.	NAP TF with AC	NAP GN, WBCSD
To provide guidance with a view to enhancing the provision of technological support for adaptation action				
		[Contribute to AC technical paper on TBD adaptation priority topic]		
To provide guidance with a view to enhancing capacity-building for adaptation action				
Make suggestions of question/s for the call of submissions on capacity gaps in accessing adaptation funding, focusing on NAPs. Include relevant information thereon in the AC's annual report for 2019	Provide input to the AC's information document on Parties' capacity gaps in accessing adaptation funding and on their successes and challenges in building in-country capacity.			
Workstream C: Awareness-raising, outreach and sharing of information				
To promote exchange of information, particularly in relation to the most vulnerable people, sectors and regions, and strengthen interaction between Parties and stakeholders at all levels by organizing focused events				

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Compile good practices and experiences of NAP processes to improve domestic awareness-raising, communication and outreach efforts related to the NAP process.	Present on the margins of the NAP Expo the outcomes of the compilation.				
Contribute to organization and delivery of the annual NAP Expo	Contribute to organization and delivery of the annual NAP Expo	Contribute to organization and delivery of the annual NAP Expo			