

27th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda item 10



United Nations
Climate Change
**Adaptation
Committee**

Recommendations on how to improve reporting on adaptation action and progress

Initial mapping and analysis of existing reporting requirements, guidelines and practices

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Presenter: AC member

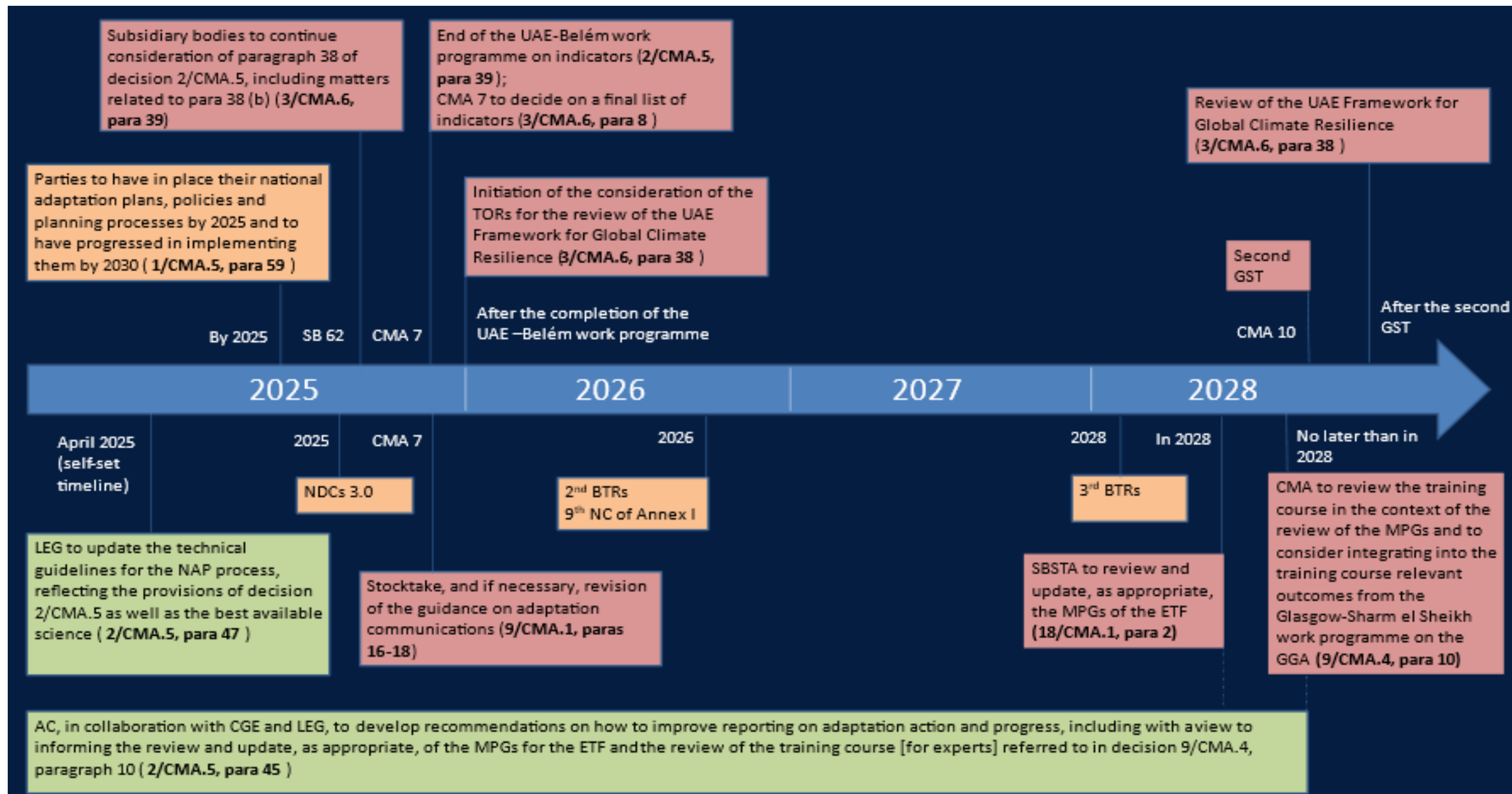
I. Introduction and background

- Mandate: AC, in collaboration with the CGE and the LEG, to develop recommendations on **how to improve reporting on adaptation action and progress**, including with a view to informing the review and update, as appropriate, of the modalities, procedures and guidelines (MPGs) for the transparency framework for action and support and the review of the related training course
- Context: United Arab Emirates (UAE) Framework for Global Climate Resilience
- Decision 2/CMA 5:
 - No additional reporting burden on Parties through implementation of the Framework
 - Include in adcoms, BTRs, NAPs, NC and NDCs information related to the goals
 - Report on progress, good practices, experience and lessons learned in implementing the framework

II. Progress made so far

- Two dedicated meetings with CGE and LEG
- Discussions at AC 25 and 26 – including other constituted bodies
- Relevant past and ongoing work which can contribute findings:
(*extract*):
 - CGE
 - Experience from workshops and training on reporting and review
 - Challenges: M&E, data, definitions, different reporting templates, aligning reporting
 - LEG
 - Annual NAP progress reports. Structure and analysis already in line with UAE FW.
 - Questionnaires, country dialogues, policy brief on NAP-adcom-NDC alignment
 - AC
 - Interactive Portal on the State of Adaptation Action by Parties
 - Methodologies for reviewing the adequacy and effectiveness of adaptation and support
- Solicit feedback from others?

III. Timeline



IV. Reporting requirements and guidelines

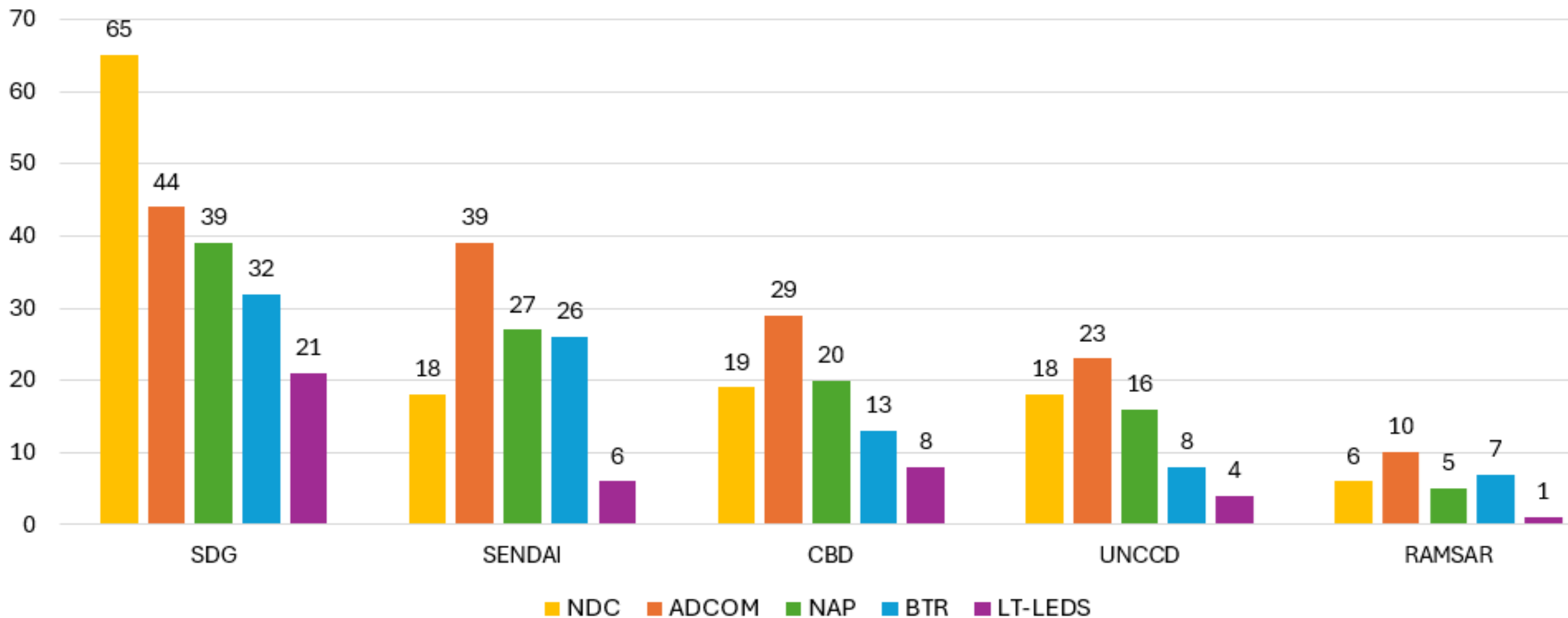
- Mapping adcoms, BTRs, NCs against UAE targets and other provisions
- Overlaps between adcoms, BTR and NDCs
- Most thematic UAE targets not explicitly mentioned in guidelines, but space to report on them

V. Reporting practices

- Statistics on adcoms, NDCs, BTRs and NCs. LT-LEDs and NAPs
- Some highlights
 - Adcoms – NAP/NDC/NC/BTRs. Most adcoms stand-alone, many linked to NDC. Flexibility applied, all options explored
 - NDC – 80% of all NDCs with adaptation component
 - BTR – only reporting instrument with provisions for L&D. Adaptation voluntary but 84% contain adaptation section. Some clear references to UAE targets

VI. Synergies with other processes

Number of national documents referring to international conventions



VII. Next steps – the AC may wish to...

- a) Consider the information contained in this document;
- b) Consider a timeline of activities and outputs for arriving at the recommendations by 2028, taking into account other related mandates and milestones as outlined in figure 1;
- c) Consider initial elements it wishes to include in the recommendations;
- d) Agree whether it wishes to solicit feedback from other constituted bodies and institutions, and, if so, by which means (call for submissions and/or a meeting of experts);
- e) Any other action as required, e.g. setting up a website on this mandate to showcase related activities and outputs