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### Addendum

Part two: Action taken by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-seventh session

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## **Decision 24/CP.27**

# Intermediate review of the implementation of the gender action plan

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decisions 36/CP.7, 1/CP.16, 23/CP.18, 18/CP.20, 1/CP.21, 21/CP.22, 3/CP.23, 3/CP.25 and 20/CP.26, the Paris Agreement and the Katowice climate package,

Acknowledging the important role of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan<sup>1</sup> in advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls in the UNFCCC process,

Recognizing that the full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership of women in all aspects of the UNFCCC process and in national- and local-level climate policymaking and action is vital to achieving long-term climate goals, while noting the importance of mainstreaming a gender perspective in respective workstreams of the UNFCCC process,

Noting with appreciation the contributions received in support of the work undertaken since implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan commenced,

- 1. Notes with appreciation the efforts of the secretariat to follow an inclusive approach to responding to the challenges arising from the coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic through frequent communication with Parties and national gender and climate change focal points and the organization of online workshops fulfilling mandated activities;
- 2. Recognizes with concern the unprecedented crisis caused by the coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic, the uneven nature of the global response to the pandemic and the pandemic's multifaceted effects on all spheres of society, including the deepening of pre-existing inequalities, including gender inequality, and resulting vulnerabilities, which negatively impacted the implementation of the gender action plan, which has negatively impacted the implementation of effective gender-responsive climate action, and *urges* Parties to accelerate their efforts to advance implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan;
- 3. *Notes* the compilation and synthesis report by the secretariat on good practices for integrating gender into the work of the UNFCCC constituted bodies<sup>2</sup> and *notes with appreciation* the work of the constituted bodies in advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women and contributing to the implementation of the gender action plan, including at the national level;
- 4. Notes the synthesis report by the secretariat on dimensions and examples of the gender-differentiated impacts of climate change, the role of women as agents of change and opportunities for women<sup>3</sup> and *encourages* Parties and relevant organizations to strengthen the use of sex-disaggregated data and gender analysis in implementing climate policies, plans, strategies and action;
- 5. Notes with appreciation the informal report by the secretariat on the in-session workshop on the role of national gender and climate change focal points<sup>4</sup> and, taking into account the evolving and Party-driven nature of the work and role of such focal points, also notes with appreciation the identification of enablers to facilitate the national gender and climate change focal points in carrying out their role, according to national circumstances;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision 3/CP.25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/7.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Available at <a href="https://unfccc.int/documents/470342">https://unfccc.int/documents/470342</a>.

- 6. Further notes with appreciation the synthesis report by the secretariat on the implementation of the activities contained in the gender action plan, areas for improvement and further work to be undertaken;<sup>5</sup>
- 7. *Notes* the technical paper prepared by the International Labour Organization exploring linkages between gender-responsive climate action and just transition for promoting inclusive opportunities for all in a low-emission economy<sup>6</sup> and *invites* the International Labour Organization to consider organizing a workshop or dialogue focused on the same topic;
- 8. *Welcomes* the contributions related to gender of Working Group II<sup>7</sup> and Working Group III<sup>8</sup> to the Sixth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change;
- 9. *Underscores* the need to promote efforts towards gender balance and improve inclusivity in the UNFCCC process by:
- (a) Inviting future Presidencies of the Conference of the Parties to nominate women as high-level climate champions;
- (b) Inviting Parties to promote greater gender balance in national delegations in negotiation meetings under the UNFCCC, including in meetings on gender and climate change;
- (c) Inviting the secretariat, relevant presiding officers and event organizers to promote gender-balanced events;
- 10. *Notes with appreciation* the regional focus of the activities undertaken, including workshops and other initiatives that facilitate experience-sharing and knowledge exchange, in the two years since implementation of the gender action plan began;
- 11. Encourages Parties, the secretariat and relevant organizations to continue conducting activities under the gender action plan in a regionally focused manner, as appropriate, including by holding events during regional climate weeks and engaging other relevant stakeholders;
- 12. Also encourages Parties and relevant public and private entities to strengthen the gender responsiveness of climate finance with a view to further building the capacity of women and for implementation work under the gender action plan, and in order to facilitate simplified access to climate finance for grass-roots women's organizations as well as for indigenous peoples, especially women, and local communities;
- 13. *Emphasizes* the urgency of scaled-up support for developing country Parties to implement the gender action plan, consistent with relevant provisions of the Convention and the Paris Agreement, including in relation to the UNFCCC gender action plan;
- 14. *Encourages* Parties, the secretariat and relevant organizations, in implementing the gender action plan, to fully engage men and boys as agents and beneficiaries of change and as strategic partners and allies in achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls in the context of climate change;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. 2022. Climate Change 2022: Impacts, Adaptation, and Vulnerability. Contribution of Working Group II to the Sixth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. H Pörtner, D Roberts, M Tignor, et al. (eds.). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Available at <a href="https://www.ipcc.ch/report/ar6/wg2">https://www.ipcc.ch/report/ar6/wg2</a>.

Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. 2022. Climate Change 2022: Mitigation of Climate Change. Contribution of Working Group III to the Sixth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. PR Shukla, J Skea, R Slade, et al. (eds.). Cambridge and New York: Cambridge University Press. Available at <a href="https://www.ipcc.ch/report/ar6/wg3/">https://www.ipcc.ch/report/ar6/wg3/</a>.

- 15. Also encourages Parties to integrate the work of nominated national gender and climate change focal points into relevant national policymaking and decision-making structures and to consider the suggestions in the informal report referred to in paragraph 5 above with a view to strengthening their role;
- 16. Requests the secretariat to support the attendance of national gender and climate change focal points at relevant mandated UNFCCC meetings, upon request and subject to available resources;
- 17. *Invites* Parties, United Nations entities, constituted bodies, implementing entities and other relevant stakeholders to enhance implementation of the gender action plan, including the amendments contained in the annex;
- 18. *Encourages* United Nations entities to cooperate with Parties on mainstreaming gender- and age-disaggregated data in their existing policies, enabling mechanisms and programmes, across all levels of governance, and to support Parties in directly applying the best available science in the collection and analysis of data sets, including on the impacts of extreme weather and slow onset events;
- 19. *Recalls* the open call for submissions under activity D.5 of the gender action plan<sup>9</sup> and *calls for* Parties and relevant organizations to continue to share experience in engaging women's groups and national women and gender institutions in the process of developing, implementing and updating climate policies, plans, strategies and action, as appropriate, at all levels of governance;
- 20. Adopts the amendments to the gender action plan contained in the annex;
- 21. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraph 16 above and paragraphs 1, 6 and 7 of the annex;
- 22. *Requests* that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Decision 3/CP.25, annex, table 4.

### Annex

# Amendments to the activities under the gender action plan

### A. Capacity-building, knowledge management and communication

1. Under activity A.2 in table 1,¹ add "leading: secretariat" and "contributing: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women, national gender and climate focal points" to the "responsibilities" column. The timeline is "prior to COP 28 (November–December 2023)". The new deliverable/output is "dialogue with the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women, national gender and climate change focal points and other relevant stakeholders on how their work contributes to the achievement of the objectives of the gender action plan". Level of implementation is "international".

### B. Gender balance, participation and women's leadership

2. Under activity B.1 in table 2,<sup>2</sup> add "including young women, indigenous women and women from local communities" after "women delegates" in the description of the activity.

#### C. Coherence

- 3. Under activity C.1 in table 3,3 include "and existing" after "new" in the "deliverables/outputs" column.
- 4. Add a new activity in table 3: "C.4 Encourage Parties and relevant UNFCCC constituted bodies, in line with their respective mandates, to support action and implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan". Add "Parties and constituted bodies" to the "responsibilities" column. The timeline is "ongoing to COP 29 (2024)". The deliverable/output is "inputs to the Standing Committee on Finance for preparing the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism". Level of implementation is "international".

### D. Gender-responsive implementation and means of implementation

5. Under activity D.1 in table 4,<sup>4</sup> change the timeline for the expert group meeting deliverable/output from 2022 to 2023 and add "to be delivered in a hybrid or virtual format, without creating any precedent" as a deliverable/output.

Decision 3/CP.25, annex, table 1. The aim of activity A.2 is to discuss and clarify the role and the work of the national gender and climate change focal points, including through providing capacity-building, tools and resources, sharing experience and best practices, workshops, knowledge exchange, peer-to-peer learning, mentoring and coaching.

Decision 3/CP.25, annex, table 2. The aim of activity B.1 is to promote initiatives for capacity-building in leadership, negotiation and facilitation of negotiation for women delegates, including through webinars and in-session training to enhance women's participation in the UNFCCC process.

Decision 3/CP.25, annex, table 3. The aim of activity C.1 is to ensure that new members of constituted bodies are introduced to gender-related mandates and to the relevance of gender in the context of their work in a consistent and systematic manner.

Decision 3/CP.25, annex, table 4. The aim of activity D.1 is to share experience and support capacity-building on gender budgeting, including on the integration of gender-responsive budgeting into national budgets to advance gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and action, as appropriate.

### E. Monitoring and reporting

- 6. Add a new activity in table 5: "E.3 Support the review of the Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan". Add "Parties and relevant organizations" to the "responsibilities" column. Add "by 31 July 2024" as the timeline. Add "submissions to the UNFCCC on identifying progress in implementing the gender action plan, categorized by deliverable/output for each gender action plan activity, and further work to be undertaken" as a deliverable/output. The level of implementation is "national". Also under this activity, add "secretariat" to the "responsibilities" column. Add "SB 61 (2024)" as the timeline. Add "synthesis report on the submissions" as a deliverable/output. Level of implementation is "international".
- 7. Add another new activity in table 5: "E.4 Raise awareness of the support available to developing country Parties for reporting on the implementation of the gender action plan". Add "leading: secretariat" and "contributing: relevant organizations" to the "responsibilities" column. Add "ongoing to COP 29 (2024)" as the timeline. Add "communication of such information on the gender web pages on the UNFCCC website" as the deliverable/output. The level of implementation is "international".

10<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting 20 November 2022

## Decision 25/CP.27

#### Dates and venues of future sessions

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Convention,

*Also recalling* United Nations General Assembly resolution 40/243 of 18 December 1985 on the pattern of conferences,

Further recalling rule 22, paragraph 1, of the draft rules of procedure being applied regarding the rotation of the office of President among the five United Nations regional groups,

Recalling decision 21/CP.26,

### I. 2023

- 1. Reiterates its appreciation for the offer of the Government of the United Arab Emirates to host the twenty-eighth session of the Conference of the Parties, the eighteenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the fifth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement;<sup>1</sup>
- 2. Decides to revise the dates for the second sessional period in 2023 from Monday, 6 November, to Friday, 17 November, to the following dates: Thursday, 30 November, to Tuesday, 12 December;
- 3. Requests the Executive Secretary to continue consultations with the Government of the United Arab Emirates and to conclude a Host Country Agreement for convening the sessions, pursuant to United Nations General Assembly resolution 40/243 and the provisions of United Nations administrative instruction ST/AI/342, including its annex, containing the model conference agreement, with a view to signing the Host Country Agreement as soon as possible, preferably before the fifty-eighth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2023), so as to allow for its prompt implementation;

#### II. 2024

- 4. *Notes* that, in keeping with the principle of rotation among the United Nations regional groups, the President of the twenty-ninth session of the Conference of the Parties, the nineteenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the sixth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (November 2024) would come from the Eastern European States;
- 5. *Invites* Parties to come forward with offers to host the sessions referred to in paragraph 4 above, which will be held from Monday, 11 November, to Friday, 22 November 2024, noting the logistical and financial risks associated with delays in selecting a host country and the need for the secretariat to conduct fact-finding missions to the host country in a timely manner;
- 6. Requests the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its fifty-eighth session, to consider the issue of the host of the sessions referred to in paragraph 4 above and to recommend a draft decision on the matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-eighth session;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision 21/CP.26, para. 4.

## III. 2025

- 7. *Notes* that, in keeping with the principle of rotation among the United Nations regional groups, the President of the thirtieth session of the Conference of the Parties, the twentieth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the seventh session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (November 2025) would come from the Latin American and Caribbean States;
- 8. *Invites* Parties to come forward with offers to host the sessions referred to in paragraph 7 above, which will be held from Monday, 10 November, to Friday, 21 November 2025, noting the logistical and financial risks associated with delays in selecting a host country and the need for the secretariat to conduct fact-finding missions to the host country in a timely manner;
- 9. Requests the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its fifty-eighth session, to consider the issue of the host of the sessions referred to in paragraph 7 above and to recommend a draft decision on the matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its twenty-eighth session;

# IV. Calendar of meetings of the Convention, Kyoto Protocol and Paris Agreement bodies

- 10. *Adopts* the following dates for the sessional periods in 2025:
  - (a) First sessional period: Monday, 16 June, to Thursday, 26 June;
  - (b) Second sessional period: Monday, 10 November, to Friday, 21 November.

9<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting 17 November 2022

### Decision 26/CP.27

## Administrative, financial and institutional matters

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling the financial procedures for the Conference of the Parties,<sup>1</sup>

*Having considered* the information contained in the documents prepared by the secretariat on administrative, financial and institutional matters,<sup>2</sup>

# I. Budget performance for the biennium 2020–2021

- 1. Takes note of the information contained in the reports on budget performance for the biennium 2020–2021 as at 31 December 2021<sup>3</sup> and the note on the status of contributions to the trust funds administered by the secretariat as at 23 May 2022;<sup>4</sup>
- 2. Expresses its appreciation to Parties that made contributions to the core budget in a timely manner;
- 3. *Expresses concern* regarding the high level of outstanding contributions to the core budget for the current and previous bienniums, which has resulted in difficulties with cash flow and the effective implementation of activities;
- 4. *Strongly urges* Parties that have not made contributions in full to the core budget for the current and/or previous bienniums to do so without further delay;
- 5. Expresses its appreciation for the contributions to the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process and to the Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities received from Parties, including those contributions that allow for greater flexibility in allocation;
- 6. *Urges* Parties to further contribute to the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process in order to ensure the widest possible participation in the process in 2022–2023, and to the Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities to ensure a high level of implementation of the UNFCCC work programme;
- 7. Reiterates its appreciation to the Government of Germany for its annual voluntary contribution to the core budget of EUR 766,938 and its special contribution of EUR 1,789,522 as Host Government of the secretariat;
- 8. *Requests* the Executive Secretary to take further measures to reduce Parties' outstanding contributions;

# II. Other budgetary matters

- 9. Takes note of the information contained in the document prepared by the secretariat on efforts to further improve the efficiency and transparency of the UNFCCC budget process;<sup>5</sup>
- 10. Also takes note of the information contained in the note by the secretariat on the revised scales of indicative contributions for 2022–2023;6
- 11. *Adopts* the indicative scale of contributions contained in the annex;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision 15/CP.1, annex I.

FCCC/SBI/2022/3 and Add.1, FCCC/SBI/2022/9, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.1, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.2, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.3, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.7 and FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/3 and Add.1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.2.

<sup>6</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.1.

- 12. *Decides* that the scale of contributions contained in the annex shall also be applicable for 2022, covering 89 per cent of the contributions specified in table 1 in decision 22/CP.26;
- 13. *Takes note* of the information contained in the note on the updated work programme of the secretariat for the biennium 2022–2023;<sup>7</sup>
- 14. *Also takes note* of the information contained in the note on possible long-term financing strategies for secretariat employee benefit liabilities;<sup>8</sup>
- 15. Further takes note of the mechanisms currently in place for funding employee benefits, as summarized in section III of the note referred to in paragraph 14 above;
- 16. *Requests* the secretariat to continue implementing the mechanisms referred to in paragraph 15 above;
- 17. Also requests the secretariat to inform the Subsidiary Body for Implementation of any relevant developments with regard to the funding of employee benefits, including any relevant resolutions adopted by the United Nations General Assembly;
- 18. *Strongly urges* the secretariat to publish documents on budgetary matters in a timely manner;

# III. UNFCCC annual report

19. *Takes note* of the information contained in the annual report on 2021 secretariat activities, programme delivery highlights and financial performance.<sup>9</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.7.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/9.

# Annex

# **Indicative scale of contributions from Parties to the Convention for 2022–2023**

Afghanistan		contributions for 2022–2023 (%)
	0.006	0.006
Albania	0.008	0.008
Algeria	0.109	0.106
Andorra	0.005	0.005
Angola	0.010	0.010
Antigua and Barbuda	0.002	0.002
Argentina	0.719	0.701
Armenia	0.007	0.007
Australia	2.111	2.058
Austria	0.679	0.662
Azerbaijan	0.030	0.029
Bahamas	0.019	0.019
Bahrain	0.054	0.053
Bangladesh	0.010	0.010
Barbados	0.008	0.008
Belarus	0.041	0.040
Belgium	0.828	0.807
Belize	0.001	0.001
Benin	0.005	0.005
Bhutan	0.001	0.001
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	0.019	0.019
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.012	0.012
Botswana	0.015	0.015
Brazil	2.013	1.962
Brunei Darussalam	0.021	0.020
Bulgaria	0.056	0.055
Burkina Faso	0.004	0.004
Burundi	0.001	0.001
Cabo Verde	0.001	0.001
Cambodia	0.007	0.007
Cameroon	0.013	0.013
Canada	2.628	2.562
Central African Republic	0.001	0.001
Chad	0.003	0.003
Chile	0.420	0.409
China	15.254	14.871
Colombia	0.246	0.240
Comoros	0.001	0.001
Congo	0.005	0.005
Cook Islands	0.000	0.001
Costa Rica	0.069	0.067
Côte d'Ivoire	0.022	0.021
Croatia	0.091	0.089

Party	United Nations scale of assessments for 2022–2024 (%)	UNFCCC revised indicative scale of contributions for 2022–2023 (%)
Cuba	0.095	0.093
Cyprus	0.036	0.035
Czechia	0.340	0.331
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	0.005	0.005
Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.010	0.010
Denmark	0.553	0.539
Djibouti	0.001	0.001
Dominica	0.001	0.001
Dominican Republic	0.067	0.065
Ecuador	0.077	0.075
Egypt	0.139	0.136
El Salvador	0.013	0.013
Equatorial Guinea	0.012	0.012
Eritrea	0.001	0.001
Estonia	0.044	0.043
Eswatini	0.002	0.002
Ethiopia	0.010	0.010
European Union	0.000	2.500
Fiji	0.004	0.004
Finland	0.417	0.407
France	4.318	4.209
Gabon	0.013	0.013
Gambia	0.001	0.001
Georgia	0.008	0.008
Germany	6.111	5.957
Ghana	0.024	0.023
Greece	0.325	0.317
Grenada	0.001	0.001
Guatemala	0.041	0.040
Guinea	0.003	0.003
Guinea-Bissau	0.001	0.001
Guyana	0.004	0.004
Haiti	0.006	0.006
Honduras	0.009	0.009
Hungary	0.228	0.222
Iceland	0.036	0.035
India	1.044	1.018
Indonesia	0.549	0.535
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	0.371	0.362
Iraq	0.128	0.125
Ireland	0.439	0.428
Israel	0.561	0.547
Italy	3.189	3.109
Jamaica	0.008	0.008
	8.033	
Japan		7.831
Jordan Vogalsketen	0.022	0.021
Kazakhstan	0.133	0.130

Party	United Nations scale of assessments for 2022–2024 (%)	UNFCCC revised indicative scale of contributions for 2022–2023 (%)
Kenya	0.030	0.029
Kiribati	0.001	0.001
Kuwait	0.234	0.228
Kyrgyzstan	0.002	0.002
Lao People's Democratic		
Republic	0.007	0.007
Latvia	0.050	0.049
Lebanon	0.036	0.035
Lesotho	0.001	0.001
Liberia	0.001	0.001
Libya	0.018	0.018
Liechtenstein	0.010	0.010
Lithuania	0.077	0.075
Luxembourg	0.068	0.066
Madagascar	0.004	0.004
Malawi	0.002	0.002
Malaysia	0.348	0.339
Maldives	0.004	0.004
Mali	0.005	0.005
Malta	0.019	0.019
Marshall Islands	0.001	0.001
Mauritania	0.002	0.002
Mauritius	0.019	0.019
Mexico	1.221	1.190
Micronesia (Federated States of)	0.001	0.001
Monaco	0.011	0.011
Mongolia	0.004	0.004
Montenegro	0.004	0.004
Morocco	0.055	0.054
Mozambique	0.004	0.004
Myanmar	0.010	0.010
Namibia	0.009	0.009
Nauru	0.001	0.001
Nepal	0.010	0.010
Netherlands	1.377	1.342
New Zealand	0.309	0.301
Nicaragua	0.005	0.005
Niger	0.003	0.003
Nigeria	0.182	0.177
Niue	0.000	0.001
North Macedonia	0.007	0.007
Norway	0.679	0.662
Oman	0.111	0.108
Pakistan	0.114	0.111
Palau	0.001	0.001
	0.000	0.000
Panama	0.090	0.088
Panama Papua New Guinea	0.090 0.010	0.010

Party	United Nations scale of assessments for 2022–2024 (%)	UNFCCC revised indicative scale of contributions for 2022–2023 (%)
Peru	0.163	0.159
Philippines	0.212	0.207
Poland	0.837	0.816
Portugal	0.353	0.344
Qatar	0.269	0.262
Republic of Korea	2.574	2.509
Republic of Moldova	0.005	0.005
Romania	0.312	0.304
Russian Federation	1.866	1.819
Rwanda	0.003	0.003
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.002	0.002
Saint Lucia	0.002	0.002
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.001	0.001
Samoa	0.001	0.001
San Marino	0.002	0.002
Sao Tome and Principe	0.001	0.001
Saudi Arabia	1.184	1.154
Senegal	0.007	0.007
Serbia	0.032	0.031
Seychelles	0.002	0.002
Sierra Leone	0.001	0.001
Singapore	0.504	0.491
Slovakia	0.155	0.151
Slovenia	0.079	0.077
Solomon Islands	0.001	0.001
Somalia	0.001	0.001
South Africa	0.244	0.238
South Sudan	0.002	0.002
Spain	2.134	2.080
Sri Lanka	0.045	0.044
State of Palestine	0.000	0.011
Sudan	0.010	0.010
Suriname	0.003	0.003
Sweden	0.871	0.849
Switzerland	1.134	1.105
Syrian Arab Republic	0.009	0.009
Tajikistan	0.003	0.003
Thailand	0.368	0.359
Timor-Leste	0.001	0.001
Togo	0.002	0.002
Tonga	0.002	0.002
Trinidad and Tobago	0.037	0.036
Tunisia	0.037	0.019
Türkiye	0.845	0.824
Turknye Turkmenistan	0.845	
		0.033
Tuvalu	0.001	0.001
Uganda	0.010	0.010
Ukraine	0.056	0.055

Party	United Nations scale of assessments for 2022–2024 (%)	UNFCCC revised indicative scale of contributions for 2022–2023 (%)
United Arab Emirates	0.635	0.619
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	4.375	4.265
United Republic of Tanzania	0.010	0.010
United States of America	22.000	21.447
Uruguay	0.092	0.090
Uzbekistan	0.027	0.026
Vanuatu	0.001	0.001
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	0.175	0.171
Viet Nam	0.093	0.091
Yemen	0.008	0.008
Zambia	0.008	0.008
Zimbabwe	0.007	0.007
Total	100.000	100.000

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### **Decision 27/CP.27**

## Administrative, financial and institutional matters

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling the financial procedures for the Conference of the Parties,1

*Having considered* the information contained in the documents prepared by the secretariat on administrative, financial and institutional matters for this session,<sup>2</sup>

# I. Audit report and financial statements for 2021

- 1. *Takes note* of the financial report and audited financial statements for 2021 and the report of the United Nations Board of Auditors, which include recommendations, and the comments of the secretariat thereon;
- 2. Expresses its appreciation to the United Nations for arranging the audit of the accounts of the Convention;
- 3. Also expresses its appreciation to the auditors for their valuable observations and recommendations;
- 4. *Expresses concern* about the high number of recommendations from the United Nations Board of Auditors not yet implemented by the secretariat;
- 5. *Urges* the Executive Secretary to implement the recommendations of the auditors, as appropriate, and to update Parties on progress;

# II. Other financial and budgetary matters

- 6. *Takes note* of the information contained in the note on the updated work programme of the secretariat for the biennium 2022–2023;<sup>3</sup>
- 7. Also takes note of the information contained in the note on the status of contributions to the trust funds administered by the secretariat as at 21 October 2022;<sup>4</sup>
- 8. *Expresses its appreciation* to Parties that made contributions to the core budget in a timely manner;
- 9. Expresses concern regarding the high level of outstanding contributions to the core budget for the current and previous bienniums, which has resulted in difficulties with cash flow and the effective implementation of activities;
- 10. Strongly urges Parties that have not made contributions in full to the core budget for the current and/or previous bienniums to do so without further delay;
- 11. Expresses its appreciation for the contributions to the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process and to the Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities received from Parties, including those contributions that allow for greater flexibility in allocation;
- 12. *Urges* Parties to further contribute to the Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process in order to ensure the widest possible participation in the process in 2022–2023, and to the Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities to ensure a high level of implementation of the UNFCCC work programme;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decision 15/CP.1, annex I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.10 and Add.1, FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.11 and FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.11.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> FCCC/SBI/2022/INF.16.

- 13. Reiterates its appreciation to the Government of Germany for its annual voluntary contribution to the core budget of EUR 766,938 and its special contribution of EUR 1,789,522 as Host Government of the secretariat;
- 14. *Requests* the Executive Secretary to take further measures to reduce Parties' outstanding contributions.

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## **Resolution 1/CP.27**

# Expression of gratitude to the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt and the people of the city of Sharm el-Sheikh

### Resolution submitted by the United Arab Emirates

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,

Having met in Sharm el-Sheikh from 6 to 20 November 2022,

- 1. Express their profound gratitude to the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt for having made it possible for the twenty-seventh session of the Conference of the Parties, the seventeenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol and the fourth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Parties to the Parties to the Parties to be held in Sharm el-Sheikh;
- 2. Request the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt to convey to the city and people of Sharm el-Sheikh the gratitude of 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 for the hospitality and warmth extended to the participants.

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