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Report of the Conference of the Parties on its thirtieth session, held in Belém from 10 to 22 November 2025

Addendum

Part two: Action taken by the Conference of the Parties at its thirtieth session

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Decision 1/CP.30

Matters relating to the Standing Committee on Finance

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Articles 4 and 11 of the Convention,

Also recalling decisions [12/CP.2](#), [12/CP.3](#), [1/CP.16](#), paragraph 112, [2/CP.17](#), paragraphs 120–121, [5/CP.18](#), [5/CP.19](#), [7/CP.19](#), [6/CP.20](#), [6/CP.21](#), [8/CP.22](#), [7/CP.23](#), [8/CP.23](#), [4/CP.24](#), [11/CP.25](#), [5/CP.26](#), [14/CP.27](#), [5/CP.28](#), [2/CP.29](#), [5/CMA.2](#), [10/CMA.3](#), [14/CMA.4](#), [9/CMA.5](#) and [8/CMA.6](#),

Taking note of decision [5/CMA.7](#),

1. *Expresses gratitude* to the Standing Committee on Finance and *notes* the work undertaken by the Committee in 2025;
2. *Also notes* the report of the Standing Committee on Finance for 2025,¹ *further notes* the workplan of the Committee for 2026² and *underlines* the importance of the Committee focusing its work on its current mandates;
3. *Notes with appreciation* the efforts of the Standing Committee on Finance to strengthen its engagement with stakeholders in the context of its workplan, including UNFCCC constituted bodies and private sector and other entities outside the UNFCCC process, and *encourages* the Committee to continue such efforts in 2026, including, as appropriate, by engaging with people and communities on the front line of climate change, such as Indigenous Peoples and local communities;
4. *Notes* the engagement of the Standing Committee on Finance with Parties and the secretariats of the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism in the context of its workplan and *notes with appreciation* the efforts it has made to improve its working modalities in preparing draft guidance for the operating entities;
5. *Notes* the 2025 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance, held in Rome from 8 to 9 September 2025, on accelerating climate action and resilience through financing for sustainable food systems and agriculture, and *also notes* the summary report thereon;³
6. *Expresses gratitude* to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations for its generous hospitality and to the Government of Italy for its financial support in hosting the 2025 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance;
7. *Underscores* that accelerating climate action and resilience through financing for sustainable food systems and agriculture is essential, including for protecting biodiversity and supporting vulnerable communities;
8. *Welcomes* the topic for the 2026 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance, namely financing climate action for water systems and the ocean, and *reiterates* the importance of engaging all relevant Party and non-Party stakeholders in preparations for the Forum;
9. *Endorses* the general outlines of the technical report on the seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows⁴ and of the third report on progress towards achieving the goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation;⁵

¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#).

² Contained in document [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#), annex IV.

³ [FCCC/CP/2025/9/Add.4–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13/Add.4](#).

⁴ Contained in document [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#), annex I.

⁵ Contained in document [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#), annex II.

10. *Notes* the workplan, including indicative timeline and outreach activities, for preparing the seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows, without prejudging its content or outcomes;⁶
11. *Recognizes* that the seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows will continue to consider the balance between mitigation and adaptation finance and the assessment of both public and private finance;
12. *Notes* the workplan for preparing the third report on progress towards achieving the goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation,⁷ *also notes* that while progress continues to be made in the delivery of adaptation finance, the scale remains insufficient, and *recognizes* the need to dramatically scale up adaptation finance for developing countries;
13. *Invites* the Standing Committee on Finance to consider further expanding its sources of information, as appropriate, for the third report on progress towards achieving the goal of mobilizing jointly USD 100 billion per year to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation and for the seventh Biennial Assessment and Overview of Climate Finance Flows;
14. *Expresses appreciation* to the Government of Japan for its financial contributions to the work of the Standing Committee on Finance in 2025;
15. *Appreciates* the efforts of the Standing Committee on Finance to maintain a high level of transparency and inclusiveness at its meetings;
16. *Requests* the Standing Committee on Finance to report to the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session (November 2026) on its progress in implementing its workplan for 2026;
17. *Also requests* the Standing Committee on Finance to consider the guidance provided to it in other relevant decisions of the Conference of the Parties.

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⁶ Contained in document [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#), annex I.

⁷ Contained in document [FCCC/CP/2025/9–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/13](#), annex II.

Decision 2/CP.30

Report of the Green Climate Fund to the Conference of the Parties and guidance to the Green Climate Fund

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decision [3/CP.17](#), annex,

1. *Notes* the report of the Green Climate Fund to the Conference of the Parties at its thirtieth session,¹ including the information therein on action taken by the Board of the Fund in response to guidance received from the Conference of the Parties, while noting that there is room for improvement;
2. *Welcomes:*
 - (a) The increase in the number of funding proposals approved, which brings the total amount approved by the Board to USD 19.3 billion to support the implementation of 336 adaptation and mitigation projects and programmes in 134 developing countries;
 - (b) The increase in the number of entities accredited by the Board, which brings the total number of accredited entities to 158, of which 106 are direct access entities;
 - (c) The increase in the approval of grants for readiness support for national adaptation plans and other adaptation planning processes, bringing the total number of grants approved for readiness support for national adaptation plans and other adaptation planning processes to 144;
 - (d) The number of approved projects focused on technology, representing 83 per cent of the project portfolio (261 projects in total), and that the Fund continues to progress in advancing efforts related to technology incubation and acceleration and in providing readiness support for technology and technology needs assessments;
 - (e) The approval by the Board of the Fund's revised accreditation framework,² emphasizing that its implementation should enhance access to the Fund's resources and improve the speed, predictability, efficiency, flexibility and transparency of processes;
3. *Urges* the Board to ensure that implementation of the revised accreditation framework continues to contribute to achieving the Strategic Plan for the Green Climate Fund 2024–2027³ goal of doubling the number of direct access entities with approved funding proposals, and to further enhance the efficient and timely delivery of resources by simplifying access modalities so as to reduce procedural burdens and ensure more timely, effective and balanced access to resources for developing country Parties, including by exploring ways to enhance the efficiency of Board meetings in line with the Governing Instrument for the Fund⁴ and the rules of procedure of the Board therein;
4. *Encourages* the Board to continue to promote the use of direct access modalities, including by enhancing efforts to support capacity-building for direct access entities and improving non-governmental direct access, including for Indigenous Peoples, in accordance with relevant policies;
5. *Also encourages* the Fund to continue to strengthen its partnerships with the private sector, including with small and medium-sized enterprises, in a manner that complements public finance and supports the implementation of country-driven priorities;
6. *Further encourages* the Board to consider measures to improve and strengthen its work with the Adaptation Fund and the Global Environment Facility on their fast-track accreditation programme,⁵ including through the potential mutual acceptance of their

¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/7](#) and [Add.1](#).

² Contained in annex III to Green Climate Fund decision B.42/13.

³ Contained in annex III to Green Climate Fund decision B.36/13.

⁴ Decision [3/CP.17](#), annex.

⁵ See annex III to Green Climate Fund decision B.42/13.

respective accreditation systems, as appropriate, subject to the limitations of their accreditation and the relevant decisions of the Adaptation Fund Board and the Council of the Global Environment Facility, with a view to dramatically simplifying access to funding under the Green Climate Fund;

7. *Recommends* that the Board encourage the submission of funding proposals from direct access entities, without limiting the number that each entity may submit at a meeting of the Board or limiting the number of projects that the Board may approve for each entity at each of its meetings, notwithstanding considerations on Board capacity;

8. *Invites* the Board to consider areas for improvement in the project approval cycle, including on the basis of lessons learned from the consideration of funding proposals;

9. *Notes* the progress of the Green Climate Fund in reducing project review times to nine months or less and *urges* the Board to take action to expedite disbursement of funding and enhance implementation efficiency;

10. *Encourages* the Fund to continue to improve complementarity, coherence and coordination with other multilateral climate funds as envisaged in the Strategic Plan for the Fund 2024–2027 in order to strive for greater impact in the delivery of climate finance;

11. *Reaffirms* that the Fund’s country-driven approach should be upheld in all policies, procedures and operational modalities of the Fund, in line with nationally determined priorities, nationally led programming and the central role of national designated authorities as focal points;

12. *Acknowledges* the establishment of regional presence of the Fund and *looks forward* to the operationalization of regional presence in line with Board decisions GCF/B.41/10 and GCF/B.42/14 on the basis of a thorough and fair review process in line with Board procedures;

13. *Encourages* the Board to continue to promote technology development and transfer in line with the Governing Instrument for and relevant policies of the Fund, including by strengthening synergies between the Fund and the Climate Technology Centre and Network;

14. *Also encourages* the Board to thoroughly enhance the review process for the adoption of the policies and guidelines necessary for strengthening the Fund secretariat’s financial management capabilities and available instruments, including through the adoption of a policy on foreign currency hedging and a policy on foreign exchange management and liquidity management;

15. *Highlights* the need to increase the commitment authority within the Fund and *requests* the Board to urgently consider ways to enhance the commitment authority of the Fund;

16. *Urges* the Board to adopt an updated gender action plan for the second replenishment of the Fund, noting the previous plan for 2020–2023,⁶ and to actively contribute to the implementation of activities under the Belém gender action plan for 2026–2034 adopted in decision [7/CP.30](#);

17. *Invites* Parties to submit views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Fund via the submission portal⁷ no later than 12 weeks prior to the thirty-first session of the Conference of the Parties (November 2026);

18. *Requests* the Standing Committee on Finance to take into consideration the submissions referred to in paragraph 17 above in preparing its draft guidance for the Fund for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement at its eighth session (November 2026);

19. *Also requests* the Board to include in its annual report to the Conference of the Parties information on the steps it has taken to implement the guidance provided in this decision;

⁶ Contained in annex XXIII to Green Climate Fund decision B.24/12.

⁷ <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.

20. *Takes note* of decision [6/CMA.7](#) and *decides* to transmit to the Fund the guidance from the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement contained in paragraphs 2–4 of that decision.⁸

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⁸ In accordance with decision [1/CP.21](#), para. 61.

Decision 3/CP.30

Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties and guidance to the Global Environment Facility

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1. *Notes* the report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties at its thirtieth session,¹ including the responses of the Global Environment Facility to previous guidance provided by the Conference of the Parties;
2. *Welcomes* the achievement by the Global Environment Facility of its climate change target of exceeding 1.85 billion tonnes of carbon dioxide emission reductions under the eighth replenishment of the Global Environment Facility by June 2025, as reported at the 69th meeting of its Council;
3. *Also welcomes* the policy adjustments and streamlining of policy requirements proposed by the Global Environment Facility aimed at increasing the accessibility of its funding;
4. *Further welcomes* recent developments related to the simplification of processes and programmes of the Global Environment Facility, as well as the ongoing efforts of the Facility in enhancing its strategic collaboration with the Green Climate Fund, the Adaptation Fund and the Climate Investment Funds aimed at enhancing coherence and complementarity of work and the timely access of developing countries to resources;
5. *Welcomes* the ongoing reform concerning expansion to three additional implementing agencies for the Global Environment Facility and *encourages* the expansion of the cohort of implementing agencies of the Global Environment Facility in developing countries in all regions, with a focus on underserved regions, with a view to enhancing access to resources of the Facility in those regions;
6. *Underscores* the importance of the modalities and procedures of the Global Environment Facility and its implementing agencies for enabling activities being flexible and adaptable to the national contexts of developing country Parties in order to prevent funding gaps between reporting cycles, ensure timely approval of projects and ensure continuity of staff in national technical teams;
7. *Expresses concern* regarding the possible decrease in the financial resources to be allocated to the climate focal area under the ninth replenishment of the Global Environment Facility and *emphasizes* that the ninth replenishment should continue to channel financial resources for climate action in developing countries;
8. *Encourages* ambitious pledges to the ninth replenishment of the Global Environment Facility;
9. *Also encourages* the Global Environment Facility to ensure that programming for the climate change focal area under its ninth replenishment remains country-driven and takes into account, as appropriate, nationally determined priorities;
10. *Notes with concern* the absence of a pledging session for the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund at this session of the Conference of the Parties;
11. *Encourages* scaled-up contributions to the Least Developed Countries Fund and Special Climate Change Fund;
12. *Requests* the Global Environment Facility, in administering the Least Developed Countries Fund, to continue facilitating the smooth transition of developing countries graduating from least developed country status by continuing to provide approved funding

¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/8](#) and [Add.1](#).

through the Fund until the completion of projects approved by the Least Developed Countries Fund Council prior to those countries' graduation from least developed country status and *also requests* the Global Environment Facility to consider developing further measures to help ensure this smooth transition for recently graduated least developed countries;

13. *Invites* the Global Environment Facility to continue its efforts to enhance coherence and complementarity with other climate funds and ensure that those efforts do not result in restricted access to resources by developing countries or reduced availability of finance for them;

14. *Also invites* the Global Environment Facility to ensure full implementation of the streamlining measures approved by the Council of the Global Environment Facility at its 69th meeting² and to report in its next annual report to the Conference of the Parties on the reduction in the time taken between project identification and endorsement by the Chief Executive Officer of the Global Environment Facility;

15. *Requests* the Global Environment Facility to further simplify and operationalize the preparation, review and approval processes with a view to enhancing predictability of, reducing delays in and providing more responsive support to developing country Parties, including, as appropriate, through a simplified grant application procedure;

16. *Encourages* the Global Environment Facility, in its consideration of partnerships, to build national and local capacity with a view to ensuring that projects are not only designed locally but also implemented and managed locally, thereby enhancing their effectiveness and country-ownership;

17. *Invites* the participants in the development of the Global Environment Facility Programming Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change for the Least Developed Countries Fund and Special Climate Change Fund and Operational Improvements: July 2026 to June 2030³ for the ninth replenishment of the Global Environment Facility to consider the Program-based Implementation Approach proposed as part thereof, targeted at achieving a set maximum of entities accredited to the Green Climate Fund and the Adaptation Fund across developing countries;

18. *Encourages* the Global Environment Facility to continue providing support for technology deployment and innovation in line with its mandate and countries' technology needs assessments;

19. *Invites* the Global Environment Facility to ensure safeguards for the rights of Indigenous Peoples and to consider Indigenous Peoples' perspectives and diverse knowledge systems in its decision-making, in line with the Principles and Guidelines for Engagement with Indigenous Peoples;⁴

20. *Also invites* the Global Environment Facility to ensure the effective and meaningful integration of gender considerations into all programmes funded by the Global Environment Facility and *encourages* the Global Environment Facility, under its Gender Partnership, to continue its efforts to deliver strong results for gender equality;

21. *Invites* Parties to submit views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Global Environment Facility via the submission portal⁵ no later than 12 weeks prior to the thirty-first session of the Conference of the Parties (November 2026);

22. *Requests* the Standing Committee on Finance to take into consideration the submissions referred to in paragraph 21 above in preparing its draft guidance for the Global Environment Facility for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement at its eighth session (November 2026);

² Contained in Global Environment Facility document GEF/C.69/12.

³ Contained in Global Environment Facility document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.37/04.

⁴ Contained in Global Environment Facility document GEF/C.42/Inf.03/Rev.1.

⁵ <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.

23. *Also requests* the Global Environment Facility to include in its annual report to the Conference of the Parties information on the steps it has taken to implement the guidance provided in this decision;

24. *Takes note* of decision [7/CMA.7](#) and *decides* to transmit to the Global Environment Facility the guidance from the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement contained in paragraphs 2–8 of that decision.⁶

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⁶ In accordance with decision [1/CP.21](#), para. 61.

Decision 4/CP.30

Report of the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage and guidance to the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decisions [2/CP.27](#) and [2/CMA.4](#); [1/CP.28](#) and [5/CMA.5](#); [5/CP.29](#) and [11/CMA.6](#); and [6/CP.29](#) and [12/CMA.6](#),

1. *Takes note* of the annual report of the Board of the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage for 2025¹ and the information therein;
2. *Welcomes* the rapid progress of the Board in operationalizing the Fund, in particular the establishment of the Barbados Implementation Modalities, consisting of a first set of interventions in grants for the calendar years 2025 and 2026 supporting bottom-up, country-led and country-owned approaches to supporting and strengthening national responses to loss and damage, including decisions taken with respect to funding criteria and direct access modalities under the Barbados Implementation Modalities, and *expresses support* for the further operationalization of the Fund;
3. *Welcomes* the launch of the call for funding requests for the Barbados Implementation Modalities;
4. *Expresses appreciation* to the secretariat of the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage for supporting the operationalization of the Fund, as well as to the secretariats of the UNFCCC and the Green Climate Fund and the United Nations Development Programme for jointly forming the interim secretariat for the Fund and providing support to the Board during the transition period until the establishment of the independent secretariat, which was completed at the 7th meeting of the Board;
5. *Also expresses appreciation* to the Government of Barbados for hosting the 5th meeting of the Board, and to the Government of the Philippines for hosting the 6th and 7th meetings thereof in its capacity as host country of the Board;
6. *Welcomes* the financial pledges made to the Fund by the Governments of Iceland, Japan, Latvia, Luxembourg and Spain, and the government of the Walloon Region of Belgium, which, together with the other pledges mentioned in table 1 of annex II in the annex to document [FCCC/CP/2025/10/Add.1–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/14/Add.1](#), amount to the equivalent of USD 817.01 million;
7. *Also welcomes* the adoption by the Board of its workplan for 2026² and *looks forward* to the outcomes of the activities under the workplan, including:
 - (a) Delivering the Barbados Implementation Modalities, including through the development of a risk management framework;
 - (b) Developing the long-term operating model of the Fund, including consideration of rapid disbursement modalities and a small grants policy, and work on access modalities, to be informed by the Barbados Implementation Modalities;
 - (c) Developing a long-term resource mobilization strategy and plan;³
 - (d) Continuing efforts to strengthen coherence and complementarity with existing arrangements for responding to loss and damage, including through close collaboration with the Santiago network for averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change;
 - (e) Considering the draft policy on the participation of active observers in Board meetings and related proceedings and the proposal for guidelines on consultative forums for

¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/10–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/14](#) and [Add.1](#).

² Board decision B.7/D.2. The workplan is contained in annex I to Board document FRLD/B.7/11.

³ In accordance with Board decision B.7/D.7, para. (b).

engaging and communicating with stakeholders, including consideration of women, youth and Indigenous Peoples in line with the Governing Instrument of the Fund;⁴

(f) All other activities included in the workplan;

8. *Welcomes* the various access modalities established under the Barbados Implementation Modalities and *notes with appreciation* the Board's reiteration that national Governments of all developing countries may submit funding requests using the modality of direct access via direct budget support through national Governments under the Barbados Implementation Modalities, subject to processes and modalities to be decided by the Board;

9. *Notes with concern* the delay in the adoption of the long-term fundraising and resource mobilization strategy and plan and *requests* the Board to expedite its consideration of the strategy and plan in line with paragraph 16 of decisions [5/CP.29](#) and [11/CMA.6](#);

10. *Appreciates* the confirmation by the Board of the importance of multilingualism and its request to the secretariat of the Fund to translate the final version of the funding request template, subject to budget availability;⁵

11. *Looks forward* to the Board including, in its subsequent workplan, work on outstanding matters under the Governing Instrument of the Fund, including any outstanding policies;

12. *Welcomes* the decision by the Board⁶ that the first replenishment process of the Fund will start in 2027 and *looks forward* to a successful first replenishment;

13. *Reiterates* paragraph 10 of decisions [5/CP.29](#) and [11/CMA.6](#), noting its importance for further allocation of resources for future work, including the Barbados Implementation Modalities;

14. *Urges* the Board to ensure that the modalities and processes under the Barbados Implementation Modalities and the long-term operating model of the Fund will avoid disproportionate bureaucratic obstacles to the access of resources;

15. *Also urges* the Board to maintain high fiduciary standards, environmental and social safeguards, financial transparency standards and accountability mechanisms while implementing the Barbados Implementation Modalities and the long-term operating model;

16. *Invites* Parties to submit views and recommendations on elements of guidance for the Fund via the submission portal⁷ no later than 12 weeks prior to the thirty-first session of the Conference of the Parties (November 2026);

17. *Requests* the Standing Committee on Finance to take into consideration the submissions referred to in paragraph 16 above when preparing its draft guidance for the Fund for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session;

18. *Also requests* the Board to include in its annual report to the Conference of the Parties information on the steps it has taken to implement the guidance provided in this decision.

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⁴ Annex I to decisions [1/CP.28](#) and [5/CMA.5](#).

⁵ Board decision B.7/D.4, para. (h).

⁶ Board decision B.7/D.7, para. (e).

⁷ <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.

Decision 5/CP.30

Compilation and synthesis of, and summary report on the in-session workshop on, biennial communications of information related to Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Articles 4 and 11 of the Convention,

Also recalling decisions [8/CP.26](#), [8/CP.28](#), [12/CMA.1](#), [14/CMA.3](#) and [13/CMA.5](#),

1. *Notes* the compilation and synthesis prepared by the secretariat of the information contained in the third biennial communications submitted by Parties in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement;¹
2. *Also notes* the summary report on the third biennial in-session workshop on information to be provided by Parties in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 5, of the Paris Agreement,² held on 20 June 2025;
3. *Takes note* of decision [10/CMA.7](#).

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¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/2–FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/3](#).

² [FCCC/PA/CMA/2025/5](#).

Decision 6/CP.30

Report of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures

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

Recalling Article 3, paragraph 5, and Article 4 of the Convention,

Also recalling Article 2 and Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol,

Further recalling Article 4, paragraph 15, of the Paris Agreement,

Recalling decisions [1/CP.21](#), [7/CP.24](#), [4/CP.25](#), [19/CP.26](#), [20/CP.27](#), [13/CP.28](#), [16/CP.29](#), [3/CMP.14](#), [4/CMP.15](#), [7/CMP.16](#), [7/CMP.17](#), [4/CMP.18](#), [3/CMP.19](#), [7/CMA.1](#), [4/CMA.2](#), [23/CMA.3](#), [23/CMA.4](#), [19/CMA.5](#) and [22/CMA.6](#),

Also recalling decisions [1/CMA.5](#), paragraphs 4, 136 and 154, and [19/CMA.5](#), annex I, paragraph 1(f),

Reemphasizing the intrinsic relationship that climate change actions, responses and impacts have with equitable access to sustainable development and eradication of poverty,

1. *Note with appreciation* the exchange of experience at the technical session held at the sixty-third sessions of the subsidiary bodies on implementing activity 4 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 for the fifty-second to sixty-third sessions of the subsidiary bodies,¹ namely enhancing the capacity and understanding of Parties, through collaboration and input from stakeholders, pertaining to the assessment and analysis of the impacts of the implementation of response measures to facilitate the undertaking of economic diversification and transformation and just transition;
2. *Express gratitude* to the experts who contributed to the technical session referred to in paragraph 1 above;
3. *Welcome* the annual report of the Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2025² and *note with appreciation* the progress of the Committee in developing rigorous science-based approaches to addressing the social, environmental and economic impacts of the implementation of response measures;
4. *Adopt* the recommendations forwarded by the forum contained in sections I–IV below;
5. *Take note* of the timeline and modalities for implementation of each activity in the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030, as contained in the annual report of the Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2025;
6. *Affirm* that the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030 is to be implemented by the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts;
7. *Decide* that the forum, at the second regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies each year, will identify the activities that it will undertake on the basis of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030 at each session of the subsidiary bodies in the subsequent year, including mandated events and activities, aligned with the outputs listed in the workplan of the forum and the Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030;
8. *Also decide* that the forum, in identifying the activities referred to in paragraph 7 above, selects activities in a manner such that the 17 activities included in the workplan of

¹ Contained in annex II to decisions [4/CP.25](#), [4/CMP.15](#) and [4/CMA.2](#).

² [FCCC/SB/2025/9](#).

the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030 are spread evenly and covered holistically across the five-year time frame of the workplan;

9. *Request* the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts to implement the workplan for 2026–2030 and make recommendations to the governing bodies consistent with the functions of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts³, in the light of the urgency of responding to climate change through accelerated action, support and international cooperation, guided by equity and the best available science;

10. *Decide* that the forum will conduct the following activities at the sixty-fourth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2026):

(a) Consider the case studies contained in the annual report of the Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2025;

(b) Determine the information to be provided for the technical assessment component of the second global stocktake (activity 2 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

(c) Build awareness of and share information related to analysing, assessing and reporting on the impacts of measures taken to combat climate change, including cross-border impacts, recalling Article 3, paragraph 5, of the Convention (activity 6 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

11. *Also decide* that the forum will conduct the following activities at the sixty-fifth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (November 2026):

(a) Build awareness of and share information related to assessing and analysing the impacts, including socioeconomic impacts, of response measures to be implemented in order to achieve all outcomes of the global stocktake and different net zero scenarios and pathways (activity 5 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

(b) Convene an in-session workshop, with the support of the Katowice Committee on Impacts, to facilitate the exchange and sharing of experience and best practices among Parties, the secretariat and other international organizations on conducting impact assessments (activity 8 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

(c) Build awareness of and share information on the social and economic impacts of economy-wide nationally determined contributions, covering all greenhouse gases, sectors and categories (activity 12 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

(d) Convene a workshop on enhancing the capacity of Parties to carry out their own assessment and analysis of and produce reports on the impacts of the implementation of response measures (activity 15 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2026–2030);

12. *Request* the Katowice Committee on Impacts to present, at the second regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies each year, its annual report and key findings therefrom to the forum for consideration with a view to the forum making recommendations for consideration by the Conference of the Parties and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement;

13. *Take note* of the summary report prepared by the secretariat on the 2025 global dialogue on the impacts of the implementation of response measures, recognizing that it is not an exhaustive account thereof, *welcome* the conclusion of the 2024 and 2025 global dialogues⁴ and *note with appreciation* the active engagement of Parties and other stakeholders in discussions at those dialogues;

³ As contained in annex I to decisions [13/CP.28](#), [4/CMP.18](#) and [19/CMA.5](#).

⁴ Held pursuant to para. 16 of decisions [13/CP.28](#), [4/CMP.18](#) and [19/CMA.5](#). A summary of the discussions at the 2024 and 2025 dialogues can be found in documents [FCCC/SB/2024/10](#) and [FCCC/SB/2025/8](#) respectively.

14. *Express appreciation* to the Governments of Ghana and Türkiye for hosting the 2024 and 2025 global dialogues respectively;
15. *Also express appreciation* to the United Nations Development Programme for supporting the organization of the global dialogues for 2024 and 2025; the Chairs of the subsidiary bodies and the secretariat for organizing the dialogues; the experts and facilitators who contributed to the dialogues; and the Parties, observers and other stakeholders that participated therein;
16. *Decide* that a two-day global dialogue on the impacts of the implementation of response measures shall be held each year from 2026 to 2029, to be organized in conjunction with an intersessional meeting of the Katowice Committee on Impacts, noting that such dialogues should be conducted in hybrid format to allow for both in-person and virtual participation, and *request* the forum to consider, at the seventy-first sessions of the subsidiary bodies (November 2029), further dialogues, as appropriate;
17. *Also request* the secretariat to prepare a summary report capturing the discussions held at each of the global dialogues referred to in paragraph 16 above;
18. *Invite* Parties, observers and non-Party stakeholders to submit views on possible topics for the global dialogues referred to in paragraph 16 above via the submission portal⁵ by 15 March in each of those years;
19. *Request* that the Chairs of the subsidiary bodies, taking into consideration the submissions referred to in paragraph 18 above, decide on and communicate, no later than four weeks in advance of the global dialogues referred to in paragraph 16 above, the topics to be discussed at the dialogue to be held in each year;
20. *Take note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraphs 16–17 above;
21. *Request* that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources;

I. Activity 7⁶ of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2020–2025

22. *Encourage* Parties to consider, as appropriate, tailored approaches to and relevant enabling policies for attracting sustainable investments in national plans, enhancing regional and international cooperation, strengthening capacities (such as workforce skills, technical knowledge and innovation potential) and reducing barriers to implementing climate plans, while ensuring that such approaches and policies contribute to just transitions and the Sustainable Development Goals;

II. Activity 9⁷ of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2020–2025

23. *Encourage* Parties, in line with their national circumstances, to:
 - (a) Mainstream the consideration of the impacts of the implementation of response measures in climate planning processes (e.g. nationally determined contributions, national

⁵ <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.

⁶ Facilitating the development and exchange of regional, country- and/or sector-specific case studies and approaches on (1) economic diversification and transformation and just transition of the workforce and creation of decent work and quality jobs, and (2) assessment and analysis of the impacts of the implementation of response measures with a view to understanding the positive and negative impacts.

⁷ Identifying and assessing the impacts of the implementation of response measures taking into account intergenerational equity, gender considerations and the needs of local communities, Indigenous Peoples, youth and other people in vulnerable situations.

adaptation plans, long-term low-emission development strategies and biennial transparency reports);

(b) Integrate comprehensive analyses of the impacts of the implementation of response measures into climate policy design;

(c) Enhance access to user-friendly tools, methodologies and guidelines for assessing the economic, social and environmental impacts of the implementation of response measures across regions;

(d) Strengthen collaboration with local research institutions to enhance systems for collecting disaggregated data that will enable assessment of the different impacts of response measures, in line with domestic needs and priorities;

(e) Design educational curricula, including for technical and vocational education and training, to improve competencies in designing national climate plans and conducting impact assessments of climate policies;

(f) Engage diverse stakeholders in defining, assessing and monitoring the co-benefits of climate change policies and actions and creating adaptive mechanisms for addressing trade-offs;

(g) Enhance effective stakeholder engagement, taking into account intergenerational equity, gender considerations and the needs of local communities, Indigenous Peoples, youth and other people in vulnerable situations, to minimize the negative and maximize the positive impacts of the implementation of response measures;

III. Activity (b)⁸ of the outcomes of the midterm review of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for 2020–2025⁹

24. *Encourage* Parties to:

(a) Enhance national institutional capacity and inter-agency coordination to implement tailored national climate policies, establish robust monitoring and evaluation systems, and deploy context-specific technologies;

(b) Use existing qualitative and quantitative assessment methodologies and tools to understand the 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 impacts of the implementation of response measures; more analysis of impacts, including, inter alia, sectoral, national, subnational, 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;

(c) Promote strengthening international, regional and South–South cooperation to enable knowledge exchange, peer learning and capacity-sharing, and thereby supporting Parties to implement more ambitious mitigation actions while maximizing positive and minimizing negative impacts of the implementation of response measures;

IV. Synthesis report on the impacts of the implementation of response measures reported in biennial transparency reports

25. *Request* the Katowice Committee on Impacts and the Consultative Group of Experts to collaborate on exploring ways to enhance the capacity of Parties to report on the impacts of the implementation of response measures;

⁸ Developing a case study in each of the five United Nations regions in accordance with activity 7 of the workplan of the forum and its Katowice Committee on Impacts for the fifty-second to sixty-third sessions of the subsidiary bodies.

⁹ Contained in annex II to decisions [13/CP.28](#), [4/CMP.18](#) and [19/CMA.5](#).

26. *Encourage* relevant stakeholders to:

(a) Support the capacity-building activities of Parties on reporting related to the assessment of the economic and social consequences of response measures;

(b) Provide capacity-building and technical support to Parties for conducting socioeconomic impact assessments.

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22 November 2025*

Decision 7/CP.30

Belém 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](#), [20/CP.26](#), [24/CP.27](#), [15/CP.28](#) and [7/CP.29](#),

Recognizing that gender-responsive implementation and means of implementation of climate policy and action can enable Parties to raise ambition, as well as enhance gender equality, and just transition of the workforce and the creation of decent work and quality jobs in accordance with nationally defined development priorities,

Acknowledging that differentiated impacts of climate change and opportunities for all women and girls, including Indigenous women, women from local communities, migrant women, women with disabilities, women smallholder farmers and women from rural and remote communities, are shaped by multidimensional factors,

Recognizing the contribution of women and girls of African descent to climate action,

1. *Takes note* of the synthesis report by the secretariat on progress in integrating a gender perspective into constituted body processes¹ and *invites* the constituted bodies to consider the good practices identified therein regarding the integration of a gender perspective into their processes and reporting thereon² and to include in their annual reports information on how they are improving the content and structure of their reporting in this area;
2. *Takes note* of the report by the secretariat on gender composition,³ which highlights the persistent lack of progress in and the urgent need for improving the representation of women in Party delegations and constituted bodies, and *notes with appreciation* the significant progress towards more gender-balanced side event panels at UNFCCC sessions highlighted in the report;⁴
3. *Expresses gratitude* to the Subsidiary Body for Implementation for its efforts in developing the new gender action plan at its sixty-second session taking into account the inputs to and outcome of the review of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan in 2024,⁵ discussions at the in-session technical workshop to facilitate the design of gender action plan activities⁶ held at its sixty-second session⁷ and discussions at a hybrid technical workshop on the same topic held in Addis Ababa from 5 to 6 September 2025 during the second Climate Week of that year;⁸
4. *Welcomes with appreciation* the delivery of the highly interactive and inclusive hybrid workshop referred to in paragraph 3 above, which was organized by the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation with the support of the secretariat;
5. *Expresses appreciation* to the Parties and observers that supported the organization of the workshop, in particular the Government of Ethiopia for hosting the event, the Government of Sweden for providing financial support, and United Nations agencies and international organizations for providing support to national gender and climate change focal points from developing countries to enable them to attend the workshop;
6. *Adopts* the Belém gender action plan for 2026–2034 contained in the annex;

¹ [FCCC/CP/2025/6](#).

² See document [FCCC/CP/2025/6](#), chap. III.

³ [FCCC/CP/2025/4](#).

⁴ [FCCC/CP/2025/4](#), para. 47.

⁵ See <https://unfccc.int/gender/final-review>.

⁶ See https://unfccc.int/gender_workshop_sb62.

⁷ As per decision [7/CP.29](#), paras. 13–14.

⁸ See <https://unfccc.int/event/additional-technical-workshop-to-facilitate-the-design-of-gender-action-plan-activities>.

7. *Decides* that a review of the implementation of the Belém gender action plan for 2026–2034 shall take place in conjunction with the review of the implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender⁹ with the aim of assessing progress and identifying challenges and further work to be undertaken and *requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to initiate the review at its seventieth session (June 2029) with a view to concluding the review at its seventy-first session (November 2029) and recommending a draft decision thereon for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-fourth session (November 2029);
8. *Invites* Parties, United Nations entities, the constituted bodies and relevant organizations to submit, in accordance with their respective mandates and priorities, views on progress, challenges and further work to be undertaken in implementing the Belém gender action plan via the submission portal¹⁰ by 23 February 2029 with a view to the submissions informing the review of the implementation of the Belém gender action plan;
9. *Requests* the secretariat to prepare, in consultation with Parties, a template that Parties and observers may use to prepare their submissions referred to in paragraph 8 above; to prepare and publish a synthesis report on the submissions in advance of the seventieth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation; and to hold at that session a technical workshop to discuss the synthesis report;
10. *Recognizes* that the Belém gender action plan may inform Parties as a tool for implementing climate action, and that pathways and approaches should be nationally determined;
11. *Takes note* of the gender policies of relevant public and private entities that are providing finance for climate action and *invites* those entities to consider the Belém gender action plan and support its implementation;
12. *Also invites* Parties, United Nations entities, UNFCCC constituted bodies, implementing entities, the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and other relevant stakeholders to enhance implementation of the Belém gender action plan;
13. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraph 9 above and the annex;
14. *Requests* that the actions of the secretariat called for in this decision and the annex be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.

⁹ See decision 7/CP.29, para. 12.

¹⁰ <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.

Belém gender action plan 2026–2034

Table 1

Priority area A: capacity-building, knowledge management and communication

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
A.1 Strengthen institutional and individual capacity within Governments for planning, implementing, monitoring, reporting on and evaluating gender-responsive national climate change policies, plans, strategies and actions, as appropriate, as reported by Parties in regular reports and communications under the UNFCCC and in national and sectoral plans	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations Contributing: secretariat	Ongoing	A.1.1 Capacity-building for national gender and climate change focal points, UNFCCC national focal points and negotiators under UNFCCC workstreams provided through, for example, briefings, workshops and training materials	International, regional, national
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations Contributing: secretariat	Ongoing	A.1.2 Virtual or hybrid knowledge exchanges on gender and climate change matters among stakeholders focused on a specific climate-related sector or thematic area, or other relevant areas	Regional, national, local
A.2 Strengthen the role and the work of the national gender and climate change focal points	Leading: secretariat Contributing: national gender and climate change focal points, relevant organizations, Parties	SB 64 (2026) SB 74 (2031)	A.2.1 In-session workshop on best practices and tools for strengthening the role of national gender and climate change focal points, including reflection on and description of the role and activities of national gender and climate change focal points	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026) COP 36 (2031)	A.2.2 Report on the workshop referred to in A.2.1 above	International
	Leading: Parties	Ongoing	A.2.3 Description of the role of national gender and climate change focal points	National
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, secretariat Contributing: national gender and climate change focal points	Ongoing, including during virtual informal networking meetings of national gender and climate change focal points	A.2.4 Provision of capacity-building opportunities, tools and resources aimed at building the skills of national gender and climate change focal points and their knowledge of gender and climate change matters, as well as complementary peer-to-peer learning, mentoring and coaching for national gender and climate change focal points	International, regional, national
A.3 Strengthen the evidence base for and understanding of the differentiated impacts and opportunities of climate change and climate action	Leading: Parties	Ongoing, taking into account relevant milestones	A.3.1 Capacity-building programmes and national dialogues	National

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
on women, especially Indigenous women and women from local communities, and their role as agents of change, as well as the role of men and boys as agents and beneficiaries of change and strategic allies in achieving gender equality	Contributing: relevant organizations	and reporting and communication cycles		
	Leading: Parties Contributing: relevant organizations, secretariat	Ongoing	A.3.2 Education, training and awareness-raising campaigns	Regional, national
	Leading: Parties Contributing: secretariat	In conjunction with relevant regional events	A.3.3 Virtual or hybrid workshops on gender- and climate-related matters	International, regional
	Leading: Parties, national gender and climate change focal points, national focal points for Action for Climate Empowerment	Ongoing	A.3.4 Inclusion of gender-responsive communication, public awareness-raising strategies and other relevant Action for Climate Empowerment elements in official climate planning and reporting processes	Regional, national
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, the research community Contributing: SBI and SBSTA with the support of the secretariat	Submissions by June 2027	A.3.5 Submissions on the evidence base on gender and climate change, including multidimensional factors, and examples of engaging men and boys and of gender-responsive climate action	International, regional, national
	Leading: secretariat	COP 32 (2027)	A.3.6 Synthesis report on the submissions referred to in A.3.5 above	International
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations	Intersessional period before SB 68 (2028)	A.3.7 Hybrid workshop on the topic of the synthesis report referred to in A.3.6 above	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026)	A.3.8 High-level event on how Parties are engaging all women and girls, men and boys as agents of change for socially just transitions	International
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations	Submissions by March 2027	A.3.9 Submissions on the findings of national assessments of relevant issues, such as, as appropriate, health, violence against women and	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
			girls, and care work in the context of gender and climate change	
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations, relevant United Nations entities	COP 32 (2027)	A.3.10 Dialogue on the findings reported in the submissions referred to in A.3.9 above	International
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, including relevant United Nations entities	Ongoing	A.3.11 Workshops on the findings of national assessments of relevant issues in the context of gender and climate change	International, regional
A.4 Enhance capacity-building for governments and other relevant stakeholders in collecting, analysing and applying gender- and age-disaggregated data and conducting gender analysis to help shape gender-responsive policies	Leading: Parties, national statistical systems Contributing: secretariat, relevant organizations, including those in research community	Ongoing	A.4.1 Building, strengthening and maintenance of the evidence base on gender and climate change matters	International, regional, national, subnational
	Leading: relevant organizations	Ongoing	A.4.2 Consideration of existing tools, guidelines, studies and trainings, identification of gaps, and development of new tools, guidelines, studies and trainings on the basis of the identified gaps	International, regional, national, local
	Leading: relevant organizations Contributing: Parties, national statistical systems	Ongoing	A.4.3 Promotion of existing and new tools, guidelines, studies and trainings	Regional, national, local
A.5 Promote the use of traditional media, social media, web resources and innovative communication tools to effectively communicate to all relevant stakeholders and the public about climate change and climate action, including their gendered aspects, targeting communications such	Leading: Parties, national gender and climate change focal points, national focal points for Action for Climate Empowerment	Ongoing	A.5.1 Inclusion of gender-responsive communication, public awareness-raising strategies, research and other relevant Action for Climate Empowerment elements that take into account the specific needs of all women and girls in official climate planning and reporting processes	Regional, national

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
that they reach different groups, particularly women and girls in vulnerable situations	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations Contributing: secretariat, media, researchers, communicators, technologists, national focal points for Action for Climate Empowerment	Ongoing	A.5.2 Organization of workshops on communication to explore and test strategies, tools, narrative framing and storytelling that also addresses misinformation and disinformation and promotes media literacy on gender and climate matters, and inclusion of grass-roots actors in the design and delivery of those workshops	International, regional, national, local
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, civil society organizations, women's groups Contributing: media organizations	Ongoing	A.5.3 Capacity-building programmes and communication tools tailored to the needs of Indigenous Peoples, and local communities, grass-roots women, rural women, and community-based organizations	International, regional, national, local
	Leading: Parties, national gender and climate change focal points Contributing: secretariat	2029	A.5.4 Exchange of experience and best practices on gender-responsive communication tools and resources	International

Abbreviations and acronyms: COP = Conference of the Parties; SB = sessions of the subsidiary bodies; SBI = Subsidiary Body for Implementation; SBSTA = Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice.

Table 2

Priority area B: gender balance, participation and women's leadership

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
B.1 Foster the full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership of all women and girls, particularly Indigenous women and women from local communities, taking into account multidimensional factors, by promoting capacity-building initiatives for leadership and negotiation	Leading: relevant organizations, secretariat, Parties Contributing: relevant United Nations entities	Ongoing, primarily during intersessional periods	B.1.1 In-person and virtual workshops, capacity-building and networking to promote the exchange of experience and best practices between women delegates, considering Indigenous Peoples' knowledge, traditional knowledge and local knowledge systems, as well as the practices	International, regional, national, local

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
skills and by eliminating barriers for women in decision-making processes at all levels	Leading: relevant organizations	Ongoing	B.1.2 Events to promote the exchange of experience between women, including consideration of Indigenous Peoples' knowledge, traditional knowledge and local knowledge systems, as well as their practices	International, regional, national, local
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations	Ongoing	B.1.3 Information on mentorship programmes and networks to be made accessible on websites hosted by the secretariat and those providing support	International, regional
	Leading: Parties and relevant organizations	Submissions by March 2027, 2030 and 2033	B.1.4 Submissions on the topic for the annual thematic dialogue referred to in B.1.5 below	International
	Leading: secretariat, Parties Contributing: relevant organizations, UNFCCC constituencies	COP 32 COP 35 COP 38	B.1.5 Thematic dialogue on 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 to scale up gender-responsive climate action, considering all relevant targets and goals of activities under the Convention	International
	Leading: secretariat	SB 68 SB 74 SB 80	B.1.6 Report on the dialogue referred to in B.1.5 above and a visual summary	International
	Leading: relevant organizations	Following the thematic dialogue referred to in B.1.5 above	B.1.7 Dissemination of knowledge products and tools on how to apply gender-responsive solutions and innovations identified in the annual thematic dialogue referred to in B.1.5 above	Regional, national
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations	Ongoing	B.1.8 In-person and virtual workshops and other learning opportunities to enhance leadership skills and participation of all women and girls	International, regional, national, local
B.2 Promote travel funds and capacity-building to improve the full, meaningful, and equal participation and leadership of women in delegations at United Nations Climate Change conferences, as well as funds for supporting the participation of Indigenous Peoples, grass-roots local communities from developing countries, the least developed countries	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations	Ongoing	B.2.1 Increased representation of women in Party delegations	National
	Leading: Parties Contributing: relevant organizations, secretariat	Ongoing	B.2.2 Mobilization of travel funds to increase women's participation in the UNFCCC process	International, national

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
and small island developing States, and encourage Parties and relevant organizations to share information on travel funding	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026) COP 35 (2030) COP 39 (2034)	B.2.3 Gender composition of Party delegates having received funding through the trust fund for participation in the UNFCCC process for in-person participation in the United Nations Climate Change conferences reported	International, national
B.3 Facilitate the full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership of women in United Nations Climate Change conferences and UNFCCC events and the provision of a safe and dignified workspace, through the gender, care, safeguard- and accessibility-responsiveness of UNFCCC operations and event organization that promotes gender balance, and women's participation and leadership	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations	Submissions by June 2028	B.3.1 Submissions to inform the development of a monitoring framework	International
	Leading: COP Presidencies, hosts of UNFCCC events, secretariat	Biennial after SB 68 (2028)	B.3.2 Monitoring of UNFCCC operations and event organization using the above-mentioned monitoring framework; report to the governing bodies by the Executive Secretary on the above	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026) COP 35 (2030) COP 39 (2034)	B.3.3 Report to the governing bodies by the Executive Secretary on how cases of harassment that are reported to the secretariat at United Nations Climate Change conferences and events are addressed	International
B.4 Enhance safety, protection mechanisms and support for women, especially for women environmental defenders and women engaging in climate action, taking into account multidimensional factors, to enable them to exercise their full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership and to promote knowledge-sharing on climate policies and action	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, including grass-roots organizations	By March 2027	B.4.1 Workshops on challenges and barriers to women's full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership, taking into account multidimensional factors	Regional
	Leading: relevant organizations, including relevant United Nations entities and grass-roots organizations	Submissions by May 2027	B.4.2 Preparation of reports on the workshops referred to in B.4.1 above and submission thereof to the UNFCCC	Regional
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations, including relevant United Nations entities and grass-roots organizations	SB 66 (2027)	B.4.3 Workshop on challenges and barriers to women's full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership, taking into account multidimensional factors	International
	Leading: Parties, secretariat, relevant organizations Contributing: Facilitative Working Group of the Local	Ongoing	B.4.4 Development of guidelines for support, protection and safe participation of women at meetings and events at all levels	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
	Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform, Indigenous Peoples' organizations, organizations of women of African descent, United Nations entities, relevant organizations			

Abbreviations and acronyms: COP = Conference of the Parties; IPCC = Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change; SB = sessions of the subsidiary bodies.

Table 3
Priority area C: coherence

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
C.1 Ensure that Chairs and members of UNFCCC constituted bodies and chairs and facilitators overseeing work programmes under the UNFCCC process are introduced to gender-related mandates and to the importance of gender-responsiveness in the context of their work in a consistent and systematic manner to support implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and the Belém gender action plan	Leading: secretariat	Ongoing, taking into account relevant milestones	C.1.1 As part of their induction, all new members of constituted bodies and chairs and facilitators overseeing work programmes are introduced to the importance of gender-responsiveness in the context of their work and capacity-building is provided on request and subject to the availability of resources	International
C.2 Facilitate, among the Chairs of UNFCCC constituted bodies and chairs and facilitators overseeing work programmes under the UNFCCC process, the exchange of views and best practices on how to strengthen the integration of a gender perspective into their work, taking into account the synthesis reports on progress in integrating a gender perspective into constituted body processes referred to in paragraph 22 of decision 7/CP.29 (on the enhanced Lima work programme on gender)	Leading: Chairs of UNFCCC constituted bodies, chairs and facilitators of work programmes under the UNFCCC process, secretariat Contributing: gender focal points of UNFCCC constituted bodies, relevant organizations	By August 2027	C.2.1 Virtual interactive dialogue on integration of a gender perspective into the work of and under UNFCCC constituted bodies and work programmes	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 32 (2027)	C.2.2 Report on the dialogue referred to in C.2.1 above	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
	Leading: secretariat	COP 32 (2027)	C.2.3 Update of the compilation of good practices for integrating a gender perspective into the work of and under the UNFCCC constituted bodies and work programmes	International
C.3 Strengthen gender mainstreaming under the UNFCCC process to support implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan	Leading: constituted bodies	Ongoing	C.3.1 Constituted bodies support action and implementation of the enhanced Lima work programme on gender and the Belém gender action plan, in line with their mandates	International
	Contributing: secretariat			
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, constituted bodies	Ongoing, taking into account relevant milestones and reporting and communication cycles	C.3.2 Gender-related inputs are submitted under processes of the UNFCCC constituted bodies, including that of the Standing Committee on Finance	International
	Leading: constituted bodies, Parties	Ongoing	C.3.3 Constituted bodies ensure gender expertise among members, expert groups and observers, and include information on this in their regular reports	International
	Leading: COP Presidencies	Ongoing	C.3.4 COP Presidencies promote gender expertise in their teams	International
C.4 Strengthen cooperation related to the work of the subsidiary bodies, relevant United Nations entities and the Joint Liaison Group of the secretariats of the UNFCCC, the Convention on Biological Diversity and the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (see document FCCC/CP/2025/12 , para. 72) on their work, as applicable, including under the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, as applicable	Leading: secretariat	Each session of the COP	C.4.1 In-session dialogue on Gender Day focused on thematic workstreams relevant to promoting coherence, reflecting multidimensional factors	International
	Contributing: gender focal points of the Rio Conventions, relevant gender experts, financial institutions, relevant organizations, including an invitation to the IPCC			
	Leading: secretariat	COP 32 (2027)	C.4.2 Dialogue on best practices and examples of gender mainstreaming to promote coherence and synergies with the UNFCCC	International
	Contributing: Joint Liaison Group and gender focal points for the Rio Conventions	COP 35 (2030) COP 38 (2033)		

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
C.5 Encourage gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and actions	Leading: Parties Contributing: relevant organizations	Ongoing	C.5.1 Analyses, assessments and mapping of key sectors and institutions that are critical to gender-responsive climate policy and action	National, subnational
	Leading: Parties Contributing: relevant organizations, secretariat	Ongoing	C.5.2 Inclusion of information on gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and actions, as reported by Parties in regular reports and communications under the UNFCCC and in national and sectoral plans	International, national
	Leading: secretariat, Parties Contributing: relevant organizations	2028 2033	C.5.3 Regional virtual workshops for Parties to exchange information on lessons learned	Regional
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations	After the first regional virtual workshop (see C.5.3 above) held in 2028	C.5.4 Development of guidelines for gender-responsive UNFCCC policies, plans, strategies and actions	International
C.6 Strengthen national- and local-level coherence on gender and climate change across the policy life cycle, as applicable	Leading: Parties, particularly ministries relevant to gender and climate matters and those responsible for relevant sectoral and national climate-related plans Contributing: relevant organizations	Ongoing	C.6.1 Establishment and fostering of national and subnational gender and climate change coordination and coherence mechanisms, including identifying key decision makers	Regional, national, subnational, local
	Leading: Parties	Ongoing	C.6.2 Inclusion of information on main coordination and coherence mechanisms and how they are operationalized in reports and communications under the UNFCCC process	International, national
	Leading: Parties	Ongoing	C.6.3 Identification of key focal points within delegations and establishment of a national network for consistent gender mainstreaming	National

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
	Contributing: relevant organizations			
	Leading: Parties Contributing: relevant organizations	Ongoing	C.6.4 Provision of capacity-building on gender within the respective UNFCCC workstreams, including through briefings and workshops	National
C.7 Support the attendance of national gender and climate change focal points at relevant meetings	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations	Ongoing	C.7.1 Mobilization of travel funds for national gender and climate change focal points	National
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations	Ongoing	C.7.2 Provision of support for the attendance of national gender and climate change focal points at relevant mandated UNFCCC meetings through the coordination of travel support provided to national gender and climate change focal points, upon request and subject to the availability of such support	International
	Leading: secretariat	Ongoing	C.7.3 Regular updates on travel support by the secretariat to national gender and climate change focal points	International

Abbreviations and acronyms: COP = Conference of the Parties.

Table 4
Priority area D: gender-responsive implementation and means of implementation

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
D.1 Share experience in and support capacity-building for public finance instruments and methodologies, such as gender-responsive budgeting, to advance gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and actions, as appropriate	Leading: Parties, secretariat, relevant organizations	Submissions by June 2026	D.1.1 Submissions on experience in implementing gender-responsive financial instruments and methodologies, and available capacity-building in this regard	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026)	D.1.2 Synthesis report on submissions	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026) COP 39 (2034)	D.1.3 Report on the implementation of paragraph 23 of decision 7/CP.29 for inclusion in the annual gender composition report	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
	Leading: secretariat	COP 31 (2026) for biennial budget 2028–2029 COP 33 (2028) for biennial budget 2030–2031 COP 35 (2030) for biennial budget 2032–2033 COP 37 (2032) for biennial budget 2034–2035	D.1.4 In preparation for each biennial budget of the secretariat, inclusion of a status update on the implementation of paragraph 23 of decision 7/CP.29	International
D.2 Promote the implementation of gender-responsive technological solutions for addressing climate change, including by but not limited to strengthening, protecting and preserving Indigenous Peoples' knowledge, traditional knowledge and local knowledge systems, as well as their practices in different sectors, and for improving climate resilience, including nature-based solutions and ecosystem-based adaptation, among others.	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, constituted bodies Contributing: secretariat, relevant organizations	Ongoing	D.2.1 Workshops, capacity-building initiatives and webinars that enhance women's and girls' full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership in science, technology, research and development at all levels, from planning and implementation to the evaluation process	International, regional, national
	Leading: Parties, secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations, including designated national entities under the Climate Technology Centre and Network and the Technology Executive Committee	SB 66 (2027)	D.2.2 Dialogue on upscaling and promoting gender-responsive technological solutions, including access to them, considering differentiated impacts of climate change on women and men and access to technology, education, training and decent work and quality jobs	International
	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations, organizations of Indigenous women, and of women from local communities	Ongoing	D.2.3 Knowledge exchanges	Regional
D.3 Raise awareness of the financial and technical support available for mainstreaming gender in climate policies, plans, strategies and actions, as	Leading: Parties Contributing: operating entities of the Financial	Ongoing	D.3.1 Webinars, communication materials and events	International, regional, national

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
appropriate, including lessons learned for facilitating access to climate finance for grass-roots women's organizations, Indigenous Peoples and local communities, including through direct access modalities, and for implementing the enhanced Lima work programme and its gender action plan	Mechanism, relevant multilateral development banks, private sector and philanthropic financial institutions, relevant organizations, secretariat			
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, relevant multilateral development banks, private sector and philanthropic financial institutions, relevant organizations	Ongoing	D.3.2 Joint webinars, communication materials, and events, including at UNFCCC sessions and during intersessional periods	International, regional
	Leading: secretariat, relevant organizations	Ongoing	D.3.3 Published information on available support on the UNFCCC website and on websites of relevant organizations	International
	Leading: relevant organizations, financial institutions	Ongoing	D.3.4 Targeted in-person and online training, including skills development for identifying and accessing existing finance	Regional, national, local
D.4 Advance methods for improving the gender-responsiveness of climate finance	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Standing Committee on Finance, operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, public and private financial entities, relevant multilateral development banks, relevant financial institutions, philanthropic organizations, relevant organizations, constituted bodies	SB 66 (2027) SB 76 (2032)	D.4.1 Invitation to the constituted bodies, operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, and relevant public and private entities to share information on their efforts to advance gender-responsive climate finance	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
D.5 Support the collection and consolidation of information on gender and climate change in sectors and thematic areas as well as identify experts on gender and climate change and enhance knowledge platforms on gender and climate change	Leading: secretariat Contributing: constituted bodies	2027, 2032	D.4.2 Dialogue report	International
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, relevant multilateral development banks, private sector and philanthropic financial institutions, relevant organizations, constituted bodies	Annually at sessions of the subsidiary bodies	D.4.3 Invitation to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, multilateral climate funds and national gender and climate change focal points to engage in an interactive dialogue on progress in the delivery of gender-responsive climate finance	International
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, Adaptation Fund, Global Environment Facility, Green Climate Fund, Fund for responding to Loss and Damage, constituted bodies	SB 66 (2027)	D.4.4 Organization of a workshop on experience in implementing gender-related mandates of the Adaptation Fund, Global Environment Facility, Green Climate Fund and Fund for responding to Loss and Damage, including a focus on developing countries, the least developed countries and small island developing States	International
	Leading: secretariat	SB 66 (2027)	D.5.1 Report on commonalities between existing knowledge platforms and expert platforms, as well as potential gaps	International
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations, including an invitation to the IPCC	SB 64 (2026)	D.5.2 Expert dialogue on relevant issues in gender- and age-disaggregated data and gender analysis	International
	Leading: Parties, secretariat, relevant organizations	Ongoing	D.5.3 Strengthen existing knowledge and expertise platforms on gender and climate change matters and respond to identified gaps following the outcomes of the expert dialogue	International, regional, national

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
D.6 Strengthen collaboration among gender, climate change entities and other relevant entities to advance gender-responsive implementation of climate plans, policies and strategies	Leading: Parties Contributing: civil society organizations, international organizations, academic institutions, relevant organizations, secretariat	Ongoing	D.6.1 Strengthen sectoral and cross-sectoral coordination mechanisms	International, regional, national, local
	Leading: relevant organizations Contributing: Parties	Ongoing	D.6.2 Collaboration on gender and climate change matters across different international forums and events	International, regional, national, subnational
D.7. Enhance the collection, analysis, dissemination, management and use of gender- and age-disaggregated data for gender analysis, taking into consideration multidimensional factors, to better inform the implementation of gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and actions, as applicable and to the extent they relate to relevant issues	Leading: Parties, relevant organizations Contributing: national statistical offices, academic institutions, national gender and climate change focal points	Ongoing	D.7.1 Building of institutional capacity to collect, manage and use gender- and age-disaggregated data for gender analysis in national climate systems, as applicable	National, subnational
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations	COP 32 (2027) COP 37 (2032)	D.7.2 Global dialogue on gender and environment data to exchange best practices	International

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Table 5
Priority area E: monitoring and reporting

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
E.1 Strengthen the monitoring of and reporting on the full, meaningful and equal participation of women in leadership positions within the UNFCCC process, in the context of the gender composition report referred to in paragraph 22(b) of decision 7/CP.29 , including by conducting case studies	Leading: secretariat	Ongoing	E.1.1 Inclusion of additional information in gender composition report on trends, progress and persistent gaps over time	International
	Leading: secretariat	Annually	E.1.2 Inclusion of evidence-based, regionally balanced case studies on multidimensional factors in the gender composition report	International
	Leading: Parties, observers	Ongoing	E.1.3 Submissions on best practices on ensuring full, meaningful and equal participation and leadership of women, as well as gender balance at	International, national

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
			the national level, including relevant political and technical positions in ministries, in delegations and elected positions under the UNFCCC to inform the gender composition report	
	Leading: secretariat	Annually	E.1.4 Communication of findings of the gender composition report to heads of delegation	International
	Leading: Parties, COP Presidencies	Annually, starting at COP 31 (2026)	E.1.5 Voluntary reporting of gender composition of national delegations and technical teams supporting the COP Presidency and high-level champions, including on gender- and age-disaggregated data	International, national
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations	Ongoing, with evaluation of progress in 2029	E.1.6 Inclusion of additional data collection on multidimensional factors in registration processes for delegations and tracking progress over time	International, regional
E.2 Monitor and report on the implementation of gender-responsive climate policies, plans, strategies and actions, as reported by Parties in their regular reports and communications under the UNFCCC process and through voluntary reporting under the gender action plan, as applicable	Leading: secretariat	COP 32 (2027) COP 35 (2030) COP 38 (2033)	E.2.1 Compilation and synthesis report	International
	Leading: secretariat Contributing: Parties	Ongoing	E.2.2 Synthesis reports produced by the secretariat on climate policies, strategies, plans and action and on regular reports and communications under the UNFCCC process integrate gender considerations	International
	Leading: secretariat	COP 33 (2028)	E.2.3 Development of guidelines for voluntary Party reporting on mainstreaming gender in climate policy, plans, strategies and actions, reflecting multidimensional factors	International
	Leading: Parties	After COP 33 and aligned with the biennial transparency report cycle	E.2.4 Voluntary national reporting through existing reporting frameworks	International, national, subnational
E.3 Facilitate training and capacity-building for monitoring and reporting in relation to gender and climate change matters	Leading: secretariat Contributing: relevant organizations	2031	E.3.1 In-person and online learning course	International
	Leading: secretariat	SB 68 (2028)	E.4.1 Dialogue on synergies	International

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibilities</i>	<i>Timeline</i>	<i>Deliverables/outputs</i>	<i>Level of implementation</i>
E.4 Promote synergies between the enhanced Lima work programme and its gender action plan, the work of the IPCC and work undertaken by Parties and relevant organizations in preparation for the global stocktake regarding gender- and age-disaggregated data	Contributing: Parties, relevant organizations, including an invitation to the IPCC Leading: secretariat	2028	E.4.2 Dialogue report	International

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Decision 8/CP.30

National adaptation plans

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decisions [1/CP.16](#), [3/CP.17](#), [5/CP.17](#), [12/CP.18](#), [18/CP.19](#), [3/CP.20](#), [1/CP.21](#), [4/CP.21](#), [6/CP.22](#), [8/CP.24](#), [7/CP.25](#), [3/CP.26](#), [9/CP.27](#), [1/CMA.5](#) and [2/CMA.5](#),

Recognizing the specific needs and special circumstances of developing country Parties, especially those that are particularly vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change,

Acknowledging the significant need for adaptation finance, technology transfer and capacity-building for the formulation and implementation of national adaptation plans in developing countries,

1. *Acknowledges* that developing country Parties have made some progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans since the assessment of such progress at the forty-eighth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation,¹ noting that they continue to face limitations in this regard;
2. *Notes with concern* that developing country Parties continue to face challenges in accessing finance, technology transfer and capacity-building support for formulating and implementing national adaptation plans;
3. *Welcomes* the submission, between 1 January 2023 and 18 November 2025, of national adaptation plans by Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Burundi, Ecuador, Haiti, Indonesia, Israel, Jordan, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, the Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, the Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Somalia, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Tuvalu, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe,² bringing the total number of national adaptation plans submitted by developing country Parties to 71, as well as the submission of sectoral adaptation plans and other outputs related to the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans by developing country Parties³ and updated national adaptation plans by Burkina Faso and Grenada during the same period;
4. *Also welcomes* the submission, between 1 January 2023 and 18 November 2025, of national adaptation plans by developed country Parties, namely Australia, Austria, Canada, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Netherlands (Kingdom of the), New Zealand, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America;⁴
5. *Recalls* that the objectives of the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans are to reduce vulnerability to the impacts of climate change by building adaptive capacity and resilience; and to facilitate the integration of climate change adaptation, in a coherent manner, into relevant new and existing policies, programmes and activities, in particular development planning processes and strategies, within all relevant sectors and at different levels, as appropriate;⁵
6. *Acknowledges* that the two assessments of progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans to date, one conducted in 2015, resulting in decision [4/CP.21](#), and one in 2018, resulting in decision [8/CP.24](#), found that gaps and needs in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans remain;
7. *Reiterates* that enhanced action on adaptation should be undertaken in accordance with the Convention and the Paris Agreement, should follow a country-driven, gender-responsive, participatory and fully transparent approach, taking into consideration vulnerable

¹ See document [FCCC/SBI/2018/INF.1](#) and decision [8/CP.24](#).

² Available at <https://napcentral.org/submitted-NAPs>.

³ Available at <https://napcentral.org/sectoral-naps>.

⁴ Available at <https://napcentral.org/developedcountriesnaps>.

⁵ Decision [5/CP.17](#), para. 1.

groups, communities and ecosystems, and should be based on and guided by the best available science and, as appropriate, traditional and Indigenous Peoples' knowledge, and by gender-responsive approaches, with a view to integrating adaptation into relevant social, economic and environmental policies and actions, where appropriate;

8. *Notes* the importance of involving Indigenous Peoples, and local communities in developing and implementing adaptation action and of incorporating traditional knowledge, Indigenous Peoples' knowledge, local knowledge systems, and ecosystem-based adaptation and nature-based solutions into national adaptation plans, as appropriate;

9. *Notes with concern* that funding provided to developing country Parties for the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans through the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, bilateral and multilateral programmes, and other channels, remains inadequate and that the resulting significant financial gap remains a barrier to the effective and timely implementation of national adaptation plans;

10. *Also notes with concern* that, despite efforts made by relevant actors to streamline and simplify access to finance for the formulation and implementation of national adaptation plans, delayed access to such finance continues to significantly hinder progress in adaptation action and resilience, including towards achieving the global goal on adaptation;

11. *Notes* the importance of effectively tracking the provision of adaptation finance for the formulation and implementation of national adaptation plans by developing countries;

12. *Requests* the Least Developed Countries Expert Group to compile from relevant reports, in collaboration with the Adaptation Committee and the Standing Committee on Finance, an overview of climate finance flows and financial support provided by developed country Parties to developing country Parties for formulating and implementing national adaptation plans for inclusion in the 2026 report on progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans to be prepared for consideration at the sixty-fifth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (November 2026);

13. *Welcomes* the approval by the Least Developed Countries Fund, as at 30 June 2025, of six proposals from the least developed countries for funding for formulating their national adaptation plans, amounting to USD 60.3 million;

14. *Also welcomes* the approval by the Green Climate Fund, as at 31 October 2025, of 144 national and other adaptation planning grants under the Green Climate Fund Readiness and Preparatory Support Programme for 121 developing country Parties, amounting to USD 320 million;

15. *Notes* the importance of enhanced knowledge on climate change impacts and adaptation solutions and of monitoring, evaluation and learning systems for the implementation of national adaptation plans and for increasing understanding of progress in adaptation efforts and progress in reducing vulnerability and building resilience to climate change impacts;

16. *Welcomes* the support provided under United Nations organizations, specialized agencies, and other regional and international support programmes, as well as bilateral and multilateral agencies, to developing country Parties for the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans and *invites* such entities to continue to provide support in this regard;

17. *Notes* the gaps and needs referred to in the 2024 synthesis report by the secretariat on progress towards the achievement of the objectives of the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans,⁶ including in terms of the provision of adequate and predictable finance, technology transfer and capacity-building support, and in relation to access to adequate data on downscaled and localized climate scenarios for use in impact, vulnerability and risk assessments, and to tools for collecting and assimilating national data on climate variables and on socioeconomic risks and vulnerabilities and for designing adaptation actions to address medium- and long-term needs;

⁶ [FCCC/SBI/2024/10](#).

18. *Requests* the Adaptation Committee and the Least Developed Countries Expert Group, in line with their respective mandates, to enhance their work on addressing the gaps and needs referred to in paragraph 17 above and to include information thereon in their annual reports to the relevant governing body or bodies;
19. *Also requests* the Least Developed Countries Expert Group to prepare, in collaboration with the Adaptation Committee, a technical paper on how the least developed countries and small island developing States are integrating different adaptation approaches into the national adaptation plans;
20. *Notes* the importance of local, regional and international platforms that provide information on and facilitate capacity-building support for adaptation action, for addressing climate change impacts and for enhancing expertise in adaptation, thereby contributing to the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans;
21. *Recognizes* the importance of integrating adaptation action into relevant development plans and processes at the national, subnational, local and sectoral level, as appropriate;
22. *Highlights* that there are benefits of exploring synergies between the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans and other relevant plans and strategies, as appropriate;
23. *Recalls* that national adaptation plans are one of the important channels via which the targets referred to in paragraphs 9–10 of decision [2/CMA.5](#) could be achieved;⁷
24. *Decides* that the next assessment of progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans will take place at its thirty-fifth session (November 2030);
25. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to make recommendations on the actions and steps necessary for it to initiate the assessment referred to in paragraph 24 above at its seventieth session (June 2029) for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-fourth session (November 2029);
26. *Also requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, at its sixty-fifth session, to continue consideration of national adaptation plans taking into account the 2026 report on progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans;
27. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraphs 12 and 19 above;
28. *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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⁷ Decision [3/CMA.6](#), para. 16.

Decision 9/CP.30

Term, composition and terms of reference of the Consultative Group of Experts

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling Article 4, paragraphs 1, 3 and 7, and Article 12, paragraphs 1, 4, 5 and 7, of the Convention,

Also recalling Article 13, paragraphs 1, 14 and 15, of the Paris Agreement,

Further recalling decisions [8/CP.5](#), [3/CP.8](#), [17/CP.8](#), [5/CP.15](#), [1/CP.16](#), [2/CP.17](#), [14/CP.17](#), [17/CP.18](#), [18/CP.18](#), [19/CP.19](#), [20/CP.19](#), [1/CP.21](#), [20/CP.22](#), [11/CP.24](#) and [14/CP.26](#),

Recalling decision [18/CMA.1](#), paragraph 15,

Recognizing that the Consultative Group of Experts plays an important role in facilitating the provision of technical advice and support to developing country Parties and in facilitating improved reporting over time, as applicable, in relation to the preparation and submission of national communications, biennial update reports, national greenhouse gas inventories and biennial transparency reports, as relevant,

Also recognizing the special circumstances of the least developed countries and small island developing States in accordance with Article 13, paragraph 3, of the Paris Agreement,

1. *Emphasizes* that the Consultative Group of Experts plays a dual role in that it serves both the Convention and the Paris Agreement and that it shall continue to provide technical advice and support to developing country Parties for fulfilling their reporting obligations under the Convention and the Paris Agreement;

2. *Decides* that the term of the Consultative Group of Experts will continue;

3. *Also decides* that the Consultative Group of Experts shall be composed of 27 members as follows, noting that members shall be nominated by their respective regional groups:

(a) Two from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;

(b) Six from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention, noting that these seats shall be equally distributed among the three regional groups of Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention referred to in paragraph 3(d–e) and (g) below;

(c) One from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention from Eastern European States;

(d) Three from African States;

(e) Three from Asia-Pacific States;

(f) One from Eastern European States;

(g) Three from Latin American and Caribbean States;

(h) Three from Western European and other States;

(i) One from the least developed countries;

(j) One from small island developing States;

(k) One from each of three international organizations with relevant experience in providing technical assistance to Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention and developing country Parties in the preparation of national communications, biennial update reports and biennial transparency reports;

4. *Further decides* that the Consultative Group of Experts shall be composed of experts drawn from the UNFCCC roster of experts with expertise in at least one of the sections of

national communications, biennial update reports and biennial transparency reports in accordance with the relevant guidelines;¹

5. *Encourages* regional groups, the least developed countries and small island developing States, in nominating their experts to the Consultative Group of Experts, to make every effort to ensure balanced representation in the areas of expertise referred to in paragraph 4 above, and to take into account gender balance in accordance with decisions [36/CP.7](#) and [23/CP.18](#);

6. *Decides* that the members of the Consultative Group of Experts shall remain in office until their successors are elected and that, in such cases, the Consultative Group of Experts shall notify, via the secretariat, the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation thereof;

7. *Also decides* that the terms of service of the Chair and the Rapporteur of the Consultative Group of Experts shall remain unchanged from the guidance set out in paragraph 6 of the annex to decision [3/CP.8](#);

8. *Adopts* the revised terms of reference of the Consultative Group of Experts contained in the annex;

9. *Decides* that the provisions in this decision and the revised terms of reference of the Consultative Group of Experts shall become effective on 1 January 2026;

10. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to initiate consideration of the composition of the Consultative Group of Experts and its terms of reference at its seventy-eighth session (2033), taking into account the needs of developing countries for capacity-building in relation to reporting under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, with a view to recommending draft decisions on these matters for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty- eighth session (2033);

11. *Also requests* the secretariat to facilitate the work of the Consultative Group of Experts pursuant to this decision;

12. *Takes note* of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat referred to in paragraph 11 above;

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

¹ See decision [17/CP.8](#), annex; decision [2/CP.17](#), annex III; decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex; decision [5/CMA.3](#), annexes I–VI; and decision [9/CMA.4](#).

Annex

Revised terms of reference of the Consultative Group of Experts

1. The objective of the Consultative Group of Experts shall be to provide technical advice and support to developing country Parties for enhancing their institutional and technical capacity to fulfil their reporting obligations under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, with a particular emphasis on the implementation of the enhanced transparency framework under the Paris Agreement, with a view to facilitating improvements in their reporting over time. Taking into account paragraph 98 of decision [1/CP.21](#), paragraphs 38 and 43(a–b) of decision [1/CP.24](#), paragraphs 3–4 of decision [18/CMA.1](#) and paragraph 1 of decision [5/CMA.3](#), the Consultative Group of Experts shall ensure that it prioritizes its work in a manner that addresses the challenges, constraints and needs of developing country Parties, recognizing the special circumstances of the least developed countries and small island developing States, as recognized in Article 13, paragraph 3, of the Paris Agreement.

2. In fulfilling its mandate¹ to support implementation of the existing measurement, reporting and verification arrangements under the Convention by Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (non-Annex I Parties), the Consultative Group of Experts shall, as appropriate:

(a) Provide, taking into account paragraphs 38 and 43(a–b) of decision [1/CP.24](#), technical assistance and support to non-Annex I Parties to facilitate the process of and the preparation of their national communications² and biennial update reports, as applicable, in accordance with the “Guidelines for the preparation of national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention”, contained in the annex to decision [17/CP.8](#), and the “UNFCCC biennial update reporting guidelines for Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention”, contained in annex III to decision [2/CP.17](#);

(b) Provide recommendations, as appropriate, on elements to be considered in a future revision of the “Guidelines for the preparation of national communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention”, taking into account the experience of non-Annex I Parties in preparing their national communications;

(c) Provide technical advice and support to Parties, upon request, on the provision of the information to be reported on steps taken to integrate climate change considerations into relevant social, economic and environmental policies and actions in accordance with Article 4, paragraph 1, of the Convention;

(d) Provide guidance and periodic advice to the secretariat, as applicable, to assist it in fulfilling the selection criteria for the composition of teams of technical experts, in accordance with paragraphs 3–5 of the annex to decision [20/CP.19](#), taking into account the reports provided by the secretariat in this regard on a semi-annual basis;

(e) Continue updating and organizing, as needed, with the assistance of the secretariat, the training programmes for nominated technical experts for the technical analysis of biennial update reports, on the basis of the most up-to-date training materials of the Consultative Group of Experts, with a view to improving the technical analysis, taking into account the experience of non-Annex I Parties, in particular the least developed countries and small island developing States, in preparing their biennial update reports, and increasing the representation of the least developed countries and small island developing States in teams of technical experts.

¹ Decision [11/CP.24](#).

² In accordance with decision [1/CP.24](#), para. 43(a), Parties may submit their national communication and biennial transparency report as a single report in accordance with the modalities, procedures and guidelines for the transparency framework for action and support referred to in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement, as contained in the annex to decision [18/CMA.1](#), for information also covered by the national communication reporting guidelines contained in, as applicable, decisions [4/CP.5](#) and [17/CP.8](#).

3. In fulfilling its mandate³ to support implementation of the enhanced transparency framework under Article 13 of the Paris Agreement, the Consultative Group of Experts shall:

(a) Facilitate the provision of technical advice and support to developing country Parties, including for the preparation and submission of their biennial transparency reports, and facilitate improved reporting over time in accordance with the modalities, procedures and guidelines for the transparency framework for action and support referred to in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement,⁴ as applicable;

(b) Provide technical advice to the secretariat on the implementation of the training programme for technical expert review teams referred to in paragraph 12(c) of decision [18/CMA.1](#);

(c) With the assistance of the secretariat, support developing country Parties, including through national focal points, in providing additional support to experts to complete the training programmes and increase participation in the technical expert review, to assist the secretariat in meeting its obligations under paragraph 178 of the annex to decision [18/CMA.1](#).

4. The Consultative Group of Experts, in providing technical advice and support, should, to the extent possible:

(a) Give special consideration to the least developed countries and small island developing States, including in the context of the need to improve the ability of experts to participate in technical expert reviews;

(b) Identify and take into account, as appropriate, lessons learned and best practices, and the challenges, constraints and needs of developing country Parties pertaining to preparing, as appropriate, the reports referred to in paragraphs 2(a) and 3(a) above, including in relation to financial and other support available, as well as the areas for improvement and capacity-building needs identified in biennial transparency reports, technical analyses of biennial update reports and technical expert reviews of biennial transparency reports;

(c) Seek to promote sectoral, gender and geographical balance among experts from developing country Parties eligible to participate in technical expert reviews;

(d) Facilitate the development and long-term sustainability of the processes for preparing, as appropriate and relevant, the reports referred to in paragraphs 2(a) and 3(a) above, including by providing technical advice and support on elaborating appropriate institutional arrangements, facilitating long-term planning with regard to implementing the enhanced transparency framework and establishing and maintaining national technical teams;

(e) Provide information on existing activities and programmes, including bilateral, regional and multilateral sources of financial and technical assistance, to facilitate and support the preparation, as appropriate, of the reports referred to in paragraphs 2(a) and 3(a) above;

(f) Seek to increase, including through the national focal points, the pool of qualified technical experts through targeted outreach and training initiatives, focusing on building and maintaining a sustainable pool of reviewers;

(g) Provide technical advice and support to developing country Parties in their efforts to establish, develop and enhance robust and sustainable reporting systems, as applicable, with a view to preserving institutional memory and ensuring continuity in fulfilling their reporting obligations under the UNFCCC and the Paris Agreement.

5. The Consultative Group of Experts should collaborate, to the extent possible, with other expert groups and constituted bodies under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, as well as with representatives of relevant multilateral programmes and organizations, while avoiding duplication of work.

³ Decisions [11/CP.24](#), para. 4, and [18/CMA.1](#), para. 15.

⁴ Decision [18/CMA.1](#), annex.

6. The Consultative Group of Experts shall develop a work programme every four years, starting at its first meeting in 2026, and include information on its progress in implementing the work programme in its annual report prepared for consideration by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation.
7. The Consultative Group of Experts shall also develop an annual workplan, in line with its work programme, at its first meeting each year.
8. The Consultative Group of Experts shall include information in its annual report to the Subsidiary Body for Implementation on any resource constraints identified in implementing the work programme referred to in paragraph 6 above.
9. The Consultative Group of Experts shall forward recommendations on the matters referred to in paragraphs 2, 3 and 7 above for consideration by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, as appropriate.

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22 November 2025*

Decision 10/CP.30

Review of the functions of the Climate Technology Centre

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decisions [1/CP.16](#), [2/CP.17](#) and [10/CP.29](#),

Recognizing the efforts of the Climate Technology Centre to fulfil its functions,¹ support developing country Parties in relation to technology development and transfer as well as the effective implementation of the Technology Mechanism, as well as the progress of the Climate Technology Centre in implementing the recommendations from the first and second independent reviews of the effective implementation of the Climate Technology Centre and Network,²

1. *Decides* to extend the term of the Climate Technology Centre until the end of 2041, with an initial term of agreement of five years, followed by two five-year renewal periods if so decided by the Conference of the Parties subject to the host organization fulfilling the functions set out in annex I and the roles and responsibilities set out in paragraphs 4–5 of the terms of reference of the Climate Technology Centre and Network,³ to be determined by independent reviews thereof;
2. *Adopts* the revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre contained in annex I, which will take effect from 2027;
3. *Decides* that the next review of the term and functions of the Climate Technology Centre will be initiated at the ninetieth session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (2039) with a view to it recommending a draft decision on the matter for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its forty-fifth session (2040);
4. *Amends* paragraphs 2, 21, 22 and 23 of the terms of reference of the Climate Technology Centre and Network⁴ to reflect the revised functions and extended term of the Climate Technology Centre, as follows:
 - (a) For the existing paragraph 2 substitute: “The Climate Technology Centre and Network shall perform the functions contained in annex I to decision [10/CP.30](#)”;
 - (b) For the existing paragraph 21 substitute: “The term of agreement to host the Climate Technology Centre will be extended as stipulated in paragraph 1 of decision [10/CP.30](#)”;
 - (c) Delete the existing paragraph 22;
 - (d) Delete the existing paragraph 23;
5. *Requests* the secretariat to prepare an informal consolidated version of the terms of reference of the Climate Technology Centre and Network as amended in accordance with paragraph 4 above and make it available on the UNFCCC website;
6. *Decides* that the process for selecting the new host of the Climate Technology Centre shall be launched upon the conclusion of this session and conducted in an open, transparent, geographically balanced, fair and neutral manner in accordance with the criteria set out in annex II and informed by United Nations practices and standards;
7. *Invites* the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement to participate in the process for selecting the new host of the Climate Technology Centre;
8. *Requests* the secretariat to:

¹ Set out in decision [1/CP.16](#), para. 123.

² Contained in documents [FCCC/CP/2017/3](#), chap. V.C, and [FCCC/CP/2021/3](#), chap. V, respectively.

³ Decision [2/CP.17](#), annex VII.

⁴ Contained in decision [2/CP.17](#), annex VII.

(a) Prepare and issue a call for proposals to host the Climate Technology Centre secretariat by 16 January 2026, inviting interested organizations to submit proposals by 16 March 2026;

(b) Respond to enquiries from interested organizations, in consultation with the evaluation panel referred to in paragraph 10 below, as appropriate;

(c) Convene an evaluation panel by 1 March 2026;

(d) Make the executive summaries of the submitted proposals available on the UNFCCC website;

(e) Support the evaluation panel in preparing the evaluation report referred to in paragraph 10(b) below;

9. *Invites* the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network to designate six of its members (two from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention, two from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention and two from UNFCCC observer organizations) and the Technology Executive Committee to designate four of its members (two from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention and two from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention) to serve up until the conclusion of the evaluation process as members of the evaluation panel referred to in paragraph 8(c) above;

10. *Also invites* the evaluation panel convened by the secretariat to:

(a) Conduct an evaluation of the proposals submitted for hosting the Climate Technology Centre against the criteria set out in annex II;

(b) Prepare an evaluation report, including information on whether and how the evaluation criteria have been met in the proposals, and make the report available for consideration by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation at its sixty-fourth session (June 2026);

11. *Requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to recommend at its sixty-fourth session a draft decision on the new host of the Climate Technology Centre secretariat, on the basis of the evaluation report referred to in paragraph 10(b) above, for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session (November 2026);

12. *Also requests* the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to recommend at its sixty-fourth session elements of a memorandum of understanding between the Conference of the Parties, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement and the proposed host;

13. *Further requests* the secretariat to develop a draft memorandum of understanding with the host to be recommended by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation at its sixty-fourth session as per paragraph 11 above for consideration by the Subsidiary Body for Implementation at its sixty-fifth session (November 2026) with a view to recommending a draft decision thereon for consideration and adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its thirty-first session;

14. *Notes* the importance of ensuring continuity in the operations of the Climate Technology Centre during the transition process so as to avoid disruption in its provision of services to developing countries;

15. *Highlights* the importance of the provision of support to the Climate Technology Centre during its extended term in line with the revised functions set out in annex I;

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

Annex I

Revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre

To enhance the impact of its work, promote transformational change and support Parties in realizing technology development and transfer in order to improve resilience to climate change and reduce greenhouse gas emissions, the Climate Technology Centre shall facilitate a Network of global, regional, national and sectoral technology networks, organizations, platforms and initiatives in performing the following functions:

- (a) At the request of a developing country Party:
 - (i) Provide advice and support in:
 - a. Identifying, prioritizing and addressing technology-related needs, including by supporting the deployment of climate technologies through pilot, demonstration, diffusion and dissemination projects;
 - b. The development of enabling environments;
 - (ii) Support the enhancement of national systems of innovation and capacity for developing Indigenous and endogenous technologies;
 - (iii) Provide information, training and support for programmes aimed at building or strengthening the capacity of developing country Parties to identify technology options, make technology choices and operate, maintain and adapt technologies;
 - (iv) Facilitate prompt action on the development, deployment, diffusion and dissemination of technologies in developing country Parties on the basis of identified needs;
 - (v) Provide technical and logistical support to national designated entities to enable them to fulfil their role;
 - (vi) Support, in accordance with the respective guidelines and criteria, the preparation of project proposals to enable the financing, deployment and use of existing technologies for mitigation and adaptation;
- (b) Utilize multi-country and programmatic approaches to responding to requests for technology development and transfer;
- (c) Enable and encourage the development and transfer of climate technologies through collaboration and partnerships with private sector entities, philanthropic organizations, public institutions, and academic and research institutions, as well as through opportunities for North–South, South–South and triangular technology cooperation;
- (d) Facilitate its Network in order to:
 - (i) Cooperate with national, regional and international technology centres and relevant national organizations, including those that facilitate social inclusion and promote gender-responsive technologies, technologies led by youth, women and Indigenous Peoples as well as local communities, and endogenous technologies;
 - (ii) Foster international partnerships with public and private sector stakeholders to accelerate the development, deployment, diffusion and dissemination of climate technologies in developing countries;
 - (iii) Provide in-country technical assistance and training to support the development and implementation of identified technology actions in developing countries;
 - (iv) Stimulate the establishment of twinning centre arrangements to promote North–South, South–South and triangular partnerships with a view to encouraging cooperative research, development, demonstration and deployment;

- (v) Identify, disseminate and assist with developing analytical tools, policies and best practices for country-driven planning to support the development, diffusion and dissemination of climate technologies;
- (vi) Provide matchmaking for the purpose of securing funding for implementing technologies identified as needed by developing country Parties;
- (e) Cooperate with the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, the Adaptation Fund and UNFCCC constituted bodies;
- (f) Evaluate, in coordination with nationally designated entities, the outcomes and long-term impacts of technical assistance provided in response to requests from developing country Parties as part of the monitoring and evaluation framework of the Climate Technology Centre;
- (g) Perform other activities as may be necessary to carry out the above-mentioned functions.

Annex II

Criteria for evaluating and selecting the host of the Climate Technology Centre

The proposals submitted by interested organizations, or groups of organizations, in response to the call issued by the secretariat regarding the hosting of the Climate Technology Centre will be evaluated against the following criteria:

- (a) Governance and management:
 - (i) Be an organization, or group of organizations, capable of providing an efficient and agile service to the secretariat of the Climate Technology Centre in order for it to provide timely responses to requests from developing countries for technical assistance; in the case of bids from groups of organizations, the bid should clearly identify the organizations' respective responsibilities and roles with regard to contributing to the hosting of the Climate Technology Centre;
 - (ii) Have demonstrated ability to engage with and provide support to all developing countries, in all regions;
 - (iii) Have an effective governance structure that supports high-quality administration, ensuring the evaluation of operational performance against the following elements: the principles of integrity and transparency; reporting and accountability; the timeliness and appropriateness of responses to developing countries' requests; fiduciary standards; and legal and ethical standards, in a manner that is consistent with the principles of the United Nations;
 - (iv) Have the necessary staff recruitment and management capability;
 - (v) Have demonstrated capability to ensure timely, fair and open international tendering for the procurement of services in line with the fiduciary and ethical standards of the United Nations;
 - (vi) Be able to simultaneously manage and administer multiple and complex projects in developing countries;
 - (vii) Be able to guarantee the appropriate monitoring and tracking of the activities undertaken;
 - (viii) Have capacity to provide funds for technical and logistical support to nationally designated entities to enable them to fulfil their roles;¹
- (b) Technical capabilities:
 - (i) Have a comprehensive understanding of the development and transfer of technologies, including in the context of the Convention and the Paris Agreement, in particular an understanding of the challenges faced by developing countries, of regional, subregional and sectoral constraints and of differences regarding specific technologies, as well as have the capability to support and facilitate the transfer to and diffusion and dissemination of technology in developing countries, including through regional presence;
 - (ii) Have demonstrated experience and expertise in technology development and transfer that would enable the Climate Technology Centre to perform its revised functions as set out in annex I;
 - (iii) Have demonstrated capability to engage in partnerships with a wide range of organizations, bodies, networks and experts across geographical regions in the development and transfer of climate technologies and the facilitation of networks;

¹ Roles of national designated entities for technology development and transfer of Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention are available at <https://www.ctc-n.org/about-ctcn/nde>.

- (c) Financial management:
 - (i) Have financial management, auditing and reporting functions; a robust accountability system; sound financial systems of an international standard; and a fiduciary record that ensures the accurate and impartial administering and disbursement of funds;
 - (ii) Have demonstrated ability to secure significant funding;
 - (iii) Have a track record in financial stability and sustainability;
- (d) Climate Technology Centre and Network management plan:
 - (i) Have an overall vision and approach in terms of how it will support the effective functioning of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, including through an effective organizational structure;
 - (ii) Have a proposal for providing the secretariat of the Climate Technology Centre with in-kind and financial support;
 - (iii) Be able to identify the ways in which partners and networks could be engaged in facilitating and catalysing technical assistance;
 - (iv) Be able to evaluate its operational performance, take measures to enhance its effectiveness, and promote an independent and accountable relationship with the Conference of the Parties, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement and the UNFCCC constituted bodies, as delegated;
 - (v) Have a proposal, with established channels, for the mobilization of in-kind and financial support for the Climate Technology Centre from various sources, aligned with the timelines set out in the applicable Climate Technology Centre and Network programme of work.

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