

Elements paper for item 6

Recommendations section

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On the basis of the work it has undertaken, the Executive Committee agreed to forward the following recommendations. Parties may wish:

Welcome Parties may wish to welcome:

- a) The progress made in the implementation of the five-year rolling workplan, including the development of knowledge products and ongoing work during the reporting period, including Excom/TEC joint work.
- b) The plans of actions of TFD and TEG-CRM.
- c) The preparation of the technical paper on elaboration of the sources of and modalities for accessing financial support for addressing loss and damage on finance,¹ as an input to the 2019 WIM review.

Expression of appreciation Parties may wish to express appreciation:

- d) To all organizations and experts who contributed to the success of work being done
 - To IOM for hosting the 3rd meeting of the TFD
 - To DIE for hosting the 1st TEG-CRM meeting
 - To UNDRR for co-hosting the CRM workshop
- e) To constituted bodies of the UNFCCC for the collaboration with the Excom

Acknowledgment Parties may wish to acknowledge:

- f) That the Excom will consider identifying follow-up activities to the review of the Warsaw International Mechanism in all of its workstreams, as appropriate, at its first meeting of 2020.
- g) That based on the timeline of the global stock take (GST), the Excom will consider the role and contribution of the Excom in its future meetings, starting the first meeting of 2020.

Around support Parties may wish:

- h) To recognize the work of the Excom to increase its responsiveness, effectiveness and performance, in particular in strategic workstream (e) and Parties may wish to provide further guidance on work to be done, in particular in strategic workstream (e) consistent with F3 of the WIM²

Around science Parties may wish:

- i) To recognize the good practices of the Excom in using best-available science to inform its work.
- j) To encourage the Excom to continue to use the best available science, considering medium- and long-term implications, including the recently published special reports of the IPCC,³ and to continue to engage relevant scientific and technical panels and bodies of expertise, including the IPCC.

¹ FCCC/TP/2019/1.

² Decision 2/CP.19, para 5(c).

³ Placeholder for identifying which report.

Broader context: mitigation, holistic perspective

- k) Parties may wish to encourage the Excom, in implementing its workplan, to take into consideration that in the broadest understanding, all efforts being taken to curb the global average temperature increase and to adapt to the adverse effects of climate change can contribute to preventing or reducing the risks of loss and damage associated with climate change.*4

Better linkages with national-level efforts Parties may wish:

- l) To encourage the Excom and its subgroups to develop products that can be easily used to engage national-level stakeholders.
- m) To encourage the Excom to better disseminate the outputs of expert groups in assisting national-level efforts, including through Loss and Damage Contact points.
- n) To encourage the Excom to continue exploring further opportunities and modalities to engage national-level stakeholders, including the UNFCCC National Focal Points and Loss and Damage Contact points.

Broader context: coherence and collaboration Parties may wish:

- o) To encourage the Excom to take into consideration relevant initiatives which emerged from 2019 UNSG Climate Summit, as appropriate.
- p) To invite the ExCom to further strengthen coherence among relevant organizations in implementation of the approaches to avert, minimize and address loss and damage, consistent with F2⁵;
- q) To reiterate its recommendation⁶ that enhanced collaboration, cooperation and partnership with bodies, entities and work programmes, including the Paris Committee on Capacity-building may advance the work of the Executive Committee.

Inclusion in the non-recommendations section of the report:

- i. WIM structure diagram somewhere in the report
- ii. Some of the webpages / online products user statistics
- iii. The Excom's preparation of information for pre-2020 stock take
- iv. The Excom's plan to participate in the PCCB Capacity-building hub taking place at COP25
- v. Information on intersessional work arising from Excom 10

Points for resolution

- ETF
- Challenges faced by the Excom in implementing its work during the reporting period

*4 Reference: Technical paper on elaborating finance, para 20.

⁵ Decision 2/CP.19, paragraph 5(b)

⁶ Decision 4/CP.22, para 4.