

Glasgow–Sharm el-Sheikh work programme on the global goal on adaptation

Mandate

Decision 7/CMA.3 established a comprehensive two-year Glasgow–Sharm el-Sheikh work programme on the global goal on adaptation. The implementation of the work programme starts immediately after the third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement

Background and timeline

● **2013**

The African Group proposed, through a submission to UNFCCC submission portal, a global goal for adaptation (GGA) associating levels of climate impacts and costs to the temperature goal, and that the adaptation costs associated with the long-term goal shall constitute the GGA

● **2014**

The Paris Agreement established the Global Goal on Adaptation (Article 7.1) and the Global Stocktake which is to review, among others, the progress towards GGA (Article 7.14)

● **2018**

CMA 1 provided general guidance, in the context of the GST, on how Parties should provide information on their progress in achieving GGA (Decision 18/CMA.1 Annex D, Para 109; Decision 11/CMA.1, Para 14; Decision 9/CMA.1)

● **2019**

CMA 2 requested the Adaptation Committee to consider approaches to reviewing the overall progress made in achieving the GGA and to reflect the outcome of this consideration in its 2021 annual report (1/CMA.2, para 14).

In response, the AC prepared a technical paper on the topic which was welcomed by CMA 3

● **2021**

CMA 3 established the two-year work programme on GGA and decided for the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation to jointly carry out the work programme, and for the secretariat to support its implementation

2013 Proposal -> 2021 Decision 7/CMA.3