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# MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR AND THE VICE CHAIR OF THE TECHNOLOGY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

# Calls for inputs for preparation of the new rolling workplan of the Technology Executive Committee

I am pleased to convey to the Parties and observer States to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, United Nations organizations, admitted observer organizations and other non-Party stakeholders a message from the Chair of the Technology Executive Committee (TEC), Mr. Ambrosio Yobanolo del Real and the Vice-Chair of the Technology Executive Committee, Mr. Stig Svenningsen, regarding the calls for inputs for preparation of the new rolling workplan of the TEC. The message is contained in the annex to this note.

The Chair and the Vice-Chair of the TEC, supported by the secretariat, will take note of all submissions in the elaboration of its new rolling workplan on possible areas of work and modalities that can help the TEC implement the Technology framework under Paris Agreement and facilitate enhanced action on technology development and transfer.

Yours sincerely,

(signed by)

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**Distribution**: To Parties and observer States to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change through their national focal points and diplomatic missions accredited to the Federal Republic of Germany, as well as to United Nations organizations, admitted observer organizations and other non-Party stakeholders.



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#### Annex

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### Background

The UNFCCC <u>Technology Executive Committee (TEC)</u> is the policy arm of the Technology Mechanism, established by Parties in Cancun in 2010. It focuses on identifying policies that can accelerate the development and transfer of low-emission and climate resilient technology.

One of the functions of the TEC is to seek cooperation with relevant international technology initiatives, stakeholders and organizations, and to promote coherence and cooperation across technology activities, including activities under and outside the Convention.

The Conference of the Parties serving as Meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA) guides the work of the TEC through the <u>Technology framework</u> to promote and facilitate enhanced action on technology to support the implementation of the Paris Agreement, including through enhancing engagement and collaboration with stakeholders.

The TEC currently undertakes its work based on the agreed <u>rolling workplan for 2019-2022</u>. This workplan reflects the key themes of the Technology framework, namely: Innovation, Implementation, Enabling environment and capacity-building, Collaboration and stakeholder engagement, and Support.

#### **Call for inputs**

At its twenty-fourth meeting, the TEC initiated the preparation of a new rolling workplan for 2023-2027. The TEC agreed to invite inputs from observer Parties and organizations to inform and support the elaboration of its new rolling workplan on:

## Possible areas of work and modalities that can help the TEC implement the <u>Technology framework</u> under Paris Agreement and facilitate enhanced action on technology development and transfer.

Such inputs should take into account and build on previous work of the TEC. Inputs can be submitted to <u>tec@unfccc.int</u> by <u>15 May 2022</u>. Inputs will be considered by the TEC in preparing its new rolling workplan at its twenty-fifth meeting in September 2022.

More information about the 24<sup>th</sup> meeting of the TEC, including the provisional annotated agenda, is available <u>here</u>.