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## **MESSAGE FROM THE CO-CHAIR OF THE KATOWICE COMMITTEE ON IMPACTS**

### **Call for Expression of Interest for development of case studies by the Katowice Committee on Impacts**

I am pleased to convey to Parties and observer States to the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement, United Nations organizations, and admitted intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations a message from the co-chairs of the Katowice Committee on Impacts (KCI), Mr. Peter Govindasamy and Ms. Catherine Goldberg, regarding the calls for the development of case studies by the Katowice Committee on Impacts. The message is contained in the annex to this note.

The Co-Chairs of the KCI, supported by the secretariat, will take note of all interests submitted and will further contact you to collaborate in the development of the case study that can help the KCI to implement the work plan and facilitate enhanced understanding of Parties on impacts of implementation of response measures.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed by)

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**Distribution:** To Parties and observer States through their national focal points and diplomatic missions accredited to the Federal Republic of Germany, United Nations and related organizations, specialized agencies and observers admitted by the Conference of the Parties.



## Annex

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#### Background

KCI is a constituted body that provides technical support to the forum on impacts of the implementation of response measures; it provides support to developing countries (i) in assessment of response measures in the area of just transition of workforce and (ii) in creating work and quality jobs and economic diversification and transformation. For more information, please visit the [KCI webpage](#).

Among others, the forum and the KCI support Parties, in particular developing countries Parties by:

- providing concrete examples, case studies and practices in order to enhance their capacity to deal with the impact of the implementation of response measures.
- Addressing the effects of the implementation of response measures under the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement by enhancing cooperation among Parties, stakeholders, external organizations, experts and institutions, by enhancing the capacity and the understanding of Parties of the impacts of mitigation actions and by enabling the exchange of information, experience and best practices among Parties to raise their resilience to these impacts; (referred in decision 7/CMA.1 para 1).

The KCI currently undertakes its work based on the agreed [workplan 2020-2025](#). This work plan reflects the four work programme areas, namely: (1) Economic diversification and transformation; (2) Just transition of the workforce and the creation of decent work and quality jobs; (3) Assessing and analyzing the impacts of the implementation of response measures; (4) Facilitating the development of tools and methodologies to assess the impacts of the implementation of response measures.

The COP, CMP and CMA by its decision 4/CP.25, 4/CMP.15 and 4/CMA.2, mandated the KCI to develop regional, country- and/or sector-specific case study(ies) 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.

#### Call for Expression of Interest

At its eighth meeting, the KCI agreed to a [concept note](#) to develop case study(ies) in the following areas taking into account people in vulnerable situations, as well as efforts toward economic diversification and transformation and just transition:

- **Country-specific case study:** Assessing the effects of the global energy transition (such as the reduction of hydrocarbon demand due to global energy transitions and rising climate policies) in a fossil-fuel dependent economy.
- **Region-specific case study:** Assessing impacts of the implementation of emissions reductions climate policies, on economies.



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- **Sector and region-specific case study:** Assessing impacts of increasing fuel costs on resource-dependent, carbon-intensive tourism sectors.

For that purpose, the KCI would like to seek the interest of other organizations in collaborating with the KCI to develop case studies. Should your organization be interested in this collaboration, kindly send your interest to [KCI@unfccc.int](mailto:KCI@unfccc.int) copying [klata@unfccc.int](mailto:klata@unfccc.int) by **25 August 2023** identifying the area of interest to develop the case study. The organization may include any other details to their interest as necessary which will allow the KCI to assess the proposal in line with its mandate.

We look forward to receiving your interest and future collaboration with your organisation.

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