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**Submissions** 

## MESSAGE TO PARTIES AND OBSERVER STATES

Invitation for submission on work to be undertaken under the work programme and suggested topics of the UAE Just Transition Work Programme in 2024

On behalf of the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA), Harry Vreuls, and the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI), Nabeel Munir, I would like to remind the Parties and observer States to the Paris Agreement to submit suggested topics of the UAE Just Transition Work Programme in 2024.

Parties, observers, and other non-Party stakeholders are encouraged to submit views on work to be undertaken under the work programme, as well as possible topics for dialogues under the work programme. Pursuant to decision 3/CMA.5, submissions should be made via the <u>submission portal</u> by **15 February 2024**. The Chairs of the Subsidiary Bodies (SBs) will take into consideration the submissions referred above and will decide on and communicate **eight weeks in advance** the topics to be discussed at the first dialogue in 2024, pursuant to decision 3/CMA.5.

Decision 3/CMA.5 adopted at the fifth session of CMA in the United Arab Emirates requested to hold at least two dialogues each year as part of the work programme, with one to be held prior to the first regular sessions of the SBs, starting with their sixtieth sessions in June 2024, and one prior to the second regular sessions of the SBs, the sixty-first sessions in November 2024. Dialogues should be conducted in hybrid format to allow both in-person and virtual participation. Information on further details and possible participation by Parties and observer States will be communicated as it becomes available.

The Chairs of the SBSTA and the SBI and the secretariat look forward to the opportunity to work together to develop and implement sustainable and just solutions to the climate crisis.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed by)

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