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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRS OF THE SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVICE AND THE SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR IMPLEMENTATION

Discussion topic for the Third dialogue under the United Arab Emirates Just Transition Work Programme

I am pleased to convey to Parties and observers to the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement, United Nations and related organizations and specialized agencies, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations admitted as observers and other non-Party stakeholders, a message from the Chairs of the Subsidiary Body For Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) on the topic to be discussed at the third dialogue under the United Arab Emirates Just Transition Work Programme (UAE JTWP) to be held in 2025.

This message is contained in the annex to this note.

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, as well as United Nations and related organizations, specialized agencies, admitted observer organizations and other non-Party stakeholders.



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As the chairs of the SBSTA and the SBI, we have been tasked by decision 3/CMA.5¹ with guiding the secretariat in organizing at least two dialogues this year, with one to be held prior to the first regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies at their sixty-second sessions (June 2025), and one prior to the second regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies, at their sixty-third sessions (November 2025), and that such dialogues should be conducted in hybrid format to allow both in-person and virtual participation. Decision 3/CMA.5² also requires us to decide on the topics to be discussed under the dialogues this year, taking into consideration the submissions from Parties, observers and other non-Party stakeholders.

Following an informal virtual consultation on the topic for the third dialogue under the UAE Just Transition Work Programme held on 20 March 2025, we are pleased to communicate to Parties and observer organizations that the third dialogue will focus on: "Approaches to enhancing adaptation and climate resilience in the context of just transitions".

We would like to encourage Parties, observers and other non-Party stakeholders to submit via the <u>submission portal</u>, views on opportunities, best practices, actionable solutions, challenges and barriers relevant to the topic of the third dialogue as early as possible, and no later than four weeks before the third dialogue³, in order for us to share the agenda well in advance. Our preparation of the agenda and concept note will be informed by the submissions referred to above, as well as by the interventions on sub-topics and guiding questions made by Parties and Groups during the Informal virtual consultation held on 20 March 2025.

Information on further details and participation by Parties, observers and other non-Party stakeholders to the third dialogue will be communicated through the proper channels as it becomes available.

Yours sincerely,

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¹ decision 3/CMA.5, paragraphs 3-4

² decision 3/CMA.5, paragraph 5

³ The third dialogue will take place during the first Climate Week 2025: Dialogues for Ambition and Implementation, to be held in Panama City, Panama from 19 to 23 May 2025.