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**MESSAGE FROM THE CO-CHAIRS OF THE AD HOC WORK PROGRAMME ON  
THE NEW COLLECTIVE QUANTIFIED GOAL ON CLIMATE FINANCE**

**Ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme  
on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance**

**23–26 April 2024**

I am pleased to transmit to Parties and observer States to the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement the message from the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance contained in the annex.

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.



## Annex

### **Message from the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance**

Dear colleagues,

As you recall, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA) at its third session established the ad hoc work programme on the new collective quantified goal on climate finance (NCQG) for 2022–2024.<sup>1</sup> As the co-chairs of the ad hoc work programme, we have been requested by the CMA to conduct at least **three meetings** under the ad hoc work programme this year, back-to-back with at least **three technical expert dialogues (TEDs)**, with one dialogue to take place in advance of the sixtieth sessions of the subsidiary bodies (June 2024), one in conjunction with those sessions and one well before CMA 6. Two of the dialogues should be organized in separate regions with a view to facilitating inclusive and balanced geographical participation.<sup>2</sup>

Following on the messages issued on 19 January 2024<sup>3</sup> and 7 February 2024,<sup>4</sup> we have initiated preparations for the ninth TED and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme. In this regard, we would like to:

- Notify Parties on the location, date and registration details for the ninth TED and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme;
- Invite submissions on the ninth TED and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme.

#### **1. Ninth Technical Expert Dialogue and first meeting under the ad hoc work programme**

We are pleased to notify Parties and observer States to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement, that the **ninth TED** and the **first meeting under the ad hoc work programme** will be held from **23 to 26 April 2024**, in **Cartagena, Colombia**. Further details, including the provisional programme will be made available in due course at <https://unfccc.int/NCQG>.

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 9/CMA.3.

<sup>2</sup> Decision entitled “New collective quantified goal on climate finance” adopted under agenda item 10(e) of CMA 5.

<sup>3</sup> Available at <https://unfccc.int/documents/636802>.

<sup>4</sup> Available at <https://unfccc.int/documents/636925>.



### **Nomination and registration details**

Recognizing that not all Parties may be able to attend both events in person, arrangements are being made to facilitate active virtual participation. Parties are requested to consider participating virtually and, should they decide to do so, to complete the registration form at <https://indico.un.org/event/1010195/> by **Monday, 8 April 2024**.

Regarding on-site participation, the chairs and coordinators of the various negotiating groups will be contacted separately. Details regarding in-person and virtual participation in both events will be communicated directly to registered participants.

In view of the need to confirm the arrangements for the ninth technical expert dialogue and first meeting under the ad hoc work programme as early as possible, nominations received after the deadline may not be processed.

Please be informed that onsite and virtual participation in the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme will be guided by the draft rules of procedure of the Conference of the Parties and its subsidiary bodies,<sup>5</sup> with a view to facilitating it in an open-ended, inclusive and Party-driven manner open to observers.

#### **2. Submissions on the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme**

In addition, as mandated in paragraph 14 of the decision entitled “New collective quantified goal on climate finance” adopted under agenda item 10(e) of CMA 5, we invite Parties, constituted bodies under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, climate finance institutions, Observers and Observer organizations, and other stakeholders, including from the private sector, to submit their views on the ninth technical expert dialogue via the submission portal<sup>6</sup> by **Friday, 29 March 2024**. Early submissions would allow for the wide participation of relevant stakeholders, including relevant experts. In these submissions, we encourage Parties and other stakeholders to share ideas on what should be discussed at the ninth technical expert dialogue and the first meeting under the ad hoc work programme, and through what format.

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<sup>5</sup> FCCC/CP/1996/2.

<sup>6</sup> <https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/submissionsstaging/Pages/Home.aspx>.



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Finally, we would like to emphasize our intention to undertake the ad hoc work programme in an open, inclusive and transparent manner and look forward to working with all Parties and non-Party stakeholders in a fruitful and constructive spirit as we did last year. Accordingly, we can be reached at [ncqg@unfccc.int](mailto:ncqg@unfccc.int) for any matters relating to the ad hoc work programme.

Yours sincerely,

*(Signed by)*

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new collective quantified goal on climate finance