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## **MESSAGE TO PARTIES TO THE PARIS AGREEMENT**

### **Webinar on the progress of Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF) implementation under the Paris Agreement**

I am pleased to invite Parties and observer States to the Paris Agreement to participate in an upcoming webinar on the progress of Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF) implementation under the Paris Agreement. The webinar is scheduled to take place on **Wednesday, 28 January 2026**.

All Parties to the Paris Agreement were required to submit their first Biennial Transparency Report (BTR) and national inventory report (NIR) by 31 December 2024, in accordance with the modalities, procedures, and guidelines (MPGs) for the enhanced transparency framework. As of 11 December 2025, 120 Parties have successfully submitted their BTR1.

In accordance with Article 13, paragraph 11 of the Paris Agreement and the relevant provisions contained in the MPGs (chapters VII and VIII), a total of 50 technical expert reviews (TER) of the first BTRs took place in the 2024-2025 biennium, as captured in the first annual report on the TER published during COP30. Progress of ETF implementation was further captured in the biannual BTR review newsletters, with two issues published in 2025. Following the completion of the respective TER processes, 12 Parties participated in working group sessions of FMCP, conducted during the SB sessions in June and November 2025.

The webinar will provide an important opportunity for Parties to learn about the outcomes and achievements by the UNFCCC secretariat in implementing TERs and FMCP in 2025, insight into the planning of TERs and FMCP in 2026, and the innovative approaches to address some of the challenges encountered. The webinar will foster engagement, knowledge exchange, and raise awareness on the effective implementation of the ETF.

The secretariat highly encourages participation from Paris Agreement national focal points, technical focal points, and other relevant stakeholders in this significant event.

To accommodate different regions and time zones, the webinar will be organized for 1 hour on the following date/time. Each session is open to all and will cover the same content. Please follow the links below for registration:



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- **Wednesday, 28 January 2026, 10:00 – 11:00 (CET):** [Registration link](#)
- **Wednesday, 28 January 2026, 16:00 – 17:00 (CET):** [Registration link](#)

Should you need any further clarifications or assistance, please contact [ETFreviews@unfccc.int](mailto:ETFreviews@unfccc.int).

Yours sincerely,

*(Signed by)*

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<p><b>Distribution:</b> To Parties to the Paris Agreement through their national focal points and diplomatic missions accredited to the Federal Republic of Germany.</p>
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