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## NOTIFICATION

### **Extension of the deadline for submissions on the 2023 Dialogue on Action for Climate Empowerment**

I am pleased to inform Parties and observer States to the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement that this year's Dialogue on Action for Climate Empowerment (ACE), to be held during SB 58 (June 2023) in Bonn, will focus on monitoring, evaluation and reporting, one of the four priority areas under the Glasgow work programme on Action for Climate Empowerment.<sup>1</sup> This corresponds to activity D.2 under the [action plan](#) of the Glasgow work programme, which requests the secretariat to organize interactive workshops to discuss ways of assessing the effectiveness of ACE implementation, including at the ACE Dialogue in 2023, while also drawing on inputs from Parties during the development of the action plan at SBI 56 and 57.

In response to requests from Parties and non-Party stakeholders, the deadline for submissions<sup>2</sup> to inform this year's ACE Dialogue has been extended until **Friday, 17 March 2023**.

The secretariat envisions that the 2024 and 2025 ACE Dialogues will focus on the priority areas of tools and support (specifically activity C.3 under the action plan) and policy coherence and coordinated action (specifically activity A.1 under the action plan) respectively, while the 2026 ACE Dialogue will focus on the midterm review of the Glasgow work programme.

The secretariat is also pleased to announce the organization of a poster session on ACE and children and youth engagement at the 2023 ACE Dialogue to facilitate the implementation of action plan activities B.1, B.2 and C.2. A call for interest will be launched in the coming week; further details will be made available at <https://unfccc.int/ace-dialogues> in due course.

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage Parties to nominate their national ACE focal points and provide the necessary support for them to actively take part in the 2023 ACE Dialogue.

For further information, please contact [ace@unfccc.int](mailto:ace@unfccc.int).

Yours sincerely,

*(Signed by)*

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<sup>1</sup> Decision 18/CP.26, annex.

<sup>2</sup> To be submitted via the [submission portal](#). Guidelines for submissions, including for non-Party stakeholders without observer status, can be found [here](#).