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Antalya, Republic of Türkiye
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Resumed High-Level Segment
United Nations Climate Change Conference
17 – 18 November 2026

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The resumed part of the high-level segment (HLS) of COP 31/CMP 21/CMA 8 will take place on Tuesday, 17 and Wednesday, 18 November 2026 to hear national statements from Deputy Prime Ministers, ministers and senior officials of Parties whose Head of State or Government did not deliver a national statement during the first part of the high-level segment for Heads of State and Government (HoS/G) held during the Antalya Leaders Summit and representatives of groups who have registered and confirmed their wish to deliver a national or group statement.

Upon conclusion of national statements, the resumed high-level segment will hear statements from Intergovernmental organizations and groups of non-Governmental organizations admitted by the Conference of the Parties. Parties will have only one opportunity to deliver a national statement during the resumed high-level segment. Parties whose HoS/G delivered a national statement on 11 or 12 November or submitted a written statement in lieu of delivery will not deliver a national statement. The list below represents speakers for Parties who are confirmed to deliver a national statement or statement on behalf of a UNFCCC negotiating group at the resumed high-level segment of COP 31/CMP 21/CMA 8

Modalities for delivery of National Statements

No tickets will be needed for the HLS session on Tuesday, 17 and Wednesday, 18 November 2026.

The HLS will take place in Plenary Anadolu on 17 and 18 November. All speakers should ensure that they are in the plenary room at least five speakers ahead of the delivery of their national statement. **They will be escorted by an usher during the presentation of the previous speaker from the seat of their delegation to a reserved chair close to the podium.** Speaking slots for those who are not in the plenary

at the time for delivery of their statement will be rescheduled to speak at the end of all statements of the same category.

Given the number of Parties and other observer speakers and the limited amount of time available for statements, it will be necessary to limit the duration of each statement. Representatives are reminded that statements made during the high-level segment should not exceed the three-minute limit for Parties and 2 minutes for observer organizations. To be fair to all speakers, time limits will be strictly enforced. An electronic/mechanical device will be used to mark the **3-minutes** allotted to Parties and the **2-minutes** allotted to observer organizations. This will allow all speakers to deliver their statements. Speakers are strongly encouraged to ensure their statements do not exceed allotted times. Statements on behalf of negotiating groups should not exceed **five minutes**.

Statements will be delivered reflecting protocol order in accordance with the United Nations. The secretariat is not able to accommodate individual requests for changes in a Party's speaking slot. Parties wishing to make a change should arrange to exchange slots with another Party, and both Parties jointly notify the secretariat of the agreement that has been reached. **Changes can only be made within the same category.**

Hard copies of statements will not be circulated in the Plenary during the high-level segment. Full texts of official statements will be posted on the UNFCCC website. To have statements posted on the UNFCCC website, Parties speaking at the resumed high-level segment on 17 or 18 November are requested to send an electronic file containing the statement in advance to cophls@unfccc.int.

Should Parties not wish to speak but prefer only to have their statements uploaded to the UNFCCC website, the secretariat will arrange to have this done and enter the statement in the records of the Conference. Parties interested in taking up this option should communicate their interest in writing to the External Relations office at cophls@unfccc.int or to the External Relations team, who will also be located at the front of the plenary during the high-level segment.

The United Nations Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) is responsible for providing simultaneous interpretation in the six official languages of the United Nations (Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish) for the HLS. Turkish interpretation will be available in all official meetings.

During the HLS, it is possible for a statement to be given in a language other than the six official United Nations languages. Parties wishing to deliver their national statements in their national language other than the six UN languages are requested to inform the secretariat at least 48 hours in advance to cophls@unfccc.int, to allow adequate technical arrangements to be made. Parties will need to provide their own interpreter.

Parties can provide their own interpreter for the duration of their statement only, or a written official English translation and a prompter from the speaker's delegation to support the English booth to check against delivery.
To ensure the quality of interpretation of national statements, an electronic copy of the statement should be provided to the Conference Officer at Conference-Officer@unfccc.int and copied to cophls@unfccc.int as early as possible but at least 60 minutes prior to delivery of the statement.

Those Parties who will require a teleprompter are informed of the following guidelines:

File delivery and format

The file must be delivered in **Word format** (.doc or .docx).
No other format is compatible with the prompter.

By e-mail, you can send the file to: **cophls@unfccc.int/copteleprompter@gmail.com.**
Please be precise in the subject line: date of speech, country, title. name of speaker and version.

or share via **USB** at the venue (please call UNFCCC contacts below)

Please contact the UNFCCC the teleprompter colleagues below prior to your email or USB delivery. Contact phone numbers will be proved in a follow-up communication.

Time constraints

A minimum of 60 minutes of preparation is required for each speech *(layout, font, space, breaks, etc.…).*
We recommend the delivery of the script the night before for loading, especially if the file is not in Latin fonts.

Operator

The operator speaks English only.
For other languages, the applicant must provide their **own** operator, or someone to assist the operator.

Equipment

The prompter is electrically adjustable, nevertheless, it is better to communicate the height of the guest prior to his/her arrival.

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Wednesday, 17 November 2026

Plenary Anadolu

10:00 – 13:00

His Eminence Cardinal Pietro Parolin, Secretary of State of the **Holy See**

His Excellency Mr. Quoc Dung Ho, Deputy Prime Minister of **Viet Nam**

His Excellency Mr. John Uzirr Rosso, Deputy Prime Minister of **Papua New Guinea**

Her Excellency Ms. Nthomeng Justina Majara, Deputy Prime Minister of **Lesotho**

His Excellency Mr. Geoffrey Hanley, Deputy Prime Minister of **Saint Kitts and Nevis**

Her Excellency Ms. Mulipola Anarosa Ale Molio'o, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance of **Samoa**

Her Excellency Ms. Battsetseg Batmunkh, Minister of Foreign Affairs of **Mongolia**

Her Excellency Ms. Cecilia Adut Manyok Adeng, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of **South Sudan**

His Excellency Mr. Sakiasi Ditoka, Minister of Foreign Affairs and External Trade of **Fiji**

His Excellency Mr. Víctor Alfredo Verdún Bitar, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs of **Paraguay**

His Excellency Mr. Enrique Ochoa Martínez, Undersecretary for Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights of **Mexico**

Ms. Jesuina Maria Ferreira Gomes, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Timor-Leste ***speaking on behalf of the Least Developed Countries (LDC) Group***

His Excellency Mr. Darragh O'Brien, Minister for Climate, Energy and the Environment of Ireland and Mr. Wopke Hoekstra, European Commissioner for Climate, Net Zero and Clean Growth ***Speaking on behalf of the European Union Group***

His Excellency Mr. Christopher Bowen, President of Negotiations for COP31 of **Australia**

His Excellency Mr. Hiroyoshi Sasakawa, Minister of the Environment of **Japan**

Her Excellency Ms. Beatrice Atim Odwong, Minister of Water and Environment of **Uganda**

His Excellency Mr. Simon Watts, Minister of Climate Change, Minister of Local Government, Minister of Revenue and Minister for Auckland of **New Zealand**

His Excellency Mr. Stavros Papastavrou, Minister of Environment & Energy of **Greece**

His Excellency Mr. Jóhann Páll Jóhannsson, Minister of the Environment, Energy and Climate of **Iceland.**

His Excellency Mr. Fernando Andrés López Larreynaga, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources of **El Salvador**

His Excellency Mr. Rajesh Anand Bhagwan, Minister of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change of **Mauritius**

His Excellency Dr. Sophalleth Eang, Minister of Environment of **Cambodia**

His Excellency Mr. Albert Rösti, Minister of Environment, Transport, Energy, and Communications of **Switzerland**

His Excellency Mr. Linkham Douangsavanh, Minister of Agriculture and Environment of **Lao People's Democratic Republic**

His Excellency Mr. Suchart Chomklin, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment of **Thailand**

His Excellency Mr. Jean-Luc Crucke, Minister of Mobility, Climate and Ecological Transition of **Belgium**

His Excellency Mr. Abdullah Ali Abdullah Al Amri, President of the Environment Authority of **Oman**

His Excellency Mr. Javier Antonio Gutiérrez Ramírez, Minister of the Environment and Natural Resources of **Nicaragua**

Her Excellency Ms. Grace Fu, Minister of Sustainability and the Environment of **Singapore**

His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Mubarak Bindaina, Minister of Oil and Environment of **Bahrain**

His Excellency Mr. Matthew Peter Samuda, Minister of Environment and Climate Change of **Jamaica**

Her Excellency Ms. Céline Caron-Dagioni, Minister of Public Works, the Environment and Urban Development of **Monaco**

Her Excellency Ms. Kerryne James, Minister of Climate Resilience, the Environment and Renewable Energy of **Grenada**

His Excellency Mr. Habib Abid, Minister of Environment of **Tunisia**

His Excellency Mr. Patrick Brunings, Minister of Oil, Gas and Environment of **Suriname**

His Excellency Mr. Abdulla Abdulaziz bin Turki Al Subaie, Minister of Environment and Climate Change of **Qatar**

Her Excellency Ms. Samira Nawa, Minister of Climate, Energy and Utilities of **Denmark**

15:00 -18:00

Her Excellency Ms. Ieva Andriulaityte, Minister of Environment of **Lithuania**

His Excellency Mr. Ralph Regenvanu, Minister of Climate Change of **Vanuatu**

Her Excellency Ms. Paulina Hennig-Kloska, Minister of Climate and Environment of **Poland**

His Excellency Mr. Adjibola Ayedjo Georges Ale, Minister of Living Environment and Transport, in charge of Sustainable Development, of **Benin**

Her Excellency Ms. Ana Paula Chantre Luna de Carvalho Pereira, Minister of Environment of **Angola**

His Excellency Mr. Aliou Gori Diouf, Minister of Environment and Ecological Transition of **Senegal**

His Excellency Mr. Valery Fils-Aime, Minister of Environment of **Haiti**

His Excellency Mr. Juan Carlos Ramos Ramirez, Secretary of State of **Honduras**

His Excellency Mr. Edwin Josué Castellanos López, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources of **Guatemala**

Her Excellency Ms. Francisca Ignacia Toledo Echegaray, Minister of Environment of **Chile**

His Excellency Mr. Dammika Hettithanthri Patabendige, Minister of Environment of **Sri Lanka**

Her Excellency Ms. Monica Navarro del Valle, Minister of Environment and Energy of **Costa Rica**

His Excellency Mr. Oleksandr Kravchenko, Minister of Economy and Environment of **Ukraine**

His Excellency Mr. Serge Wilmes, Minister of the Environment, Climate and Biodiversity of **Luxembourg**

His Excellency Mr. Hassan Bakhit Djamous, Minister of Environment, Fisheries and Sustainable Development of **Chad**

His Excellency Mr. Fassou Théa, Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development of **Guinea**

Her Excellency Ms. Maria da Graça Martins da Silva Carvalho, Minister of Environment and Energy of **Portugal**

His Excellency Mr. Kennedy Jerome Swaratsingh, Minister of Planning, Economic Affairs and Development of **Trinidad and Tobago**

His Excellency Mr. Igor Cerveny, Minister of the Environment of **Czechia Republic**

His Excellency Mr. Armando Rodríguez Batista, Minister of Science, Technology and Environment of **Cuba**

Her Excellency Ms. Sara Pavkov, Minister of Environmental Protection of **Serbia**

His Excellency Mr. Juan Carlos Navarro Quelquejeu, Minister of Environment of **Panama**

His Excellency Mr. David John Maynier, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment of **South Africa**

His Excellency Mr. Sonam Tashi, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources, Royal Government of **Bhutan**

Her Excellency Ms. Amna AlDahak AlShamsi, Minister of Climate Change and Environment of **United Arab Emirates**

His Excellency Mr. Alessandro Bevitori, Minister of Labour, Economic Planning, Relations with the Autonomous Public Utilities State Corporation, Ecological Transition and Technological Innovation of **San Marino**

Her Excellency Ms. Patricia Wiskes, Minister of Natural Resources of **Malawi**

His Excellency Mr. Carsten Schneider, Minister of the Environment, Climate Action, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety of **Germany**

His Excellency Mr. Sungwhan Kim, Minister of Climate, Energy and Environment of **Republic of Korea**

His Excellency Mr. Gilberto Pichetto Fratin, Minister Environment and Energy Security of **Italy**

His Excellency Mr. Orlando Habet, Minister of Sustainable Development and Climate Change of **Belize**.

His Excellency Mr. Mohamad Anjrani, Minister of Local Administration and Environment of the **Syrian Arab Republic**

Her Excellency Ms. Julie Aviva Dabrusin, Minister of the Environment, Climate Change and Nature of **Canada**

Wednesday, 18 November 2026

Continuation of National Statements

Plenary Anadolu

10:00 – 14:00

His Excellency Mr. Erkki Keldo, Minister of Energy and the Environment of **Estonia**

His Excellency Mr. Vladimiro Huaroc Portocarrero, Minister of Environment of **Peru**

His Excellency Mr. Bhupender Yadav, Minister of Environment, Forest and Climate Change of **India**

His Excellency Mr. Sofjan Jaupaj, Minister of Environment of **Albania**

His Excellency Mr. Carlos Varela, Minister of Environment, Climate Action and Energy of **Cabo Verde**

Her Excellency Ms. Manal Awad, Minister of Local Development and Environment of **Egypt**

His Excellency Mr. Tesfai Ghebreselassie Sebhatu, Minister of Land, Water and Environment of **Eritrea**

His Excellency Mr. Arthur Joseph Kurup, Minister of Natural Resources and Environmental Sustainability of **Malaysia**

Her Excellency Ms. Gita Chaudhary, Minister for Agriculture, Forests and Environment of **Nepal**

His Excellency Mr. Fabio Alberto Arjona Hincapie, Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development of **Colombia**

His Excellency Mr. Silla Semballa, Minister of the Environment and Sustainable Development of **Central African Republic**

Her Excellency Ms. Romina Pourmokhtari, Minister for Climate and the Environment of **Sweden**

His Excellency Mr. Gilbert Siame, Minister of Green Economy and Environment of **Zambia**

His Excellency Mr. Balarabe Lawal, Minister of Environment of **Nigeria**

Her Excellency Ms. Stientje van Veldhoven–van der Meer, Minister of Climate and Green Growth of the **Kingdom of the Netherlands**

Mr. Aliaksei Stasiukevich, Vice Minister of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection of **Belarus**

Mr. Jacinto Rigoberto Gomes de Deus, Vice Minister of State Administration of **Timor-Leste**

His Excellency Mr. Hashim Djojohadikusumo, Special Envoy to the President of the **Indonesia** on Climate and Energy

His Excellency Mr. Ruslan Edelgeriev, Aide to the President and Special Presidential Envoy for Climate and Water Resources of the **Russian Federation**

Mr. Ebrima Jawara, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Climate Change and Natural Resources of **Gambia**

Mr. Cosmin-Razvan Butuza, Secretary of State, Ministry of Environment, Water and Forests of **Romania**

Mr. Reagan Moses, Secretary for Climate Change and National Resilience of **Naoero**

Mr. Péter Kajner, Deputy State Secretary for Climate Policy of **Hungary**

Mr. David Forné Massoni, State Secretary of **Andorra**

Ms. Tanja Radić Lakoš, State Secretary, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Green Transition, **Croatia**

Ms. Jessica Stefana Gallegos Yaruqu, Undersecretary of Climate Change, Ministry of Environment and Energy of **Ecuador**.

Mr. Alassane Guire, Chief of Staff to the Minister of State and to the Minister of Agriculture, Water, Livestock and Fisheries of **Burkina Faso**

His Excellency Mr. Raphael Singer, Ambassador of **Israel**

Her Excellency Ms. Noni Zurainah Haji Ismi, Ambassador of **Brunei Darussalam** to the Republic of Türkiye

Mr. Myong Chol Kang, Deputy Permanent Representative of the **Democratic People's Republic of Korea** in Geneva

Ms. María Fernanda Souza Rodríguez, National Director of Climate Change of **Uruguay**

Dr. Maximiliano Puig, Executive Vice President of the National Council for Climate Change and Carbon Market of the **Dominican Republic**

Dr. Kaire Munionganda Mbuende, Director General, National Planning Commission Secretariat, Office of the President of **Namibia**

Ms. Nouf Behbhani, Acting Director General of the Environment Public Authority of **Kuwait**

Dr. Emmanuel King Urey Yarkpawolo, Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer of the Environmental Protection Agency of **Liberia**

Mr. Robert E.A. Borje, Secretary, Vice Chairperson, and Executive Director of the Climate Change Commission of the **Philippines**