

## UNFCCC Meeting Report on Global Stocktake NDC Dialogue Report Consideration under paragraph 187 of 1/CMA.5 (Negotiation Session)

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| Time                          | Session/Agenda/Event Title                                                                                                                            | Location        |
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| 19:00 - 20:00<br>BST / GMT -3 | CMA 4 (b) Reports for 2024 and 2025 on the annual global stocktake dialogue referred to in paragraph 187 of decision 1/CMA.5. - Informal consultation | Meeting Room 20 |

### Relevant links or Attachments:

- Mandate - para. 187 of 1/CMA.5  
[https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/cma2023\\_16a01E.pdf](https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/cma2023_16a01E.pdf)
- 2025 Dialogue Summary Report - <https://unfccc.int/documents/650254>
- 2024 Dialogue Summary Report - <https://unfccc.int/documents/641419>
- Informal note prepared by co-facilitators and referred to in notes below-  
[https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/GST\\_dialogue\\_cop30.pdf](https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/GST_dialogue_cop30.pdf)

### Key takeaways:

| Speaker   | Notes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| CoF Noura | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Asked the parties on their opinions of the informal note</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| India     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Missed earlier remarks</li><li>• Asked if there is more time to discuss before this agenda item is moved forward to the presidency</li></ul>                                                                                                                            |
| CoF Noura | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• This is the last session</li><li>• Welcomes comments about the whole document, but is mostly interested in the timeline for now</li><li>• Clarification: session scheduled both today and tomorrow to conclude the issue since this item is not under the SBs</li></ul> |
| Norway    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Foresee future dialogue<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Informal note should capture the option of continuing the dialogue with no end date</li></ul></li></ul>                                                                                                  |

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| Switzerland obo<br>EIG | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urges parties to move onto working on the text</li> <li>• Supports Norway's proposal to continue discussing an indefinite dialogue as an option in the draft text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ As a space to discuss the implementation and development plans of the NDCs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Ghana                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Believes the informal note is a fair reflection of work done to date</li> <li>• Supports paragraph 5 option 2: hosting one more dialogue in 2026 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Conclude this issue, then proceed with the next GST</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Guatemala obo<br>AILAC | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dialogues must generate substantive messages that inform decision making <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Urgency of 1.5, high ambition, relationship between NDCs and the GST, adaptation</li> <li>○ Enhance MOI to support the NDCs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| LMDCs                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do not support any messages or elements - option 2 for paragraph 4.</li> <li>• Should only be procedural, no substantive content <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Many proposal in the informal notes are outside of the mandate and none of them are acceptable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Should be purely factual</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>• Potential substantive elements included are harmful to developing countries and redefine how an NDC is formed and defined</li> <li>• This dialogue requires significant secretariat resources and would divert resources away from developing countries that need them more</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| CoF Noura              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interrupts LMDCs and requests more concise interventions</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Nepal obo LDCs         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Express appreciation on paragraph 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Modify footnote in paragraph 1 to reference both dialogue events</li> </ul> </li> <li>• First 3 paragraphs should remain neutral and should be moved forward if the only disagreements are on timeline and substance</li> <li>• Paragraph 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ There is no reference to a first global stocktake in the paragraph 187 mandate</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ No text option is helpful</li> <li>○ Remove the word possible from option 1</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Option 1 is not clear, SBI 62 is already concluded 6 months ago</li> <li>○ There is no reference to whether the dialogue has concluded in the mandate</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| India                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is okay with current text in paragraphs 1 and 2</li> <li>• Believes deletion of the word "first" from paragraph 3 is trivial, and supports current wording <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Argument that the dialogue must be ongoing per the mandate is another conversation</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Favor no text option</li> <li>○ Nothing can come out from the dialogue that doesn't respect the</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

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|                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>architecture of the Paris Agreement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The summary reports are the compilation of substantive elements, this does not need to be repeated</li> </ul> </li> <li>Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Option 1 is the only correct option</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| CoF Noura          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Asks parties to make interventions briefer given remaining time</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| UK                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Option 1 Is not meant to be prescriptive</li> <li>Parties should discuss how to include elements without being prescriptive</li> </ul> </li> <li>Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Echoes Norway, EIG, and others in saying that an ongoing dialogue is necessary</li> <li>Requests additional option for an ongoing dialogue</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| EU                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Agree with Paragraph 1</li> <li>Paragraph 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Also include reference to the SB Chairs and their facilitation of the dialogues</li> </ul> </li> <li>Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support option 1 and proposal to strike the word possible</li> </ul> </li> <li>Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prefers no text option</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| South Africa       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very happy</li> <li>GST informs preparation of NDCs in the mandate, not the implementation</li> <li>Is willing to kick a decision on timeline down the line <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modify Option 2 of Paragraph 5 to include an option for the joint contact group at CMA8 to make a decision on extending the dialogue</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Canada             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More constructive than last year, trying to bridge differences</li> <li>Support EU's suggestion on Paragraph 2 and 3</li> <li>Paragraph 5 on timing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support proposal of South Africa</li> <li>Cannot permanently close the door to the dialogue, but do share concern of this dialogue overlapping with the GST in 2 years from now</li> </ul> </li> <li>New proposal to bring negotiations forward and respect alternative views: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Option 1 is no text, and option 2 reads: "possible substantive elements respecting the architecture of the Paris Agreement, different considerations, and national circumstances" with bullets on page 2 included underneath the new Option 2</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| Russian Federation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not support the inclusion of any substantive texts and will cherry pick outcomes</li> <li>Support Paragraph 5 option 1</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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|                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Continuing the dialogue beyond SB62 will burden some parties</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Qatar obo Arab Group | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Mandate is clear - GST is facilitative and not prescriptive <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Indirect obligations are counter to the mandate already agreed upon</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Agree with Paragraph 1</li> <li>● Paragraph 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Replace “welcome” with “note” to be consistent with paragraph 3</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Support no text</li> <li>○ Cannot create signals and lists from a dialogue meant to exchange views</li> <li>○ Ensuring no text allows the summary report to speak for itself</li> <li>○ Views expressed in the dialogues are a subset of all views on this subject</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Cannot request any modification of NDC formation or implementation, since NDCs are already submitted</li> <li>○ Support option 1</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| China                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Aligns with LMDC and Saudi Arabia</li> <li>● Objective has now been achieved and the mandate is complete</li> <li>● Request a new iteration of the concept note to reflect their views</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Algeria              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Align with the statement made by LMDC and the Arab Group</li> <li>● Support Paragraph 1, 2, and 3 as drafted</li> <li>● Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Favors Option 1</li> <li>○ Co-facilitator should be even-handed in what is considered a substantive element</li> <li>○ References Guatemala’s intervention sharing that adaptation-centric GST outcomes are included</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Response to Canada’s proposal: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The textual caveat does not actually caveat an infringement on nationally determined nature of NDCs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Maldives obo AOSIS   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Support Paragraph 1, 2, 3</li> <li>● Paragraph 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Prefer option 1</li> <li>○ Substantive elements should also include adaptation-focused items and special considerations for SIDS and LDCs</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Proposed to add a new option clarifying that the dialogue will be continued in 2026 with no end date</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| CoF Noura            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Request for proposals that make this informal note more concise</li> <li>● Outlines an approach that follows Canada’s proposal to include</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| LMDC                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Cannot accept the current version of informal note <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Substantive messages or takeaways cannot be included in any way</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |

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|           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Request the secretariat provide financial information on the budget impacts of ongoing and past dialogues</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| China     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• China aligns with LMDC intervention</li> <li>• Cannot accept any substances to be reflected in the next iteration</li> <li>• Paragraph 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Cannot have the current Option 3 - it must be clear whether the dialogue is ongoing or not.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| EIG       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support proposed way forward with another iteration of the bullets</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Canada    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reminds parties that the dialogue will continue if negotiations do not reach an outcome in negotiations</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| CoF Noura | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outlines approach to make informal note more comprehensive, including no-text options and including caveats for a fair starting point for future discussions</li> </ul>                                                                                                                              |
| LMDC      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Asks when the session will be held tomorrow and when the new iteration of the informal note will be released</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                              |
| CoF Noura | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Secretariat will update parties when more information is available</li> <li>• Adjourns meeting</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                            |