

Agenda item 9

# Inputs of the TEC to the Talanoa Dialogue

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## Background

- COP 21 decided to convene a facilitative dialogue in 2018 to take stock of the collective efforts of Parties in relation to progress towards the long-term goal of the Paris Agreement and to inform the preparation of NDCs
- At COP23, the facilitative dialogue was launched by the Fijian presidency as Talanoa Dialogue. Parties, non-Party stakeholders and expert institutions were encouraged to submit inputs and inform the process.
- At TEC 16, the TEC agreed to submit inputs to the TEC and requested the mitigation and adaptation task forces to prepare them

## Draft inputs of the TEC

- The draft inputs intend to inform the Talanoa Dialogue on the work of the TEC and its key findings.
- The draft inputs contain information that has been sourced from past products of the TEC (e.g. TEC Briefs, key messages and policy recommendations, executive summaries, TEC inputs, etc.).
- This information is structured following the three guiding questions of the TD:
  - Where are we?
  - Where do we want to go?
  - How do we get there?

- The draft inputs elaborate on the following messages:
  - **Where are we?**
    - The TEC has been working to support countries in identifying climate technology policies that support them to achieve the goals of the Convention, the Paris Agreement and sustainable development
    - The TEC recognizes that cooperation between governments as well as between governments and non-Party Stakeholders at different levels presents a large potential for improvement and scaling up of climate technologies and creating new market opportunities
    - Opportunities exist for further action on technology development and transfer

- **Where do we want to go?**
  - The future work of the TEC will need to consider technological solutions that can help countries to achieve the purpose of the Paris Agreement as guided by the Technology Framework

- **How do we get there?**

- The TEC views that government and non-Party Stakeholders must step up efforts to accelerate deployment of breakthrough technologies and innovative solutions to support transformational changes envisioned by the Paris Agreement
- ❖ Measures should be adopted for **scaling up the deployment of viable technologies** that encompass and address regulatory, financial, technical and societal aspects
- ❖ **New and innovative technologies** are needed to accelerate transition towards low greenhouse gas emissions and climate-resilient development
- ❖ It is important to ensuring sustainable, predictable and sufficient funding for the two bodies of the **Technology Mechanism**
- ❖ Strengthening the link associated with both **Technology Mechanism and Financial Mechanism** of the convention is also important

## Expected action

- The TEC is invited to consider and agree on the TEC inputs to the Talanoa Dialogue
- The inputs will be submitted by 1 October 2018 through the dedicated web portal and included as annex in the joint annual report of the TEC and the CTCN for 2018.

*Thank you!*

