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CTCN: Building on COP22 outcomes in 2017

Linkages with the Financial Mechanism

Paris Agreement implementation

Resource Mobilization + CTCN renewal

Looking forward









Linkages with the Financial Mechanism

Country-level guidance

- NDA invited to use GCF Readiness funds to undertake TNA + develop TAP (14/CP.22, para.6)
- Developing countries invited to submit projects based on TNA + CTCN Technical Assistance to GCF (14/CP.22, para.7)
- Importance of strong collaboration between GCF, GEF and technology focal points (15/CP.22, para.13)
- Stronger NDA/NDE collaboration key to CTCN/GCF engagement and use of GCF funding to respond to TA requests (15/CP.22, para.16)









COP22 also called for strengthened institutional collaboration

- GEF + recipient countries urged to explore with CTCN
 - Ways to support technology through GEF6 (11/CP.22, para.11)
 - And new ways to support TA (15/CP.22, para.12)
- Continued GCF/CTCN collaboration via
 - Annual and GCF Board meeting participation (14/CP.22, para.2,3)
 - Use of GCF Readiness and Project Preparation Facility (14/CP.22, para.4) for Technical Assistance (15/CP.22, para.15)









Operationalizing linkages with the Financial Mechanism

- Regional workshops for all focal points
- Outreach to NDE + highlight opportunities for collaboration
- Revise TA process to target GCF/multilateral funding
- CTCN Chair participation at B.14/B.17 + in-session workshops
- Ongoing discussions with GCF/GEF secretariats







Paris Agreement implementation: Key areas for collaboration with the TEC

Technology Framework

- →Innovation (RD&D)
- →Implementation (NDC)

Paris Committee on Capacity Building

→Participation at first meeting in 2017

South-South Cooperation

- CTCN as triangular support mechanism for S-S
- →>50% of CTCN partners based in global South







Resource Mobilization



Growth in CTCN service delivery possible only by diversifying funding

Defining the vision for the next four years of CTCN:

- Enables sharpened value proposition, and
- →Design of custom approach to resource mobilization

Deepening engagement with Donors (in-kind) + FM\$ + multilateral sources will be required to deliver on 2018-2021 mandate



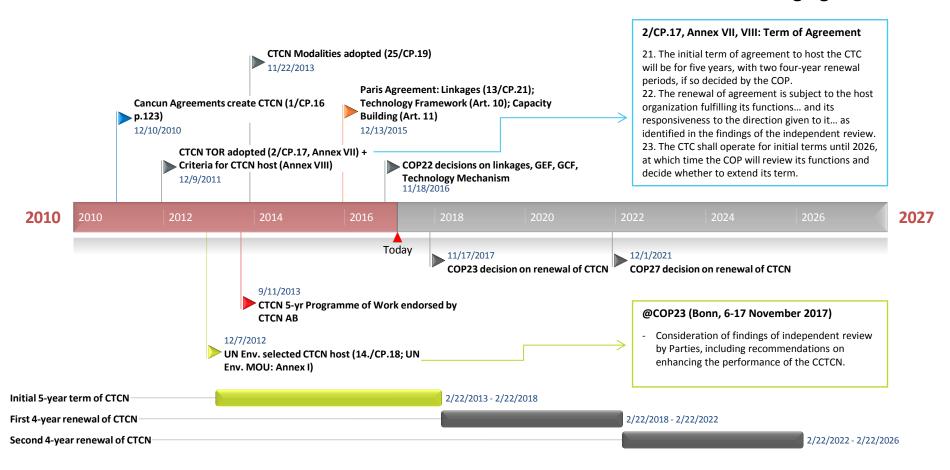




Will be discussed at AB9 and presented to AB for endorsement following the outcome of the independent review



Timeline of UNFCCC CTCN-related decisions and milestones for renewal of hosting agreement









Looking forward



- CTCN Advisory Board (AB9; April 3-5)
 - Budget + workplan review
 - Revised approach to Technical Assistance
 - Strengthening operational linkages with FM
- UNFCCC Subsidiary Bodies (May)
 - CTCN/GEF meeting
 - Invitation to NDE to participate
- Green Climate Fund Board (July)
 - AB Chair: RD&D + Technology funding



















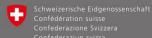








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