

From COP28 till Bonn – mini stock take

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Presentation overview

- Leaving **COP28** and preparing for **Bonn**
- **Mitigation Work Program** under UNFCCC
- **Just Transition Work Program** under UNFCCC

Left COP28 with....



....an agreement to **transition away from fossil fuels** in energy systems, in a just, orderly and equitable manner, accelerating action in this critical decade,

....an establishment of the **Loss and Damage Fund**,

... an agreement on **targets for the Global Goal on Adaptation (GGA)** and its framework

....a pledge to **triple renewable power and double energy efficiency** by 2030 (*all CPs signed up*)



The **Troika** was created...focusing on:

- 1) **Supporting Parties' nationally-determined ambition and priorities** through the implementation of the UAE Consensus
- 2) **Catalyzing the mobilization and provision of technical and financial resources** to further stimulate ambition in NDCs
- 3) **Utilizing existing mechanisms, processes and stakeholders**, within and outside the UN system, to **channel means of implementation and resources, finance, and the international climate finance architecture** in support of greater ambition



Post COP28 events

- Call for 20 **submissions** to UNFCCC
- In March **Copenhagen Climate Ministerial**
- In April **Petersberg Climate Dialogue** (*mainly finance*)
- In April **G7** meeting in Turin (*mainly finance, but coal phase out by 2035 or in line with 1,5 trajectories*)



Preparing for Bonn

4 **submission** calls (2 for JT WP and 2 MWP)

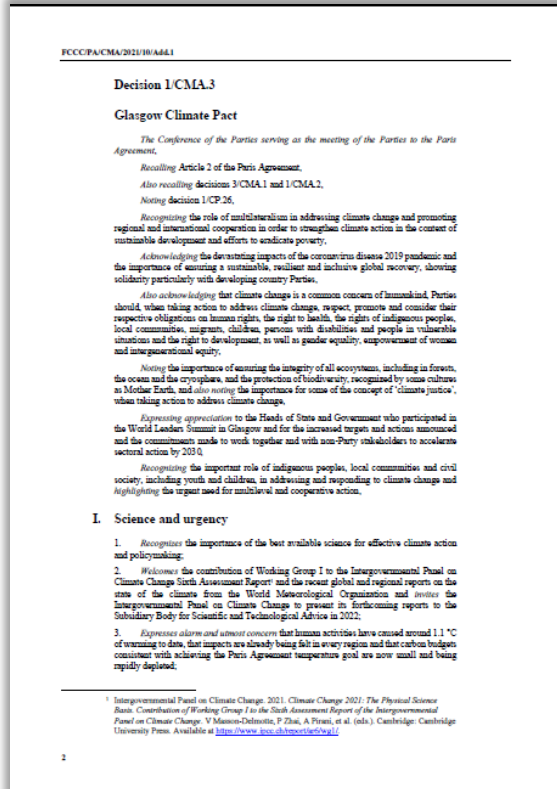
2 **events** pre-Bonn (1 JT WP and 1 MWP)

3- 13 June Bonn **session**



Mitigation Work Programme under UNFCCC

Sharm el-Sheikh mitigation ambition and implementation work programme



In 2021, “a **work programme to urgently scale up mitigation ambition and implementation in this critical decade**” was established.

Further elaborated in 2022, that “*the work programme shall be operationalized through **focused exchanges of views, information and ideas**, noting that the outcomes of the work programme will be non-prescriptive, non-punitive, facilitative, respectful of national sovereignty and national circumstances, take into account the nationally determined nature of nationally determined contributions and **will not impose new targets or goals**”*

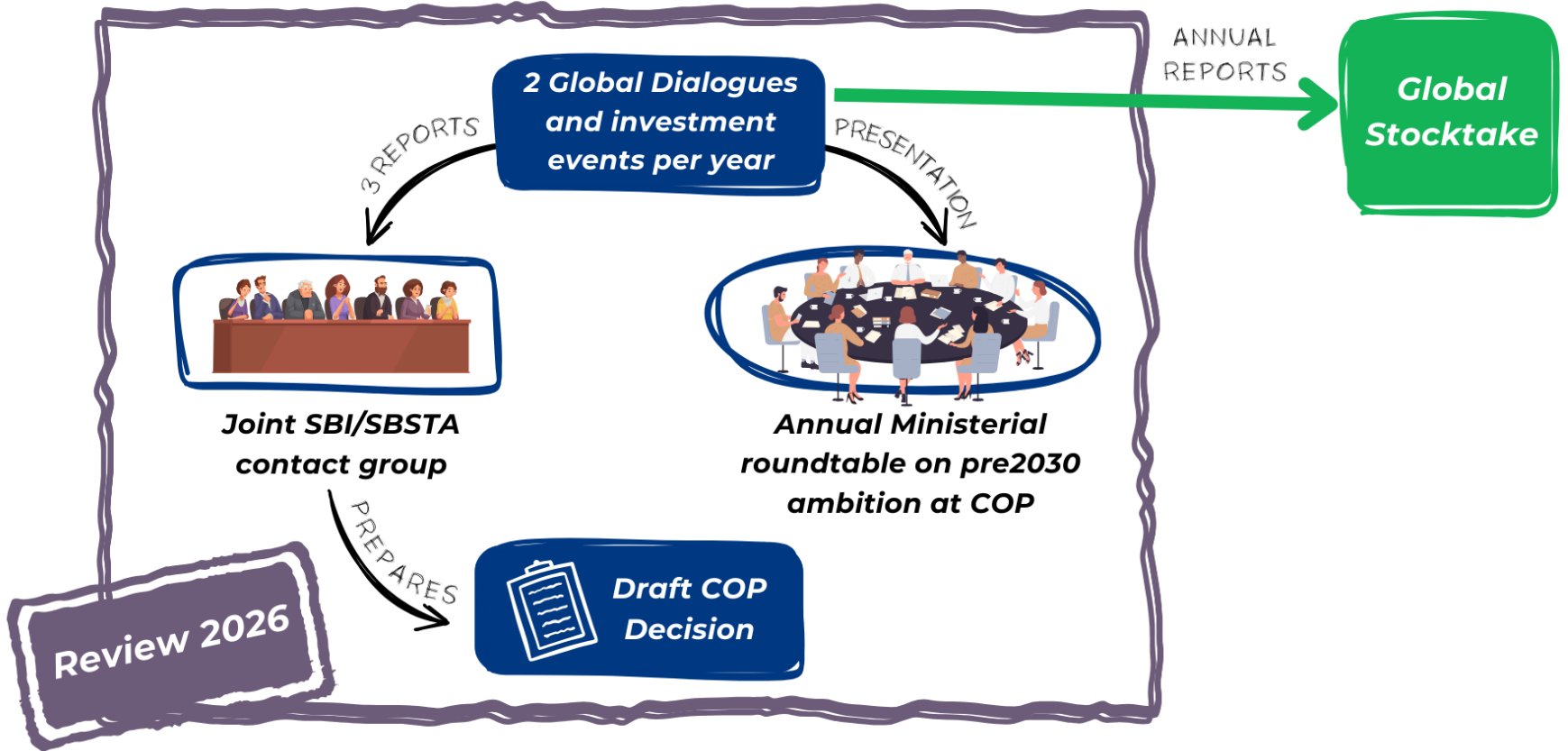
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*“Decides that **at least two global dialogues** shall be held each year as part of the work programme, with one to be held prior to the first regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies, starting at their fifty-eighth sessions, and one prior to the second regular sessions of the subsidiary bodies, starting at their fifty-ninth sessions (November–December 2023)” + organize **“investment-focused events**, considering the cost of mitigation implementation, with a view to unlocking finance, including for just transitions, overcoming barriers to access to finance and identifying investment opportunities and actionable solutions”*

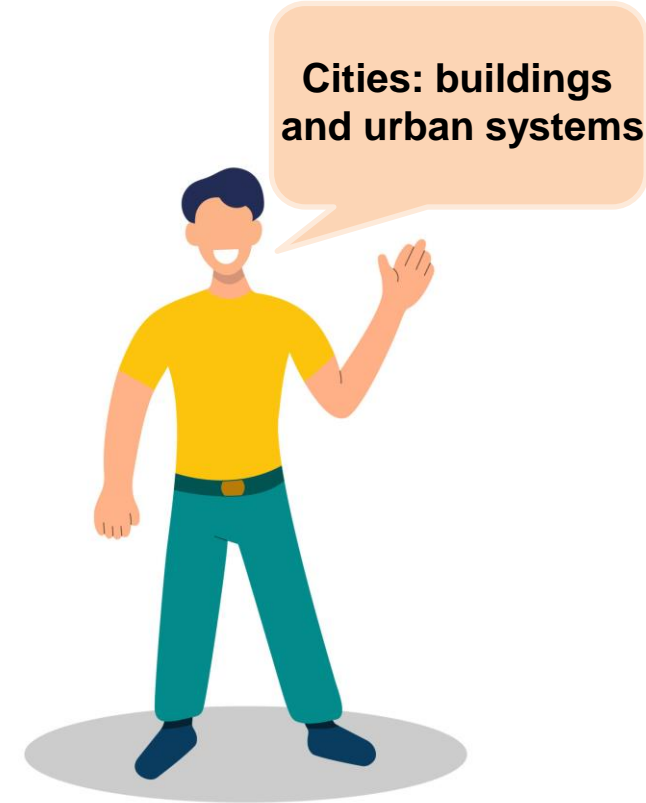
*The UNFCCC Secretariat will prepare **“a report on each of the dialogues**...reflecting in a comprehensive and balanced manner the discussions held and including a summary, key findings, opportunities and barriers relevant to the topic, and to prepare **an annual report comprising a compilation of the individual dialogue reports**”*

*“”...the co-chairs of the work programme to **make a presentation on the annual report referred... at the annual high-level ministerial round table on pre-2030 ambition, starting at the second round table (2023)**”*

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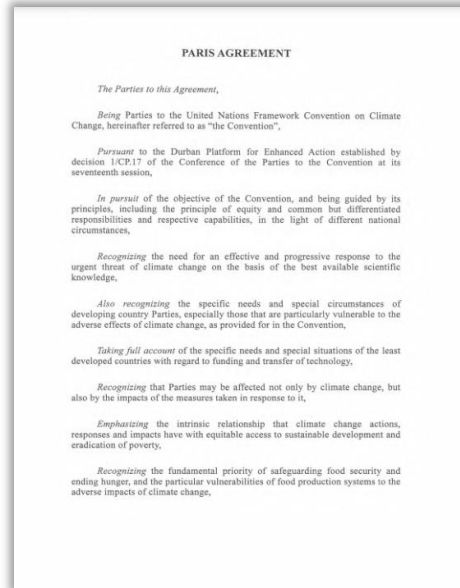


Topics for Bonn (1st Global Dialogue)?



27-29 May, hybrid

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“Taking into account the imperatives of a just transition of the workforce and the creation of decent work and quality jobs in accordance with nationally defined development priorities,”

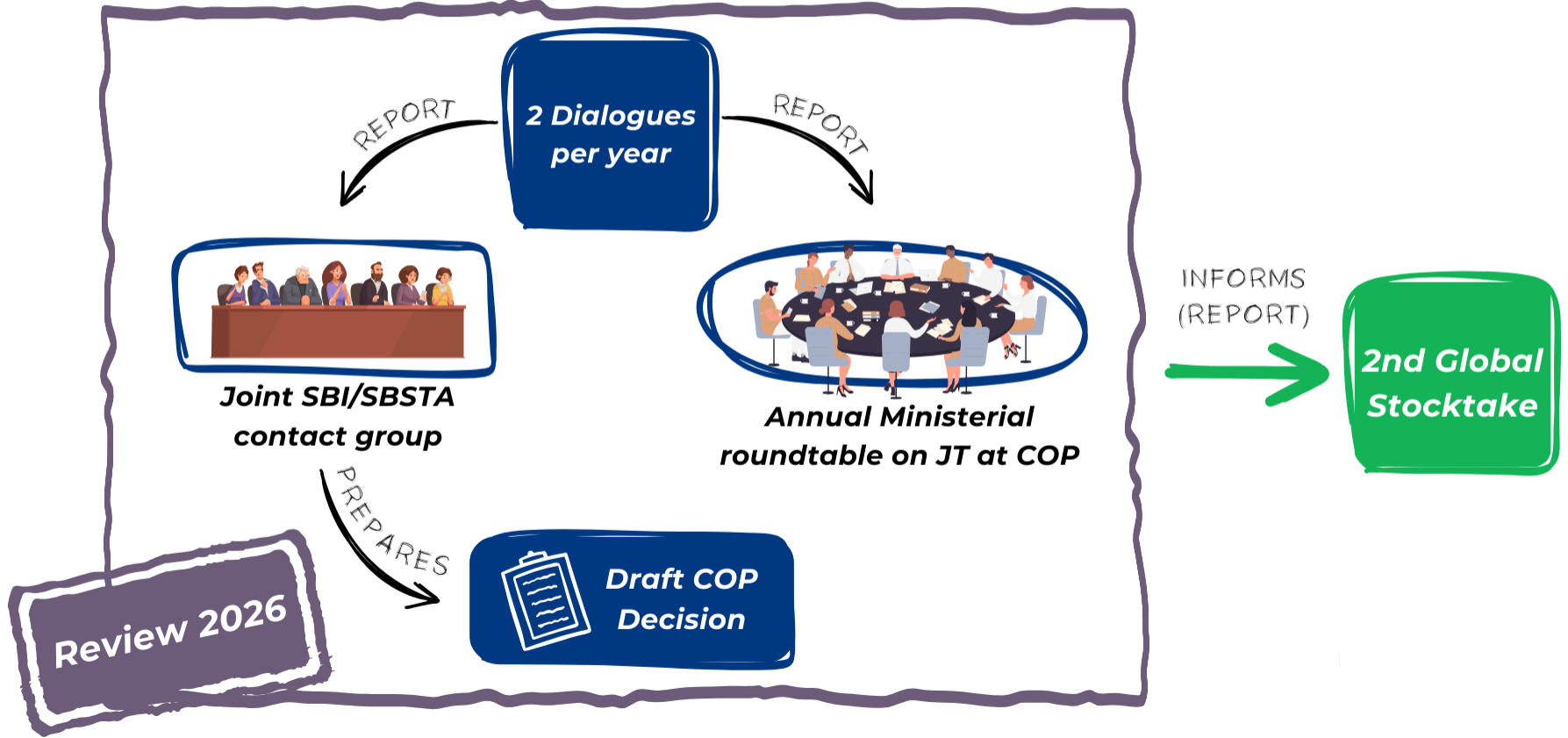
**Not a new topic under UNFCCC –
PA language and KCI work**

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In 2022 a “***work programme on just transition for discussion of pathways*** to achieving the goals of the Paris Agreement outlined in Article 2, paragraph 1” was established and it was decided to “***convene, as part of the work programme on just transition, an annual high level ministerial round table on just transition***”



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United Arab Emirates Just Transition Work Program

Key take-aways from submissions:

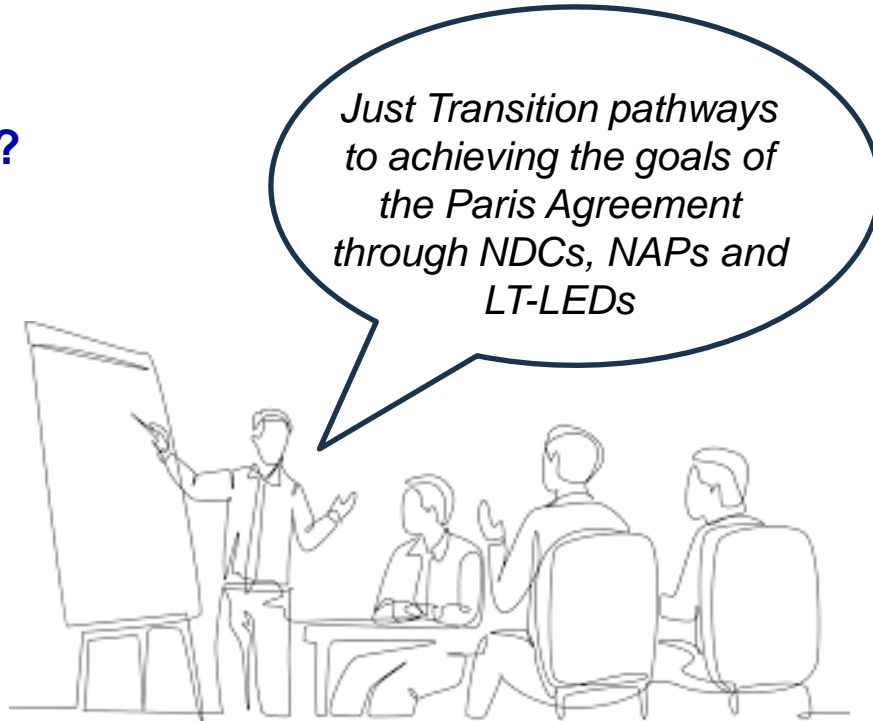
- JT is **not only** about the **energy sector** (RUS, IDN, AOSIS, AGN, LDC, CAN)
- JT as a way to increase **climate ambition** (EU, AOSIS, AGN, UK, AUS)
- Many JT pathways and want focus on addressing inequality between Parties -> **global JT dimension** (LMDC, AGN, AG, LDC, G77)
- **Adaptation** as an element of JT (USA, AGN, G77)
- Concerns over **trade measures** present (AGN, RUS, LMDC, AG)

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What is the topic for Bonn?

**1st Dialog,
2-3 June, hybrid**



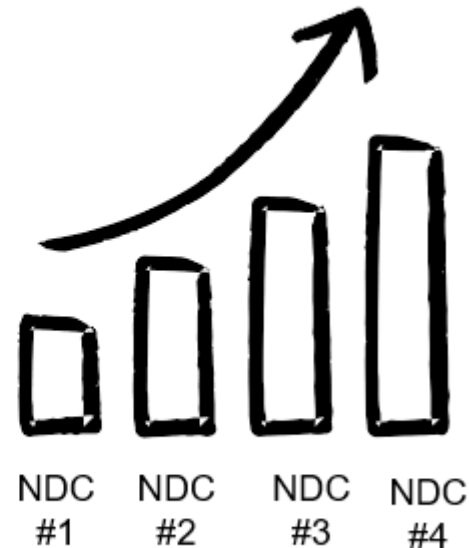
So, what's next? Preparation for post 2030 NDCs

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Paris Agreement ambition cycle

„Each Party's successive nationally determined contribution will represent a **progression** beyond the Party's then current nationally determined contribution and **reflect its highest possible ambition**”



Paris Agreement ambition cycle

9. Each Party shall communicate a nationally determined contribution every five years in accordance with decision 1/CP.21 and any relevant decisions of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to this Agreement and be informed by the outcomes of the global stocktake referred to in Article 14.

10. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to this Agreement shall consider common time frames for nationally determined contributions at its first session.

11. A Party may at any time adjust its existing nationally determined contribution with a view to enhancing its level of ambition, in accordance with guidance adopted by the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to this Agreement.

Paris Agreement ambition cycle

Decision 6/CMA.3

Common time frames for nationally determined contributions referred to in Article 4, paragraph 10, of the Paris Agreement

The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement,

Recalling Article 4 of the Paris Agreement,

Also recalling decision 6/CMA.1, paragraph 2,

1. *Reaffirms* the nationally determined nature of nationally determined contributions;
2. *Encourages* Parties to communicate in 2025 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 2035, in 2030 a nationally determined contribution with an end date of 2040, and so forth every five years thereafter.

*12th plenary meeting
13 November 2021*

Paris Agreement ambition cycle



PA established a **mandatory cycle of NDCs**:

- Communication every 5 yrs
- Next NDC due in in **2025** (for 2030- 2035/2040)

Feedback mechanisms for NDC ambition:

- Global Stocktake
- Enhanced Transparency Framework

NDC development support -> Troika plans

Troika wants create a **platform of UN support** across agencies that can provide immediate support, including through **NDC incubation workshops and tools** to align targets with 1.5°C and the UAE Consensus.

The COP Presidencies Troika will host “a series of **high-level political convenings to assess key barriers to NDC development**”, with meetings planned at the Petersberg Climate Dialogue, the Bonn session, the session of the UN General Assembly, and a special session at the opening of COP29.

These meeting will focus on the **quantity and quality of support** needed by Parties to ensure NDCs can deliver 1.5°C-aligned just climate transitions and be used by countries as investment plans, in a nationally-determined manner.

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1. **NECP/NDC comparison**
2. **Policy Guidelines on JT Plans**
3. **JT Forum 2024**
4. **TWG on MRV transposition and implementation + ongoing support programmes on 14 June**





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