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Host of the Climate Technology Centre

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## Draft decision -/CP.31

### Host of the Climate Technology Centre

*The Conference of the Parties,*

*Recalling* Article 4, paragraph 5, of the Convention,

*Also recalling* decisions 1/CP.16, 2/CP.17, 14/CP.18 and 10/CP.29,

*Further recalling* decision 10/CP.30, including annex I thereto, which sets out the revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre were strengthened,

1. *Expresses appreciation* to the proponents of the 22 proposals received in response to the call for proposals to host the Climate Technology Centre<sup>1</sup> and *notes* that the executive summaries of the 6 proposals that met the mandatory information requirements<sup>2</sup> were published on the UNFCCC website;<sup>3</sup>

2. *Expresses appreciation* to the evaluation panel convened for the purpose of evaluating the proposals referred to paragraph 1 above<sup>4</sup> and preparing the evaluation report, and the secretariat for its extensive work in supporting the evaluation panel;

3. *Notes* the report on the evaluation of proposals for hosting the Climate Technology Centre<sup>5</sup> prepared by the evaluation panel referred to in paragraph 2 above;

4. *Decides* that the United Nations Environment Programme shall be the host of the Climate Technology Centre for an initial term of five years, starting from the entry into force of the memorandum of understanding referred to in paragraph 6 below, followed by two five-year renewal periods if so decided by the Conference of the Parties;<sup>6</sup>

5. *Option 1. Invites* the United Nations Environment Programme to explore ways to collaborate with other bodies, in a manner consistent with the CTC functions and the CTCN resource mobilisation and partnership strategy;

*Option 2. Encourages* the United Nations Environment Programme, as host of the CTC, to consider exploring areas for collaboration with the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and the United Nations Office for Project Services;

*Option 3. Encourages* the United Nations Environment Programme to collaborate and establish partnerships with the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and the United Nations Office for Project Services, with a view to leveraging the comparative advantages of each organization;

6. *Adopts* the memorandum of understanding between the Conference of the Parties and the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement

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<sup>1</sup> Available at <https://unfccc.int/topics/climate-technology/resources/host-of-the-climate-technology-centre>.

<sup>2</sup> Set out in annex 3 to the call for proposals, available at <https://unfccc.int/topics/climate-technology/resources/host-of-the-climate-technology-centre>.

<sup>3</sup> [https://unfccc.int/host\\_ctc#Executive-Summaries](https://unfccc.int/host_ctc#Executive-Summaries).

<sup>4</sup> See decision 10/CP.30, paras. 8–10, affirmed in decision 17/CMA.7, para. 6. The evaluation panel comprised six members of the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network and four members of the Technology Executive Committee.

<sup>5</sup> FCCC/SBI/2026/13.

<sup>6</sup> Pursuant to decisions 10/CP.30, para. 1, and 17/CMA.7, para. 3.

and the United Nations Environment Programme as the host of the Climate Technology Centre contained in the annex;

7. *Authorizes* the Executive Secretary to sign, on behalf of the Conference of the Parties, the memorandum of understanding referred to in paragraph 6 above;

8. *Requests* the United Nations Environment Programme, as the host of the Climate Technology Centre, to ensure that the necessary arrangements are in place for the meetings of the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, including privileges and immunities for members of the Board in line with existing practice;

9. *Also requests* the United Nations Environment Programme to take all necessary measures to ensure continuity in the operations and services of the strengthened Climate Technology Centre;

10. *Option 1. Reiterates* that the costs associated with the Climate Technology Centre and the mobilization of the services of the Network should be funded from various sources, including the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, bilateral, multilateral and private sector channels, philanthropic sources, as well as financial and in-kind contributions from the host organization and participants in the Network,<sup>7</sup> and *invites* Parties in a position to do so to support the Climate Technology Centre and Network through the provision of financial and other resources<sup>8</sup>;

*Option 2.* {Option 2 is paragraphs 10 *bis*–10 *ter* below}

10 *bis.* *Invites* developed country Parties to provide adequate, predictable and sustained financial resources to the Climate Technology Centre to enable it to fully implement its revised functions as set out in annex I to decision 10/CP.30;

10 *ter.* *Notes* that the sources of funding for the Climate Technology Centre and Network are Parties, with the support of the host organization, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, the Adaptation Fund, multilateral development banks and other financial institutions, United Nations entities, private sector entities, non-governmental and philanthropic organizations, and Network members and *invites* the United Nations Environment Programme to develop and present to the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, within six months after the entry into force of the memorandum of understanding contained in the annex, a resource mobilization plan, to facilitate the mobilization of financial resources with a view to fostering implementation on the ground, ensuring the quantifiable deployment of technologies for climate action in developing countries and facilitating matchmaking;

11. *Option 1. Invites* the United Nations Environment Programme, as the host of the Climate Technology Centre, in consultation with the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, to explore opportunities for increasing funding for technical and logistical support to national designated entities, in line with the revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre set in annex I to decision 10/CP.30;

*Option 2: Recalls* annex I to decision 10/CP.30 and *requests* the Climate Technology Centre to provide technical and logistical support to national designated entities to enable them to fulfil their role.

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<sup>7</sup> See decision 2/CP.17, para. 139.

<sup>8</sup> See decision 2/CP.17, para. 141.

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**Annex**

*{Placeholder for MOU}*

## Draft decision -/CMA.8

### Host of the Climate Technology Centre

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

*Recalling* the Paris Agreement,

*Also recalling* decisions 15/CMA.1, 16/CMA.1, 17/CMA.3, 20/CMA.4, 17/CMA.6 and 18/CMA.7,

*Further recalling* decision 17/CMA.7, including annex I thereto, which sets out the revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre were strengthened,

1. *Expresses appreciation* to the proponents of the 22 proposals received in response to the call for proposals to host the Climate Technology Centre<sup>1</sup> and *notes* that the executive summaries of the 6 proposals that met the mandatory information requirements<sup>2</sup> were published on the UNFCCC website<sup>3</sup>;
2. *Expresses appreciation* to the evaluation panel convened for the purpose of evaluating the proposals referred to paragraph 1 above<sup>4</sup> and preparing the evaluation report, and the secretariat for its extensive work in supporting the evaluation panel;
3. *Notes* the report on the evaluation of proposals for hosting the Climate Technology Centre<sup>5</sup> prepared by the evaluation panel referred to in paragraph 2 above;
4. *Decides* that the United Nations Environment Programme shall be the host of the Climate Technology Centre for an initial term of five years, starting from the entry into force of the memorandum of understanding referred to in paragraph 6 below, followed by two five-year renewal periods if so decided by the Conference of the Parties;<sup>6</sup>
5. Option 1. *Invites* the United Nations Environment Programme to continue to explore ways to collaborate with other bodies, in a manner consistent with the CTC functions and the CTCN resource mobilisation and partnership strategy;  
Option 2. *Encourages* the United Nations Environment Programme, as host of the CTC secretariat, to consider exploring areas for collaboration with the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and the United Nations Office for Project Services;  
Option 3. *Encourages* the United Nations Environment Programme to collaborate and establish partnerships with the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and the United Nations Office for Project Services, with a view to leveraging the comparative advantages of each organization;
6. *Adopts* the memorandum of understanding between the Conference of the Parties and, the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement and the United Nations Environment Programme as the host of the Climate Technology Centre contained in the annex;

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<sup>1</sup> Available at <https://unfccc.int/topics/climate-technology/resources/host-of-the-climate-technology-centre>.

<sup>2</sup> Set out in annex 3 to the call for proposals, available at <https://unfccc.int/topics/climate-technology/resources/host-of-the-climate-technology-centre>.

<sup>3</sup> [https://unfccc.int/host\\_ctc#Executive-Summaries](https://unfccc.int/host_ctc#Executive-Summaries).

<sup>4</sup> See decision 10/CP.30, paras. 8–10, affirmed in decision 17/CMA.7, para. 6. The evaluation panel comprised six members of the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network and four members of the Technology Executive Committee.

<sup>5</sup> FCCC/SBI/2026/13.

<sup>6</sup> Pursuant to decisions 17/CMA.7, para. 3.

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7. *Authorizes* the Executive Secretary to sign, on behalf of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement, the memorandum of understanding referred to in paragraph 6 above;

8. *Requests* the United Nations Environment Programme, as the host of the Climate Technology Centre, to ensure that the necessary arrangements are in place for the meetings of the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, including privileges and immunities for members of the Board in line with existing practice;

9. *Also requests* the United Nations Environment Programme to take all necessary measures to ensure continuity in the operations and services of the strengthened Climate Technology Centre;

10. *Option 1. Affirms* that the costs associated with the Climate Technology Centre and the mobilization of the services of the Network should be funded from various sources, including the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, bilateral, multilateral and private-sector channels, philanthropic sources as well as financial and in-kind contributions from the host organization and participants in the Network, and *invites* Parties in a position to do so to support the Climate Technology Centre and Network through the provision of financial and other resources;

*Option 2.* {Option 2 is paragraphs 10 bis-10 ter below}

*10 bis. Invites* developed country Parties to provide adequate, predictable and sustained financial resources to the Climate Technology Centre to enable it to fully implement its revised functions as set out in annex I to decision 17/CMA.7;

*10 ter. Notes* that the sources of funding for the Climate Technology Centre and Network are Parties, with the support of the host organization, the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, the Adaptation Fund, multilateral development banks and other financial institutions, United Nations entities, private sector entities, non-governmental and philanthropic organizations, and Network members and *invites* the United Nations Environment Programme to develop and present to the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, within six months after the entry into force of the memorandum of understanding contained in the annex, a resource mobilization plan, to facilitate the mobilization of financial resources, with a view to fostering implementation on the ground, ensuring the quantifiable deployment of technologies for climate action in developing countries and facilitating matchmaking;

11. *Option 1. Invites* the United Nations Environment Programme as the host of the Climate Technology Centre, in consultation with the Advisory Board of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, to explore opportunities for increase funding for technical and logistical support to national designated entities, in line with the revised functions of the Climate Technology Centre set in annex I to decision 17/CMA.7;

*Option 2: Recalls* annex I, to decision 17/CMA.7 and *requests* the Climate Technology Centre to provide technical and logistical support to national designated entities to enable them to fulfil their role.

## **Annex**

*{Placeholder for MOU}*