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**MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRS OF THE SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR SCIENTIFIC
AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVICE AND THE SUBSIDIARY BODY FOR
IMPLEMENTATION**

The First Global Stocktake

I am pleased to convey a joint message from the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice, Harry Vreuls, and the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation, Nabeel Munir, regarding the submission of inputs to the first Global Stocktake. The message from the Chairs is contained in the annex to this note. The secretariat will regularly inform the Chairs of the Subsidiary Bodies of all submissions made in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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Annex

Joint message from the Chairs of the Subsidiary Bodies

The First Global Stocktake Call for inputs

Dear Colleagues,

Pursuant to decision 19/CMA.1, paragraph 19, and following previous Chairs' communications on 14 September 2021 (ISCP/MTP/GST),¹ 28 February 2022², and 18 July 2022³, we are reaching out to issue a reminder to the call for inputs outlined in paragraphs 36 and 37 of the same decision for the first Global Stocktake (GST).

The first call for submissions to the first meeting of the Technical Dialogue (TD1.1) held during the 56th sessions of the subsidiary bodies (SB56) in Bonn, Germany ended on the 28 February 2022⁴, and the second call for submissions to the 57th session of the subsidiary bodies (SB57) in Sharm-el-Sheikh, Egypt, ended on the 6 August⁵, can be found on the [information portal](#).

We encourage Parties to the Paris Agreement, observer States, admitted observer organizations, United Nations organizations, international organizations and other non-Party Stakeholders who wish to submit inputs to the third meeting of the Technical Dialogue (TD1.3) to be held at SB 58 in Bonn to focus on the scope of the GST as outlined in decision 19/CMA.1, in particular, the types of information for the GST identified in paragraph 36. We urge preparers of inputs to take into consideration the guiding questions for the GST, especially those for the information collection and preparation component contained in the revised non-paper on preparing for the first GST, which is available [here](#) as well as the guiding questions for the technical assessment component available [here](#).

Inputs to the GST should inform the thematic areas referred to in paragraph 6(b) of decision 19/CMA.1 and align to the objective of its outcome outlined in Article 14, paragraph 3, of the Paris Agreement and the outputs of relevant components of the GST, including those identified in paragraph 34 of decision 19/CMA.1.

¹ https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/message_to_parties_and%20observer%20states_to_pa-call_for_inputs_first_global_stocktake.pdf;

https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/message_to_un_and_international_organizations_call_for_inputs_first_global_stocktake.pdf

² https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/Call%20for%20inputs%20SB%20Chairs_GST_reminder_Feb23.pdf

³ https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/message_to_parties_and%20observers_sb_chairs_call%20for%20inputs_first_gst.pdf

⁴ https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/Call%20for%20inputs%20SB%20Chairs_GST_reminder_Feb23.pdf

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https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/message_to_parties_and%20observers_sb_chairs_call%20for%20inputs_first_gst.pdf



Following decision 19/CMA.1, paragraph 19, we remind colleagues that such inputs should be submitted at least three months before their consideration in the technical assessment. Therefore we kindly request that inputs be submitted at your earliest convenience, and kindly request that inputs be submitted as soon as possible by **6 March 2023**, to enable their consideration in the third meeting of the Technical Dialogue which will take place in June 2023 in conjunction with the 58th session of the Subsidiary Bodies.

To submit an input to the first GST, kindly use the [submission portal](#). The secretariat has also prepared a [Guide for submissions to show how to provide a submission on the portal](#). Non-Party stakeholders and international organizations without observer status are invited to send their submissions to the UNFCCC secretariat by email to submission-info@unfccc.int.

If you wish to update your submission from TD1.1 or TD1.2, we kindly request that you proceed with one of the following options:

- To add the submission to the same section as your first submission: When submitting, state that, it is an update version in the submission and state the file name as 'Update submission of _ related to GST'
- To have the updated submission replace the first submission: State in the new submission that, “This submission replaces the earlier submission made on [date].”

As identified in decision 19/CMA.1 paragraph 22, the secretariat is compiling the most up-to-date inputs from the sources identified in paragraph 37 for the technical assessment, which include the submissions referred to above⁶. These inputs for the first GST can be found in the GST Information Portal available [here](#).

We look forward to receiving your inputs and to your continued participation in the first GST of the Paris Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

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⁶ Decision 19/CMA.1, Para. 22