



**UNFCCC guidance on Linkages between
the Financial and Technology Mechanisms**

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- ✦ Mechanisms created at COP16 at Cancun in 2010
- ✦ COP21 and 22 decisions have built on shared activities (SB44 workshop, Technology Mechanism Chairs at GCF B.14) and lessons learned
- ✦ Linkages guidance relates not only to institutional collaboration, but to the importance of in-country collaboration among stakeholders
 - ✦ In particular among NDE/NDA/GEF focal points
- ✦ Clearest guidance from Parties on TM/FM linkages at COP22

- ★ *Recognises that the definition and elaboration of linkages between the TM and the FM has the aim of ensuring financial resources for, and scaling up action on technology development and transfer.*
- ★ *Underlines the need for the TEC, the CTCN and the operating entities of the FM to enhance cooperation and collaboration with a view to enhancing the fulfilment and implementation of their respective mandates...*
- ★ *Requests the TEC, the CTCN and the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism to continue to consult on and further elaborate, including through an in-session workshop at the 44th SB (May 2016), the linkages between the TM and the FM.*

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)



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