

Outcomes of the 10th meeting of the Technology Executive Committee

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Outcomes of the 10th meeting of the TEC

Overview

- TEC 10 was held on 9-12 March in Bonn, Germany
- Mr. Kunihiko Shimada elected as 2015 Chair of TEC
- Mr. Gabriel Blanco elected as 2015 Vice-Chair of TEC

Focus of meeting

- Consider new COP 20 and SB 41 mandates
- Prioritize and implement activities of 2014-2015 workplan
 - Technology needs assessments
 - Climate technology financing
 - Enabling environments and barriers
 - Technologies for mitigation
 - Technologies for adaptation
- Hold thematic dialogue on distributed renewable energy
- Consider TEC outreach and communication strategy



Technology needs assessments

New mandate

- COP 20 requested TEC to provide guidance on how TNA results, in particular TAPs, can be developed into projects that are ultimately implemented
- COP 20 invited TEC to provide an interim report on preliminary findings to SB 43 (Dec 2015)

TEC 10

- Initiated work on this matter
- Adopted terms of reference for undertaking this activity
- Requested its internal *Task force on TNAs* to undertake this work and prepare interim report for TEC 11 consideration (Sep 2015)
- The TEC looks forward to continuing to collaborate with the CTCN on TNA implementation



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Evaluation of Poznan strategic programme on technology transfer (PSP)

New mandate

- SBI 40 invited TEC to evaluate PSP with aim of enhancing TM effectiveness
 - SBI 41 invited TEC to provide interim report on preliminary findings to SBI 42 (Jun 2015) and final report to COP 21 (Dec 2015)
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- TEC taskforce held meeting with GEF and CTCN on PSP evaluation, to discuss evaluation aim and terms of reference
 - TEC 10 agreed to finalize interim report for submission to SBI 42
 - TEC agreed to undertake evaluation intersessionally and prepare final report for TEC 11
 - The TEC looks forward to continuing to collaborate with the CTCN on this evaluation

TEC Brief on climate technology financing

- TEC 10 agreed that TEC Brief topic is *Enhancing access to climate technology financing*
- TEC 10 agreed to finalize brief and key messages on climate tech financing at TEC 11



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Areas for possible collaboration with GCF

- At TEC 10, GCF informed on its progress of work and noted that it will consider linkages with other institutions at its next Board meeting
- TEC 10 agreed to inform GCF that it is ready to participate in GCF work on investment framework and evaluation of technological aspects of GCF projects

Engagement with Standing Committee on Finance

- SCF informed TEC 10 of how TEC can provide inputs into draft guidance for FM operating entities
- TEC 10 agreed to provide inputs into draft guidance to be considered by COP 21

Inputs to long-term finance in-session workshop

- TEC 10, in response COP 20 mandate, agreed to prepare inputs for LTF in-session workshop and participate in workshop to be held during SB 42



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Enabling environments and barriers

Workshop on national systems of innovation (NSI)

- TEC 10 took note of report of workshop on NSI

TEC Brief on enabling environments and barriers

- TEC 10 agreed that topic of TEC Brief is *Strengthening NSI in developing countries*

TEC 10 agreed to:

- Finalize TEC Brief at TEC 11
- Finalize key messages to COP 21 on enabling environments and barriers at TEC 11
- Initiate consideration of further work on enabling environments and barriers at TEC 11



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Technologies for mitigation

Thematic dialogue

- TEC 10 held thematic dialogue on *technology development and transfer of distributed renewable energy*
- Aim to identify policies that enhance development, transfer and diffusion of technology
- Participating experts: Indonesia, Ireland, Uganda, UK, US and GIZ, IDB, IEA, IRENA

TEC Brief on technologies for mitigation

- TEC 10 agreed that TEC Brief will be on *distributed renewable energy*

TEC 10 agreed to:

- Finalize brief at TEC 11
- Finalize key messages to COP 21 on technologies for mitigation at TEC 11
- Initiate paper on further work on this area



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Technologies for adaptation

TEC 10

- Discussed possible areas for further collaboration with Adaptation Committee
- Agreed to initiate preparation of thematic dialogue on *enablers and barriers to South-South cooperation on technologies for adaptation*
- Agreed to hold thematic dialogue in 2016

TEC outreach and communication strategy

- TEC 10 agreed to further elaborate strategy with expert input, and finalize its strategy in 2016

TEC 10 communication

- More than 32,000 people across the world were reached by social media messages (Twitter and Facebook) related to TEC 10, thanks in part to support of CTCN communication team and CTCN KMS
- The TEC looks forward to continuing to work on outreach and communication activities with the CTCN



Key TEC work in 2015

- TEC's focus in 2015 is to implement 2014-2015 workplan and respond to new mandates
- TEC will also continue to be involved in ADP technical expert meetings to enhance pre-2020 mitigation ambition (energy efficiency and renewable energy)
- Key deliverables to COP 21:
 - Findings of evaluation of Poznan strategic programme
 - Interim findings on how TNA results can be implemented
 - Performance of TEC in implementing other 2014-2015 workplan activities:
 - Enabling environments and barriers, technologies for mitigation and adaptation, climate technology financing
- Three TEC Briefs:
 - *Enhancing access to climate technology financing*
 - *Strengthening national systems of innovation in developing countries*
 - *Distributed renewable energy*
- TEC will also continue to collaborate closely with other institutions under and outside of the Convention

Possible areas for collaboration with CTCN in 2015

In accordance with COP 21 mandate, the TEC looks forward to continuing to collaborate with the CTCN to enhance coherence and synergy in the work of the Technology Mechanism

This may include work regarding:

- Evaluation of Poznan strategic programme
- Guidance on implementation of TNAs
- Knowledge and information sharing (through TT:CLEAR and KMS)
- Other TEC workplan activities
- Collaboration with other CTCN activities

The TEC stands ready to collaborate with the CTCN on other activities, including to support the CTCN in undertaking its core services

Thank you!



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