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Input to the Standing Committee on Finance into the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism

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1. Background

- Standing Committee on Finance has invited the TEC to provide inputs to the SCF with regards to the draft guidance of the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism to be provided to COP 24
- Activity has been reflected in the rolling workplan of the TEC for 2016-2018.
- TEC 16 requested its task force on finance to prepare draft inputs for draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism for consideration at TEC 17



2. Process

- SCF provided following information regarding draft guidance:
 - (a) **Scope**: annual reports of the operating entities should form the basis for the inputs provided
 - (b) **Format**: thematic bodies are invited to provide inputs using same template as last year (focussing on policies, programme priorities and eligibility criteria)
 - (c) **Timing**: TEC is invited to provide the inputs ahead of the 19th SCF meeting (scheduled for 29 to 31 Oct 2018)
 - (d) Processing of inputs received:
 - SCF aims to recommend draft guidance for consideration by COP 24 through its annual report to the COP
 - SCF will prepare the draft guidance based on the inputs, inter alia, received from the TEC.



3. Draft inputs for the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism

- In preparing draft inputs for the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism, the following documents were taken into account:
 - (a) Report of Green Climate Fund to COP 24
 - (b) Report of Global Environment Facility to COP 24
 - (c) Previous guidance provided to operating entities of Financial Mechanism on technology related matters
- In addition, work undertaken by other taskforces was taken into account, including the work of the taskforce on innovation and RD&D on technology incubators and accelerators and the work of the taskforce on TNAs on mapping of barriers and enablers.



- 3. Draft inputs for the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism (cont.)
 - GEF elements:
 - Collaboration between the GEF and the CTCN: Invites the GEF to
 enhance the information in its reports to the COP on the outcomes of the
 collaboration between the PSP climate technology and finance centers
 and the Climate Technology Centre and Network.
 - Barriers and enablers for technology development and transfer:
 [Placeholder on guidance to the GEF on barriers and enablers for technology development and transfer building on the key messages of the TEC task force on TNAs on mapping of barriers and enablers as identified in NDCs, TNAs and CTCN Technical Assistance]



- 3. Draft inputs for the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism (cont.)
 - GCF elements:
 - Collaboration between NDA and NDE: Encourages the GCF and the CTCN to strengthen collaboration between national designated authorities for the Green Climate Fund and national designated entities for technology development and transfer
 - <u>Tracking technology-related GCF support</u>: Encourage the GCF to consider to develop quantitative indicators to track support for technology in collaboration with the Technology Executive Committee
 - TOR for RFP on enablers and barriers: [Placeholder on guidance to the GCF on the TOR for the RFP on technology incubators and accelerators building on the key messages of the TEC task force on innovation and RD&D on technology incubators and accelerators]



4. Expected action

TEC will be invited to consider the draft inputs prepared by the task force and agree on the TEC's inputs for the draft guidance to the operating entities of the Financial Mechanism.



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Thank you!

