



# WWF Submission to the 10<sup>th</sup> Technical Expert Dialogue on New Collective Quantified Goal

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In response to the Call coming from the co-chairs of the Ad-hoc Work Programme on New Collective Quantified Goal, WWF is pleased to submit the inputs below to the Programme.

## Summary

- **Second 2024 meeting of the Programme should focus on discussing all the elements of the final goal.**
- **Text should be based on already identified elements and options.**
- **Work during this meeting should focus on specific textual proposals.**

Following the submission submitted by WWF in February, we would like to elaborate on the organization of work, thematic areas as well as the expected outcome of the Tenth Technical Expert Dialogue for New Collective Quantified Goal.

## On process:

### TED:

The tenth Technical Expert Dialogue should focus on the structure of the goal, including substantive elements (like whether it will be one of many goals, what thematic parts the goal should have – like mitigation, adaptation, loss and damage), what accounts for the goal – and possibly a definition of finance accountable under the goal.

Unfortunately, time constraints won't allow for more substantive discussion during TED.

### MAHWP:

Based on the work of the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> TED, this meeting of the Ad-Hoc Work Programme should provide clear options for each of the elements of the goal, as well as provide placeholders for the final discussions on elements of the goal, including procedural ones. The aim should be to propose textual proposals that would populate the draft text:

- Based on oral submissions by Parties, and captured by co-chairs in the report of the session;

- Based on oral and written submissions, compiled by co-chairs either during the session or after the session;
- With a clearly expressed mandate given to co-chairs for preparing a draft.

Elements that should be discussed include, among others:

- Mitigation
- Adaptation
- Loss and damage
- Transparency options

Presence of the Civil Society Organizations would again provide a useful opportunity to include submissions and inputs from CSOs as well in the text, with full understanding that it is Parties who decide on the final shape of the decision.

## Outcome:

An ideal outcome of the session would be a draft text for options on elements of the goal for the final decision, including all the elements proposed by Parties, with an understanding that nothing is agreed until everything is agreed and some elements might not be a part of a final goal.

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