



## Template for non-Party stakeholders' inputs for the Talanoa Dialogue Question 1 - Where are we?

*This template is meant to guide non-Party stakeholders (organization(s), coalition(s), initiative(s) and/or sector(s) etc.) in providing inputs that are relevant and impactful to the Talanoa Dialogue process. Using such the template is not mandatory, however, the High-level Champions encourage non-Party stakeholders to use such a structure to facilitate capturing and highlighting the key messages across the three questions.*

### **Where are we?**

*The commitment (planned and/or announced) as well as the actions taken so far that are in line with aims of Paris Agreement, the 1.5/2 degrees' goal and the transition towards a net-zero emission society by this mid-century [Maximum 300 words]*

- 1. Keep the temperature increase well below 1.5oC to avert climate hazards that put lives at risk.  
This means a shift to 100% RE is a non- negotiable advocacy agenda to ensure that temperature increase does not go beyond 1.5 degrees Celsius by 2040. Energy access will have to be responded by RE/EE with respects to human rights and all aspects of sustainable development.*
- 2. Natural and permanent sinks  
We call for peatlands and wetlands conservation as carbon sink and storage*
- 3. Resilient cities and communities  
Disasters risks reduction (DRR), resilience, climate change adaptation (CCA) and mitigation work and nexus are to be incorporated and integrated.*
- 4. Loss and Damage  
Resilience and risk management must be supported (finance, human resources and capacity building for local governments); and institutionalised in order to avoid loss and damage.*
- 5. Technology Transfer  
We call for support for the development of local capacities to understand and access technology for both mitigation and adaptation purposes,*
- 6. Climate Justice  
We call for fair share in the context of the right to development*

*Progress made so far against the above commitments, including success stories, case studies and gaps [Maximum 300 words]*



*On the advocacy on the shift to renewable energy in the ASEAN, see [http://asean.org/storage/2017/09/JMS-of-the-11th-EAS-EMM\\_Final\\_rev.pdf](http://asean.org/storage/2017/09/JMS-of-the-11th-EAS-EMM_Final_rev.pdf); <https://oxfordbusinessgroup.com/news/thailand-sharpens-focus-alternative-energy>. Also the work on the ground where a community installed solar PV to produce electricity has contributed to the reduced use of power from the conventional fuel, see [www.climatewatch-thailand.org](http://www.climatewatch-thailand.org). On advocacy on climate and disaster resilience in the ASEAN, see AADMER 2016-2020 p 49 <http://asean.org/storage/2018/01/52.-December-2017-Accomplishment-Report-of-AADMER-Work-Programme-2010-2015-Reprint.pdf-final.pdf>*

*ACCC Submission to the Loss and Damage Process on the Type and nature of actions to address loss and damage for which finance may be required [http://unfccc.int/files/adaptation/workstreams/loss\\_and\\_damage/application/pdf/landd-submissionby-acc-15february2018.pdf](http://unfccc.int/files/adaptation/workstreams/loss_and_damage/application/pdf/landd-submissionby-acc-15february2018.pdf)*

*Partnerships with scientific institutions to inform advocacies towards higher ambitions in the NDCs <http://seas.iclei.org/logos/logos-10/civil-society-groups-engage-with-climate-scientists-at-the-seaclidcordex-workshop.html>*

*On the work on Peatlands as Natural Sinks <http://www.aseanpeat.net/>*

*Advocacy on the phasedown of HFCs, [www.asiaclimateconsortium.org](http://www.asiaclimateconsortium.org)*

*On the work on Climate Justice : ACT Alliance <http://www.asiaclimateconsortium.org/>*

*Asia Pacific contributed to this call <http://actalliance.org/act-news/global-churches-act-together-for-climate-justice-in-call-to-cop23/>*

**Quantitative impact so far with respect to mitigation, adaptation, resilience and/or finance**  
**[Maximum 300 words]**

*At least 11 countries in Southeast Asia committed to the INDCs and currently reviewing earlier submissions towards the formulation of NDCs.*

*ACT Alliance Asia Pacific has worked with its national forums of faith-based organizations in at least 10 countries in Asia to enhance better commitment to climate change action, disaster and climate resilience*

*At least 5 national CSOs ( in Bangladesh, Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Lao PDR) are calling for the phasedown of HFCs through the ratification of the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol to reduce temperature increase.*