

LOCAL COMMUNITIES AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES PLATFORM

Concept note: LCIPP workplan activity 10

Call for Parties, indigenous peoples, local communities and others to report annually, through submissions, on the implementation of good practices for indigenous peoples' and local communities' participation in national climate policy

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1. Introduction

As part of the two-year workplan of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP), the Facilitative Working Group (FWG) was tasked with issuing a call for “Parties, indigenous peoples, local communities and others to report annually, through submissions, on the implementation of good practices for indigenous peoples’ and local communities’ participation in national climate policy”.

This activity falls under the LCIPP’s function of “Climate change policies and actions” whereby the platform facilitates “the integration of diverse knowledge systems, practices and innovations in designing and implementing international and national actions, programmes and policies in a manner that respects and promotes the rights and interests of local communities and indigenous peoples” and “the undertaking of stronger and more ambitious climate action by indigenous peoples and local communities that could contribute to the achievement of the NDC of the Parties concerned”.

2. Objectives

The objectives of this activity are to:

- Collect annual reports from Parties, indigenous peoples, local communities and others with information on the topic of the implementation of good practices for indigenous peoples’ and local communities’ participation in national climate policy;
- Summarize the information received;
- Organize an in-session dialogue to discuss the summary and information received.

3. Approach/methodologies for planning and implementing this activity

- Calls for submission, open to all
- A summary document compiling information from the submissions
- An in-session dialogue

Calls for submissions

As part of the two-year work plan, calls will be made for Parties, indigenous peoples, local communities, and others to report annually, through submissions, on the implementation of good practices for indigenous peoples’ and local communities’ participation in national climate policy. Among others, the call will seek the following information:

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- Consideration of local communities and indigenous peoples in national policy frameworks;
- Participation of local communities and indigenous peoples in national policy-making;
- Rights of indigenous peoples and self-determination; and
- Engagement between local communities and indigenous peoples and law makers (parliament).

A summary document compiling information from the submissions

A summary document that will summarize examples in submissions will be produced

In-session dialogue

An in-session dialogue will be organized to discuss the technical summary and information received at this dialogue will be incorporated to enhance the technical summary report

4. Deliverables and Results

- Call for submissions, open to all.
- Summary document compiling examples from the submissions
- In-session dialogue

5. Timeline and milestones

Activity 10 is mandated for FWG 3 and FWG 5 in 2020 and 2021.

Month and year	Deliverable
March 2020	Call for submissions for 2020 launched on the UNFCCC web portal and widely disseminated by the secretariat
October 2020	Finalize concept note Consider the concept note and draft submission summary at FWG 3
January 2021	Call for submissions for 2021 launched on the UNFCCC web portal and widely disseminated by the secretariat
FWG 5, date tbc 2021	Consider this activity, and the revised submission summary, at FWG 5
Date tbc	In-session dialogue

6. Partners

The IP Caucus, IPOs, UNESCO and other relevant bodies under and outside the Convention

7. Linkages with other activities

This activity is linked to other activities under the function: “climate change policies and actions”, including activity 9, to “map existing policies, actions and communications, including NDCs, national adaptation plans and other relevant policies and communications under the Convention, with respect to whether and

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how they incorporate consideration and engagement of indigenous peoples and local communities”; and activity 12: to “promote the LCIPP at the national and regional level”.