

## Asia-Pacific Seminar on Climate Change

### Session 3 Adaptation to Climate Change in Asia-Pacific Region

#### **How International Mechanism Are Working for Adaptation to Climate Change?**

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##### 1. Introduction

From vulnerability assessment to adaptation policy - past activities

##### 2. International mechanism prepared for adaptation

GEF: funding /International Organizations: implementation/

Academic society, regional development bank, countries: execution

##### 3. Funding mechanism and steps for investing to adaptation

Decisions by FCCCC/ Stage I-III

##### 4. Activities undertaken by international collaboration

UNEP: Enabling activities (communication)

AIACC (with START/TWA/IPCC)

UNDP: PDF for capacity building/ Workshop

UNFCCC: Small Islands Developing States Workshop

Others

##### 5. Elements for consideration in prioritizing adaptation options

Scope of options (from capacity building for resilience to actual investment

to infrastructure)

Applicability of GEF guidance (cost/effectiveness, incremental cost global benefit, sustainability, replicability, stakeholder involvement, ..)

Scientific, technological and economic methodologies for assessing adaptation options

##### 6. Summary - How to proceed from here?