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INFORMATION NOTE

Call for inputs by the Standing Committee on Finance relating to the organization of its next Forum

The Conference of the Parties (COP) at its seventeenth session mandated the Standing Committee on Finance (SCF) to organize a Forum for communication and continued exchange of information among bodies and entities dealing with climate finance to promote linkages and coherence. Furthermore, the COP requested the SCF to facilitate participation of the private sector, financial institutions and academia in the Forum, as well as strengthen its stakeholder engagement.

Building on the experience from previous Fora, where the SCF worked with a wide range of partner institutions and, where possible, held the Forum in conjunction with relevant events, the SCF invites interested stakeholders to submit proposals on its next Forum on “**Finance for Nature-Based Solutions**” (NBS), related to:

- Scope and purpose of the Forum;
- NBS-related papers and case studies that could inform the Forum;
- Potential institutions and events to partner with, in the organization of the Forum.

The SCF looks forward to receiving relevant submissions at standingcommittee@unfccc.int by **31 July 2020**. For more information, please visit the [Call for Input](#) and the [SCF webpage](#).

Yours sincerely,

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