

UNDERSTANDING INTERNATIONAL CONSULTATION AND ANALYSIS (ICA)

Experiences and lessons learned – the Party perspective

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Presentation outline

- ❖ National context;
- ❖ Preparing for the technical analysis and recalling the experience;
- ❖ National impact of the technical analysis;
- ❖ Suggestions for enhancing the technical analysis/encouraging submissions from Parties;
- ❖ Preparing for the first FSV workshop; experience and lessons learned;
- ❖ Potential collaboration identified (support received on identified financial, technological and/or capacity building needs) and;
- ❖ Benefits and plans/next steps for a more effective use of the participation in the ICA process.



National context

- Name of presenter/country
Felipe Ferreira, Division of Climate Change, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
National Focal Point of Brazil
- Institutional arrangements
Task force coordinated by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Technical inputs from Ministry of the Environment, Ministry of Science,
Technology, Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Finance and others
- Date of submission of BUR to the secretariat/participation in the technical analysis
and FSV workshop
BUR submitted on 31 December 2014
Summary report published on 1 February 2016
Participation in FSV workshop at SBI-44 on 20 May 2016
Record of FSV published on 25 August 2016



Preparing for the technical analysis

- Expectations
 - Facilitative nature

- Perceptions
 - Time constraints

- Challenges
 - Coordination among different areas in the Brazilian Government

- Concerns
 - Prescriptive approach from the TTE



Recalling the experience of the technical analysis

- Interaction with the Secretariat and the TTE
 - Continued communication

- Getting the information through
 - Clarifications
 - Additional technical information provided

- Capacity-building needs
 - Different understanding of the provisions: BUR x actual actions

- REDD+ Technical Annex



National impact of the technical analysis

- Preparation of BUR-2
 - Updating of information
 - Demand for more planning of activities

- Still trying to understand the work of the TTE

- Expectations
 - Less prescriptive, more facilitative
 - Mindset for developing countries' circumstances

- Comments from the summary report
 - Still to be addressed



Suggestion for enhancing the technical analysis

- TTE
 - More open to specific country circumstances

- Technical analysis
 - Clarifications needed

- Benefits
 - An effort of compilation of measures and actions
 - Simpler form than the National Communication



Preparing for the first FSV workshop

- Modalities and Procedures
 - Lack of clarity

- Questions and Answers
 - No deadline for receiving questions

- Contents
 - Scope of the BUR or opportunity for broader showcase

- Concerns
 - Questions beyond the BUR approach



Experience and lessons learned during the workshop

- Support from the Secretariat
 - Questions from Parties
 - Presentation
 - Logistics

- Improvements
 - Clarity on the format
 - Guidance of the workshop

- Interaction with other Parties
 - Before the workshop
 - During the workshop



Potential collaboration identified

- Exchange of experiences
- More collaboration between Parties participating in the same FSV workshop
- Promote cooperation from developed countries to developing countries
- Closing gaps on capacity-building needs



Benefits and plans/next steps for a more effective use of the participation in the ICA process

- Lessons learned
 - Process
 - Contents of the report
 - Internal coordination
 - Aggregating information

- Challenges
 - Time constraints
 - Lack of resources
 - Need for capacity-building
 - How to demonstrate the progress made in a clear manner

