# Transitioning towards the ETF and New Reporting Requirements



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#### **ETF vis-à-vis MRV arrangements**



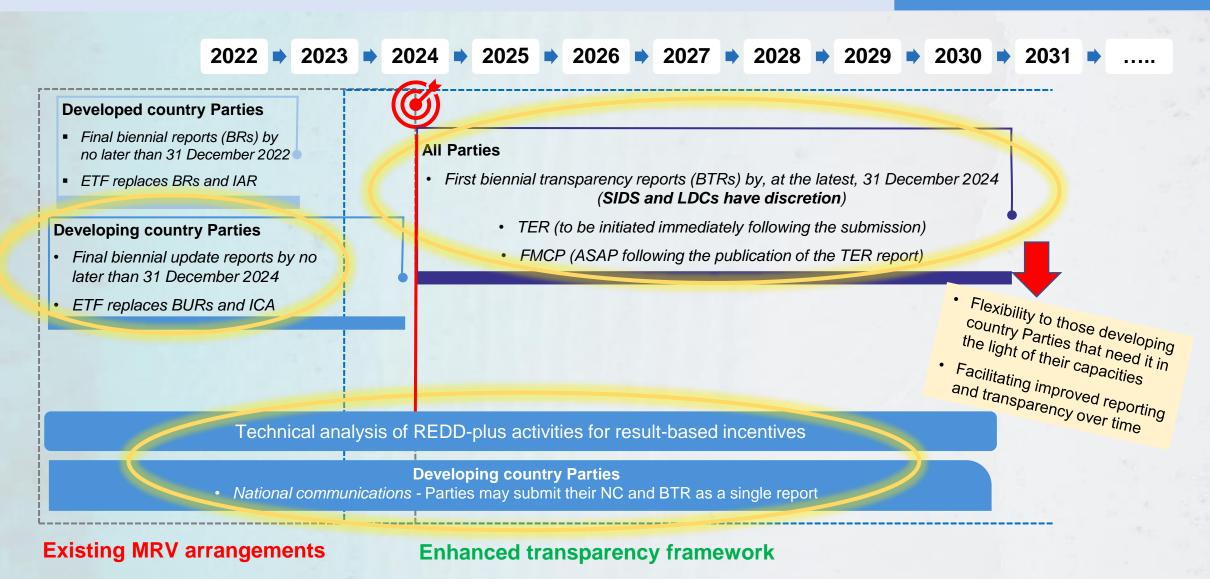
Existing transparency Enhanced transparency arrangements (MRV) framework (ETF) under under the Convention the Paris Agreement **Biennial Update Biennial Report BUR Transparency Report** Reporting **BTR Biennial Report BR Technical analysis of** BUR **Technical Expert** Review or **Review TER** Review of BR and analysis **National Communication NC Facilitative Facilitative sharing of Multilateral** Multilateral views (FSV) **Consideration of** consideration Multilateral **Progress Assessment (MA) FMCP** 

#### Key areas of enhancement

- Provisions/requirements mostly mandatory ("shall")
- Establishes common modalities, procedures and guidelines (MPGs) applicable to all Parties with flexibility to those developing countries that need it in the light of their capacities
- Parties need to (to the extent possible) identify, regularly update, and report on areas of improvement > continuous improvement
- NDCs, reporting, TER and FMCP, and their relationship to the Article 15 Committee (mechanism to facilitate implementation of and promote compliance)

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TER: technical expert review; FMCP: Facilitative, multilateral consideration of progress

**Developing country Parties** 

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**All Parties** 

### In closing



- All necessary operational details are in place now for implementation of the ETF.
- Use existing MRV arrangements as a starting point in transition to the ETF and preparation of 1st BTRs.
- Assess readiness for ETF implementation and enhance national transparency arrangements (data, processes, procedures, tools, training/CB, institutional arrangements).
- Focus on enhancing the institutional arrangements; use the success stories to draw inspiration from.
- ETF goes beyond preparation of reports:
  - ✓ Understanding potential for action, informing policy design
  - ✓ Establishing channels to ensure adequate support,
  - ✓ Platform to learn from each other.

Design the process to bring together all relevant stakeholders and discuss national benefits with a view to facilitate political buy-in and HL support for implementation of the ETF.

- GEF has already put in place arrangements for the financial resources for BTRs
- Start accessing funds from the GEF as soon as possible!

## Thank you



