

Experience of the Maldives on current practices, challenges and lessons learned for preparing information and reporting on climate change impacts and adaptation

Hands-on training workshop on enhancing institutional arrangements and effective implementation of the enhanced transparency framework

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Setting the Scene

Reports by Maldives under the Convention and PA.

- FNC – 2001
- NAPA – 2006
- INDC – 2015
- SNC – 2016
- BUR – 2019
- NDC – 2020
- TNA – ongoing
- BTR – ongoing
- NAP – ongoing
- TNC – ongoing

Current Practices in the Maldives

Priority Sectors and Areas	
SNC	NDC
Land loss, beach erosion and human settlements	Coastal protection
Water resources	Enhancing water security
Coral reefs	Safeguarding coral reef biodiversity
Agriculture and food security	Enhancing agriculture and food security
Fisheries	Fisheries
Human health	Public health
Tourism	Tourism
Population and development consolidation	Infrastructure resilience
	Early warning and systematic observation
	Disaster risk reduction and management

Challenges

- Geographical dispersion
- Limited availability of resources to address the climate challenge
- Challenges on mobilization of resources and support
- Lack of institutionalized data collection and quality control

Important lessons

- Utilizing and strengthening existing national systems (monitoring, reporting)
- Need to build national institutional capacity to access and mobilize resources
- Stakeholder engagement such as communities and private sector (i.e. tourism) is needed
- Documentation and dissemination of findings and lessons learned is needed