Engaging the Private Sector in National Adaptation Plan Processes

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About the NAP Global Network

**OUR GOAL**
Advance national adaptation planning and action in developing countries

**WHAT WE DO**
- Support national-level action on NAP development and implementation
- Help countries learn from each other through South-South peer learning and exchange
- Generate, synthesize, and share knowledge on NAP processes

**OUR REACH**
- Over 55 developing countries have received direct technical support
- Over 350 people from more than 50 countries have participated in peer learning and exchanges
- 240+ knowledge materials have been produced
National Adaptation Plan (NAP) Process

A strategic process that integrates climate adaptation into development planning and budgeting at national, sectoral and sub-national levels.

NAP-NDC Alignment

NDCs and NAP processes can be mutually supportive because of complementary differences in their level of detail and purpose.
Key engine of economic growth in developing countries:

• 60% of GDP
• 80% of capital flows
• 90% of jobs

Will be needed to:

• Create the jobs needed to support adaptation
• Develop the goods and services needed for societies to become more climate-resilient
• Finance – directly or indirectly – many adaptation actions

Why should the private sector be engaged in NAP processes?
The business case for adaptation

1. Manage risks for business continuity.
2. Capitalize on new markets and business opportunities.
3. Strengthen reputation and brand value.
4. Comply with policies, regulations and investors’ interests.
Enabling factors for private sector engagement in adaptation planning and action
Find out more:

UNFCCC Adaptation Committee and NAP Global Network toolkit on engaging the private sector in adaptation planning

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