Decision on the Summary of the Fifth Session of the Assembly and Ninth Session of the Council

The Assembly and the Council,

Recalling the Fifth Session of the Assembly and Ninth Session of the Council that took place on September 9, 2016 in Jeju, Republic of Korea;


Approves the Summary of the Fifth Session of the Assembly and Ninth Session of the Council, as attached in Annex 1.
Summary of the Fifth Session of the Assembly
and Ninth Session of the Council

Opening of the Joint Session

1. The President of the Assembly and Chair of the Council (hereinafter “the President”) welcomed Members to the joint session of the Assembly and Council. Members recognized the participation of observers following the Decision on Participation of Non-members in the Sessions [A/2016/DC/1-C/2016/DC/3]. Members noted that observer countries and regional integration organizations present were in the process of accession to GGGI, and multilateral development banks and United Nations regional commissions present were members of the Inclusive Green Growth Partnership.

2. A list of delegates to the Fifth Session of the Assembly and Ninth Session of the Council is included in Annex 2.

3. Members of the Assembly and Council approved the agenda for the joint session of the Assembly and Council [A/2016/AG/1/REV-C/2016/AG/1/REV] noting that specific items would be for decision by Members of the Assembly and others by Members of the Council, in accordance with each of their respective functions.

4. Members of the Assembly and Council were requested to complete a survey to solicit feedback to support ongoing efforts by the Institute to improve the management of the Assembly and Council. This survey, launched in 2015, focuses on the quality of session’s content and complements indicators of the timeliness of document circulation.

Director-General’s Progress Report

5. The Director-General presented his third Progress Report [A/2016/4-C/2016/5] highlighting the Institute’s achievements against the two cross-cutting priorities outlined in the GGGI Strategic Plan 2014-2020 [C/6/DC/4], namely: “Moving to Implementation: Integrated ‘‘One GGGI’’ Service Offerings”, and “Delivering More for Less: Maximizing Impact and Demonstrating Results”.

6. Delegates commended the Director-General on the achievements made during the period 2015-2016 and encouraged the Institute to continue its move towards the right side of the value chain. Delegates noted that, in moving to the right of the Institute’s value chain, knowledge sharing, advocacy, and south-south cooperation should not take less priority but complement work to develop bankable projects and mobilize green finance.

7. Delegates welcomed the Institute’s efforts to develop and consolidate its partnerships for knowledge sharing and in-country delivery, including as the Green Growth Knowledge Platform and Inclusive Green Growth Partnership. Delegates encouraged greater collaboration with financial institutions and the private sector to secure financial resources for green growth project delivery in Member countries. The Director-General noted delegate’s comments and the attention both would be given under items 6 and 7 of the agenda.
8. Delegates noted that showing transformative results is crucial for the Institute to increase its relevance internationally, regionally, and nationally. In this regard, delegates encouraged the Institute to strengthen its communication activities to increase and enhance its visibility. In response, the Director-General briefly updated delegates on the efforts to continually strengthen the Institute’s communication including through a revised communications strategy and dedicated resources for communication activities in the Work Program and Budget (WPB) 2017-2018.

Thematic Strategies

9. The Institute presented its draft Thematic Strategy Paper [A/2016/2-C/2016/3] outlining the focus and service offerings in each of its four thematic priorities approved in the Strategic Plan 2015-2020, namely: energy, green city development, land-use, and water. The development of the draft Strategy followed Members’ request, at the Fourth Session of the Assembly and Eighth Session of the Council as well as through the 2015 Joint Donor Review.

10. The Institute informed delegates that specific attention had been given in the drafting of the Strategy to alignment with GGGI’s value chain and leveraging partnerships for delivery in order to bring about catalytic green investment. Moreover, it was noted that the draft Strategy benefited from consultations with GGGI’s donors and experts and non-state actors during the course of 2016 – and that, as a next stage, the Institute seeks input from Member countries.

11. Delegates commended the Institute on the draft Strategy and its clear and concise articulation of GGGI’s focus and value added, centered around a strategic response to climate change and aligned with the 2030 Agenda on Sustainable Development. Delegates encouraged the Institute to give greater attention to partnerships with financial organizations and the private sector as well as to embed capacity building and south-south cooperation within the Strategy.

12. The President requested Members to share comments on the draft Strategy before October 30, 2016, and to share the final draft for review in early 2017.

Nationally-Determined Contribution and National Financing Vehicle Progress Report

13. The Institute presented an update of its work to develop bankable green investment projects and support the operationalization of national financing vehicles [A/2016/3-C/2014/4]. The presentation followed the Director-General’s commitment to do so at the Fourth Session of the Assembly and Eighth Session of the Council. The discussion also followed the Council’s approval, at the 2015 sessions, of two resource envelopes to support Member and Partner countries to: (a) implement their Nationally-Determined Contributions to the Paris Climate Agreement; and (b) develop national financing vehicles that can effectively blend finance and develop a pipeline of well-structured investment projects.

14. Delegates commended the work that the Institute is undertaking to secure green finance and develop bankable green investment projects. Delegates encouraged the Institute to further build its capacity in the area of bankable projects and national financing vehicles.
through an appropriate mix of recruitment of staff and the engagement of consultants. Specifically in relation to the development of bankable projects, delegates encouraged the Institute to consider the timing and phasing of the development of a second tranche of projects and to draw upon the lessons learned from the initial tranche.

15. The President requested the Institute to provide periodic updates on its bankable project and national financing vehicle-work, including between the sessions of the Assembly and Council through the Management and Program Sub-Committee (MPSC). The President suggested the Institute integrate this work into its south-south cooperation and sub-regional policy dialogues reflecting upon the experience of the Global Green Growth Summit and Asian Regional Policy Dialogue during the Global Green Growth week in the days before the sessions. The President also encouraged the Institute to communicate examples of this work in its Annual Report.

Country Planning Framework Update

16. The Institute presented an update on the formulation of Country Planning Frameworks (CPFs) over the course of 2015-2016 [A/2016/5-C/2016-6]. The Institute reminded delegates that CPFs serve as a bottom-up planning document to guide country-level interventions over the medium-term, and follows the template discussed with the MPSC [MPSC/1/7/Annex 1] at its First Meeting on February 11-12, 2015. The Institute noted that CPFs are prepared close consultation with government and other in-country partners before approval by the GGGI Management Team and endorsement by the respective country’s government.

17. Under-Secretary of State of Environment of Cambodia, His Excellency Eang Sophalleth, introduced the GGGI-Cambodia CPF 2016-2020 [A/2016/6-C/2016/7] and how GGGI will support the government to graduate from Least Developed Country status and achieve sustained and inclusive economic development. In particular, delegates were informed that the CPF seeks to strengthen GGGI and Cambodia’s partnership. This Partnership has already contributed to the promulgation of the National Policy on Green Growth and the National Strategic Plan for Green Growth 2013-2030 in March 2013 and the creation of the National Council for Sustainable Development chaired by the Prime Minister and Minister of Environment in May 2015. The Institute informed delegates that under the CPF, GGGI will focus on three strategic outcomes, namely (a) green growth is integrated into urban development; (b) green growth is mainstreamed into national planning documents; and (c) energy consumption and production practices become more sustainable.

18. Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Rwanda to the Republic of Korea, Her Excellency Emma-Françoise Sumbingabo, introduced the GGGI-Rwanda CPF 2016-2020 [A/2016/7-C/2016/8] on behalf of the Minister of Infrastructure, His Excellency James Musoni. Delegates were informed that the CPF responds to Rwanda’s challenges of negative environmental and development impact of rapid urbanization, slow uptake of green technologies and solutions for tackling infrastructure and energy gaps, and need for additional finance for green growth projects. The Institute informed delegates that under the CPF, GGGI will focus on three strategic outcomes, namely (a) urbanization guided by green growth principles; (b) resource-efficient, low-carbon technologies and infrastructure solutions are understood and prioritized in urban development projects; and (c) sustainable financial instruments to support green growth projects.
19. Delegates commended and congratulated the respective governments and the Institute on the CPFs. Delegates expressed satisfaction that the Institute’s work is well grounded in national ownership and encouraged working more closely with partners on the ground.

20. The President informed delegates that the Institute has already begun and intends to complete 13 CPFs in 2016, namely for, China, Fiji, Indonesia, Jordan, Mexico, Morocco, Nepal, Peru, Senegal, Thailand, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, and Vanuatu. Moreover, the Institute will begin preparations of CPFs for Lao PDR, Mozambique, and Myanmar in 2017. The President requested the Institute to share CPFs with Members as they are finalized.

**Partnership and Outreach Strategy**

21. The Director-General presented the Institute’s draft Partnership and Outreach Strategy [MPSC/2016/4/REV] that aims to guide the prioritization of collaboration with non-state actors and membership expansion activities. The presentation followed the Institute’s proposal to develop the strategy at the Fourth Session of the Assembly and Eighth Session of the Council, and aligned with the recommendations of the Third Donor Review of GGGI that was conducted in 2015.

22. The Director-General underscored the Institute’s commitment to strengthen its partnerships with non-state actors and outreach with non-member countries and regional integration organizations to influence the global green growth agenda – highlighting the activities of the Global Green Growth Week 2016 as a notable example. Moreover, it was noted that the draft Partnership and Outreach Strategy has been developed through consultations with Members over the course of 2016, including through the MPSC and Donor Consultative Group.

23. Delegates commended the efforts of the Institute to take a considered and measured approach for partnerships and outreach, in line with GGGI’s Strategic Plan 2015-2020. In relation to partnerships, delegates recognized the draft Partnership and Outreach Strategy emphasizes the need to communicate the benefits of partnerships, to recognize benefits of collaboration at both a global and country level, and improve reporting and stock taking of lessons learned. In relation to outreach and membership expansion, Members offered support to engage prospective members.

24. The President called upon the Institute to report on the implementation of the Partnership and Outreach Strategy in 2017, including through the MPSC, the Council and the Assembly, as appropriate.

**Private Sector Engagement Plan**

25. The Director-General presented the Institute’s draft Private Sector Engagement Plan [MPSC/2016/5/REV2], noting that the draft Plan was revised to incorporate the comments following the review by Members of the MPSC in July 2016. The preparation of the draft Private Sector Engagement Plan follows the recommendation of the Third Joint Donor Review in 2015.
26. The Director-General noted that the draft Private Sector Engagement Plan aims to better employ the potential of private sector partnerships in driving the Institute’s three strategic outcomes. In order to test the new model of private partnerships, the Director-General explained that the Institute will engage a preliminary list of three Member countries for piloting the plan, namely, Mongolia, Philippines, and Rwanda.

27. Delegates expressed support for the draft Private Sector Engagement Plan and encouraged the Institute to consider whether the timetable for the Plan’s implementation was realistic, with sufficient time to draw lessons from the pilot activities. Delegates also encouraged the Institute to explore public-private partnerships given its emphasis on increasing investment flows on green finance.

28. The President called upon the Institute to report on the implementation of the Plan in 2017, including through the MPSC, the Council, and Assembly, as appropriate.

**Work Program and Budget 2017-2018**

29. The Director-General presented an overview of the highlights and key features of the draft Work Program and Budget (WPB) for 2017-2018 [MPSC/2016/2/REV]. The draft Work Program and Budget programs USD 112 million for the biennium with the goal of positioning the Institute as a leading green growth service provider. Some key features of the draft WPB include:

a. Increasing the core country budget allocation for LDCs from 45% in 2016, to 53% in 2017 and 52% in 2018, exceeding the 50% target for 2020 in the Strategic Plan 2015-2020.

b. Reducing the core budget allocation for MICs to 47% in 2017 and 48% in 2018, a substantial decrease from 55% in 2016, reflecting the focus on LDCs.

c. Increasing the number of outputs linked to the ‘design, financing and implementation’ portion of the Institute’s value chain by approximately 10% compared with the previous biennium, in line with the shift to the right of the value chain.

d. Designing all programs to contribute to the Institute’s three strategic outcomes contained in the Strategic Plan 2015-2020 as well as the Sustainable Development Goals and Paris Climate Agreement.

e. Leveraging partnerships, increasingly efficiency, piloting innovative services and building the GGGI brand among a wide range of stakeholders.

f. Incorporating Safeguards, Poverty and Social Inclusion (SPRSI) elements in project design and development to ensure pro-poor and socially inclusive interventions in GGGI’s work.
g. Reducing ‘Management and Administration’ spend\(^1\) to 17% and ‘Non-programmatic’ spend\(^2\) to 30% of the core budget in 2017, thereby achieving the 2020 targets in the Strategic Plan three years early.

30. The Chair of the MPSC, the Republic of Korea, reported that the Sub-Committee fully supported the proposed WPB 2017-2018, noting that it is fully aligned with GGGI’s Strategic Plan for 2015-2020. Delegates expressed support for the proposed WPB, especially noting that the Plan is well in line with the global sustainable development agenda with a clear role for the Institute to play in the global green growth field. Hungary announced a contribution of HUF 135 million (about USD 0.5 million) to focus on a water-related project in the Uganda country program and to establish a trust fund for the Balkan region.

Governance Organs

**Decision on the Work Program and Budget for the Period January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2018**

31. Further to the discussion in agenda item 8 (Work Program and Budget 2017-2018), Members of the Council approved the Work Program and Budget for the period January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2018 [A/2016/DC/8].

**Election of Members to the Council for the Period January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2018**


**Appointment of Expert and Non-State Actors to the Council for the Period January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2018**

33. Members of the Assembly appointed three Expert and Non-State Actors to serve on the Council, namely:

a. Ms. Inger Andersen, Executive Director of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN);

b. Mr. Hoe-sung Lee, Chair of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC); and

c. Mr. Mark Watts, Executive Director, C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group [C/2016/DC/9].

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\(^1\) Management and Administration refers to legal, human resources, procurement, corporate services (ICT, Facilities), and corporate shared cost.

\(^2\) Non-programmatic cost refers to Management and Administration, capital, audit, governance and global outreach, strategy and donor relations, and communications.
Election of the Bureau for the Assembly and the Council for the period January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2018

34. The President informed Members of his decision not to seek a second term as President of the Assembly and Chair of the Council upon the expiration of his current term on December 31, 2016.

35. The Director-General presented a note on the Bureau of the Assembly and Council [A/2016/RD/4-C/2016/RD/4], outlining a proposed criteria and process to identify and appoint an individual to serve as President of the Assembly and Chair of the Council, and elect two Member countries to serve as Vice-Presidents of the Assembly and Vice-Chairs of the Council.

36. Members were informed that further consultations on the election of the Bureau for the Assembly and Council will take place in line with the proposed timeline specified in the room document.

Approval of the Terms of Reference of the Management and Program Sub-Committee

37. Members of the Council approved the Management and Program Sub-Committee (MPSC) Terms of Reference [C/2016/DC/10].

Approval of the Criteria for Observers to the Governance Organs of GGGI

38. Members of the Assembly approved the Criteria for Observers to the Governance Organs [A/2016/DC/4].

Provisional dates for the 2017 Sessions of the Governance Organs

39. Members took note of the provisional dates for the sessions of the Assembly and Council, as well as for the Management and Program Sub-Committee [A/2016/RD/3-C/2016/RD/3]. Members were invited to provide any comments to the Institute before October 31, 2016, and the Institute to circulate the final dates and venues for 2017 sessions within the remainder of 2016.

Any Other Business

Gender Equality Strategy 2016-2020

40. The Director-General presented the Institute’s Gender Equality Strategy 2016-2020 [A/2016/RD/2-C/2016/RD/2]. The presentation followed an earlier presentation of the draft Strategy was previously at the Fourth Session of the Assembly and Eighth Session of the Council [A/WRP/DC/6-C/WRP/DC/22]. The Director-General noted that the final Strategy reflected comments and inputs received from Members through written procedure and follow up discussions in November and December 2015.

41. The Director-General informed Members that the Institute began implementing the Strategy from January 2016, including mainstreaming at an organizational level and a
number of pilot activities at the country level. Examples of organizational-level approach include the development of an “Operational Guide on Pro-Poor Inclusive Green Growth” and the consideration of gender in the preparation of CPFs and the WPB 2017-2018; examples at the country level include gender analysis in green growth interventions in Indonesia and support for support gender responsive urban planning in the development of Rwanda’s Green Secondary City Development Roadmap.

42. The Director-General further informed Members that, in 2017, the Institute plans to: (a) extract lessons learned from incorporating gender in interventions in different contexts to inspire interventions in other countries programs; (b) further gender analysis in its Colombia and Ethiopia interventions; (c) develop at least one communication piece to showcase how the Institute is mainstreaming gender in its work; and (d) mainstream gender equality in GGGI’s management policies. Moreover, the Institute committed to periodically report on the implementation of the Gender Equality Strategy to the MPSC.

Update on Grade Re-alignment

43. The Deputy Director-General updated Members on the progress of the grade realignment project that aims to introduce a unified grade structure and to harmonize and rationalize its grading pattern, in line with other international organizations. The update followed discussions and endorsement of the proposal for a unified GGGI grade structure by Members of the Fourth Session of the Council December 2013; and at the Fourth Session of the Assembly and Eighth Session the Council, shortly after completing the first phase to develop job descriptions and a unified grade structure [A/WRP/DC/6-C/WRP/DC/22].

44. The Deputy Director-General informed Members that the second phase of the project, focusing on the salary scale alignment to the newly defined grade structure was in progress, was expected to be completed in September 2016. The Deputy Director-General also informed Members of the Council that they would shortly be invited to approve through written procedure a revision to Staff Regulation 3.2 and Annex 1 to the Staff Regulations to reflect the unified grading structure framework, necessary to operationalize the new grade and salary structure.

45. The Deputy Director-General also noted that the Institute anticipates more comprehensive revisions to the Staff Regulations and Staff Rules in the coming year to reflect: (a) the new unified grading structure, (b) the UNOPS individual contractor arrangement in country offices, which has been previously discussed with the Council, and (c) evolving human resource practices of international organizations and lessons learned by the Institute since the Staff Regulations were first approved in November 2012.
Fifth Session of the Assembly and the Ninth Session of the Council
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