

Outcome of the regional caucus group meeting of the West Asia Region

- Further Empowerment of regional and local institutions in the West Asia Region(UNEP,NGOs ,MGS).
- Create a green economy multi-stakeholder platform and national green economy initiatives.
- Agreement with the general consensus on the discussion of SDGs at international levels while at the same time encouraging national and regional levels implementation.
- Urgent requirement to address the needs of communities in conflict zones and displaced communities due to conflict, environmental degradation and poverty within the context of human rights and the environment.
- We reiterate our regional consultation statement: "Refrain from taking advantage of the absence of green technologies in the countries of the region to impose intolerable forms of protectionism by developed countries, and to find appropriate mechanisms to transfer green technology, without prejudice to the rights of intellectual property and patents."
- UNEP to support the local and regional level initiatives on corporate responsibility and sustainability with due visibility for local/regional best practices.



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