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Reflections after COP27

Eco-Village Development and the COP27 results















How do international climate agreements help EVD and other local solutions?
And how can international cooperation help to unleash the climate and development potentials of local solutions?

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Main Results af COP27

- Loss & Damage Fund
- Mitigation Work Program
- Global Stocktake of Climate Action, NDCs
- Partnerships and agreements, such as BOGA, methane partnership, RE for Egypt, etc.
- Emissions quota trading (Paris Agr. art.6)
- No text on phasing out/down oil and gas
- Not the promised 100 billion \$/year



What are the Problems for EVD, Local Solutions?

- Many countries have little emphasis on local solutions in climate actions and in NDC
- A very small part of climate funding goes to local solutions that can also help access to energy and poverty reduction
- Access to clean cooking with renewable energy can be made with many low cost solutions, a small part of climate funding could pay clean energy access for all, but it is not given















What the Climate Negotiations Can Do?

- Global Stocktake will evaluate climate plans/NDCs
- New Mitigation Work Programme can focus climate action
- A partnerships could address local solutions, energy access
- Climate funding could prioritise local solutions, improved cookstoves for the one billion that lacks it today globally will "only" cost 2-5 billion \$



What difference Do Climate Agreements Make?

- NDCs are frameworks for national climate plans and actions
- International banks and institutions are considering decisions at COP meetings
- International development assistance follow climate agreements
- Partnerships can introduce and help local climate action
- Green Climate Fund, GEF and the Climate Technology Mechanism can directly support climate action



Global Stocktake (GST) and New NDCs



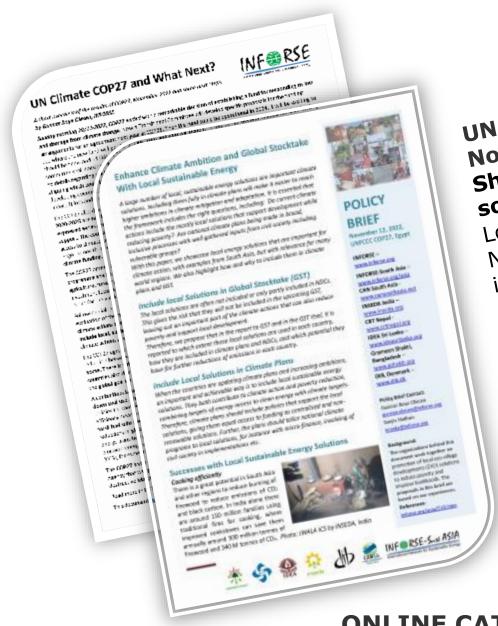
- At COP27 were roundtables, "World Café", and poster exhibition, where we promoted local solutions. Now we wait for summary report. Did we get local solutions in?
- At COP27 it was decided to organise more events on GST in 2023
- In 2023, GST will conclude with advices for improved NDCs at COP28
- We can give our inputs for GST again in 2023, in writing in February and in negotiations in April, June, October, and December (COP28)
- Countries should make new NDCs in 2024 for 2035
 - This is the time to prioritise local solutions

Mitigation Work Programme



Agreed at COP27

- So far the framework is agreed with global dialogues etc, but the content is to be developed in 2023
- We can give our written inputs on 1. February 2023, and try to make the mitigation work program focus on local solutions and renewable energy access.



UN CLIMATE COP27 and What NEXT? Short overview from INFORSE of the COP27 results and Loss & Damage Fund; But No breakthrough in climate finance; NO call for "phase down oil & gas", Rules allowing countries to pay instead of action at home, Work on to get local solutions into the some next steps forward Global Stocktake, Workprogram and stand against the record https://www.inforse.org/doc/INFORSE on COP27 What Next.pdf number of fossil and nuclear lobbyists. SOUTH ASIA POLICY BRIEF to UNFCCC COP27, Egypt Enhance Climate Ambition and Global Stocktake With www.inforse.org/asia/pdf/EVD PolicyBrief GST UNFCCC Nov12 2022.pdf November 12, 2022

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