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Paris Agreement

- **Strength:**
 - Driven by Science
 - 1.5 °C target
 - Recognizes the special circumstances and needs of the most vulnerable
 - Urgent and ambitious mitigation action required
 - Provides for increasing mitigation ambition at each cycle
 - Adaptation addressed
 - Loss and Damage included
 - A facilitative compliance mechanism
- **Weakness:**
 - No mitigation commitments
 - Different baselines and contribution periods



Regional Implementation

- Expedited signature and ratification
- Assistance required to strengthen and implement NDCs
- Capacity building required for Transparency Framework and Adaptation Communication
- Support required to enhance capacity for development of indigenous technology



ACP Action Plan

- NDC: Good
- Mitigation: Support Caribbean to contribute to the 1.5`C IPCC Special Report
- Adaptation: Good
- Loss and Damage: Too much like Adaptation. Need to develop innovative risk transfer mechanisms
- Finance: Good
- Development and transfer of technology: Support Caribbean to develop indigenous technology
- Capacity building: Assist Caribbean to strengthen reporting capacity
- UNFCCC Negotiations:
 - Assist Caribbean to convene regional coordination/preparatory meetings
 - Assist Caribbean with pavilion at COP 22 in Morocco



Thank You

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