

KEY MESSAGES TO WORLD LEADERS AT THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES UN CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE (COP 28)

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GOVERNMENTS OF THIS REGION MUST SUPPORT AMBITIOUS ACTION PLANS THAT BRIDGE GAPS IN LOSS AND DAMAGE, MITIGATION, ADAPTATION, AND FINANCE as identified in the Global Stocktake and all countries must align Nationally Determined Contributions with 1.5°C.

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AUSTRALIA MUST CONTINUE TO STRENGTHEN ITS 2030 TARGET to meet its 'fair share' of 1.5°C and net-zero by 2035, now and ahead of the COP 30 set to take place in Brazil.

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WORLD LEADERS AND INVESTORS MUST COMMIT TO EQUITABLY ENDING THE LICENSING AND FUNDING (PUBLIC AND PRIVATE) OF NEW COAL, OIL, AND GAS DEVELOPMENT. A successful COP 28 will close with a commitment to a just phase-out of fossil fuels.

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OIL AND CLIMATE DONT MIX. With the CEO of one of the world's largest oil companies appointed to lead COP 28 in the United Arab Emirates, we shine a light on the inescapable conflict of interest and ask for real leadership committed to leaving fossil fuels behind.

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AT COP 28 WORLD LEADERS MUST PROGRESS MULTILATERAL DEVELOPMENT BANK REFORM AND SHIFT ALL FINANCE FROM FOSSIL FUELS INTO CLEAN ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES. Governments of this region must also increase climate finance commitments and deliver on pledges previously made.

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DEVELOPED ECONOMIES SHOULD SUPPORT THE EQUITABLE OPERATIONALISATION OF THE 'LOSS AND DAMAGE FUND' and make additional climate finance commitments to vulnerable countries.

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GOVERNMENTS OF THIS REGION MUST JOIN SIDE AGREEMENTS that rapidly reduce methane emissions, phase out fossil fuel projects, protect forests and oceans, and support a just transition for all.

