

16 February 2021

## The Climate Change Commission

6th Floor, First Residences Bldg., 1557 J.P. Laurel Street, San Miguel Manila Philippines

## Through: Secretary Carlos G. Dominguez III Chair-Designate

## Dear Honorable Commissioners,

On behalf of 23 alliances, networks, movements, formations and organizations, I am officially transmitting the joint statement on the Nationally Determined Contributions (NDC).

We hope that the civil society and other sectors be given *space and voice in the NDC Technical Working Group* in planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation and reporting processes. Further, we are strongly requesting that detailed mitigation plans of sectoral agencies be disclosed including the *breakdown of the proposed 75% emissions reduction and avoidance,* with its conditional and unconditional commitments.

For further meaningful engagement, Aksyon Klima Pilipinas respectfully urges the Commission to:

- 1. assure active participation of the civil society in the Advisory Board (Section 5, Republic Act 9729)
- 2. continue creating an enabling environment that shall promote broader multi-stakeholder participation which is inclusive and transparent (ref. Section 9.h and Section 16 of RA 9729)

Consistent to our role since 2007, Aksyon Klima Pilipinas shall continue to serve as a platform of the civil society and communities to work and engage with different sectors and the government to act on the climate crisis towards genuine sustainable development and intergenerational ecological justice.

Sincerely yours,

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