Climate Action Network
Talanoa Dialogue Closing Intervention
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CAN would like to congratulate all participants for their constructive engagement in the spirit of Talanoa on Sunday. It was heartening to hear participants share their views on the common vision for the Paris Agreement and raise issues related to enhancing ambition, including equity, finance and pre-2020 responsibilities.

Together we can go faster, further and better, leaving no one behind in a just transition towards the 1.5C temperature goal. To that end, we welcome countries’ statements and groups calling for greater ambition, and enhancing NDCs by 2020 and stepping up climate action.

The Fijian and Polish presidencies need to use the session in Bangkok to consult, update and engage parties on the design and content of the high-level political phase of the Talanoa Dialogue during COP24 so that it results in an ambitious political outcome. To that end we also encourage the presidencies to provide clarity on how the IPCC 1.5 Special Report will inform the political phase of the Talanoa Dialogue process.

CAN continues to fully support the Talanoa Dialogue process and is ready to engage in national and international dialogues with Parties and non-party stakeholders on how to bridge the gaps so as to step up climate action, including through international cooperation and financial support.