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Global Warming and Climate Change: Urgent Transition From Fossil Fuels to Renewable Energy Is a Must: UN Secretary-General



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || ᾱ. Building a global coalition for carbon neutrality by mid-century will be the UN's central objective, the Secretary-General of the United Nations, Mr António Guterres told a conference on climate action on Monday. "All countries need credible mid-term goals and plans, that are aligned with this objective." Mr Guterres said, addressing the virtual COP26 Roundtable on Clean Power Transition. "To achieve net zero emissions by 2050, we need an urgent transition from fossil fuels to renewable energy."

Painting a picture of some 789 million people across the developing world without access to electricity, Mr Guterres said that three-quarters of whom live in sub-saharan Africa, both an injustice and an impediment to sustainable development. "Inclusivity and sustainability as key to

support African countries, while underscoring that all nations need to be able to provide access to clean and renewable energy, that prevents the dangerous heating of our planet.”

Mr Guterres asked for a strong commitment from all governments to end fossil fuel subsidies, put a price on carbon, shift taxation from people to pollution and end the construction of coal-fired power plants. “And we need to see adequate international support so African economies and other developing countries’ economies can leap-frog polluting development and transition to a clean, sustainable energy pathway.” he said.

Against this backdrop, Mr Guterres repeated his appeal to developed nations to fulfil their annual pledge for \$100 billion dollars to support mitigation and adaptation in developing countries. Pointing to vulnerabilities faced by Africa, from prolonged droughts in the Sahel and Horn of Africa to devastating floods in the continent’s south he underscored the vital importance of adaptation as a moral imperative.

He said that while only 20% of climate finance is earmarked for it, adaptation requires equal attention and investment. “The forthcoming climate adaptation summit on January 25 is an opportunity to generate momentum in this much neglected area.” Despite huge amounts of money, that have been reserved for COVID-19 recovery and stimulus measures, the Secretary-General noted that sustainable investments are still not being prioritised.

He outlined the need for an annual six per cent decrease in energy production from fossil fuels through renewables, transition programmes, economic diversification plans, green bonds and other instruments to advance sustainability. He reiterated the need to limit the global temperature rise to 01.5 degrees Celsius above pre-industrial levels, stating emissions needed to fall by 07.6 per cent every year between now and 2030.

However, he noted that some countries are still going in the opposite direction. “We need to reverse this trend.” he said. He said that all public and private financing should support the Paris Agreement and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development with training, reskilling and providing new opportunities, that are just and inclusive.

He noted that a sustainable economy means better infrastructure, a resilient future and millions of new jobs, especially, for women and young people. “We have the opportunity to transform our world. But to achieve this we need global solidarity, just as we need it for a successful recovery from COVID-19.” the Secretary-General said, reminding everyone that ‘in a global crisis we protect ourselves best when we protect all. “We have the tools. Let us unlock them with political will.”

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The Earth: There Is Just One Planet in the Solar System: You Destroy It At Your Own Perils



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || á. The process of recovery from the coronavirus pandemic offers the chance to change course and put humanity on a path on which it is not in conflict with nature, the United Nations Secretary-General Mr António Guterres said on Monday, urging greater efforts by everyone to protect bio-diversity and step up climate action. Addressing world leaders at the One Planet Summit, Mr Guterres outlined the consequences of abusing Earth and its resources.

“We have been poisoning air, land and water and filling oceans with plastics. Now, nature is striking back: temperatures are reaching record highs, bio-diversity is collapsing, deserts are spreading and fires, floods and hurricanes are more frequent and extreme.” he said. “We are extremely fragile.” Combined with the devastating effects of COVID-19 and its socio-economic fallout, he reminded everyone that ‘as we rebuild, we can not revert to the old normal’. “Pandemic recovery is our chance to change course. With smart policies and the right investments, we can chart a path, that brings health to all, revives economies and builds resilience and rescues bio-diversity. Everyone must do much more.”

The Secretary-General noted that innovations and nature-based solutions were, especially, promising and that preserving bio-diversity, also, creates jobs. “According to the World Economic Forum, emerging business opportunities across nature could create 191 million jobs by 2030.” he added. “At the same time, with a financing gap of \$711 billion per year until 2030 to meet global bio-diversity targets, increased and sustained financing will be crucial to transition away from polluting sectors.” Mr Guterres said.

“The time has come to align public and private financial flows with the Paris Agreement commitments and the Sustainable Development Goals and integrate the goal of carbon neutrality into all economic and fiscal decisions.” He, also, urged support for the most vulnerable, who are already suffering the effects of climate change, such as, the least developed countries and small island developing States.

“Everyone must do much more. We begin a new year under the sign of hope. Together, let us seize the opportunity to build a safer, fairer and more sustainable world.” he said. Organised by the French Government in partnership with the United Nations and the World Bank, the One Planet Summit brought together world leaders to commit action to protect and restore bio-diversity. Due to the coronavirus outbreak, the event was largely virtual.

Opening the Summit, French President Mr Emmanuel Macron, declared that protecting and restoring bio-diversity was in our interest. "Alongside creating millions of jobs between now and 2030, the natural world offers many benefits. Intact forests and ocean eco-systems can help meet climate targets by acting as carbon sinks." "Nature offers solutions for developing sustainable agriculture, for economic and financial services, helping us to preserve our heritages and cultures." said the French President.

Mr Macron outlined four key priorities for action: protecting terrestrial and maritime eco-systems, to allow nature to regenerate; promoting agro-ecology to safeguard environment, strengthen food-security and reduce inequalities; mobilising public and private financing, which would support both climate action and protect bio-diversity; and reducing deforestation, especially, tropical forests, to protect species and human health.

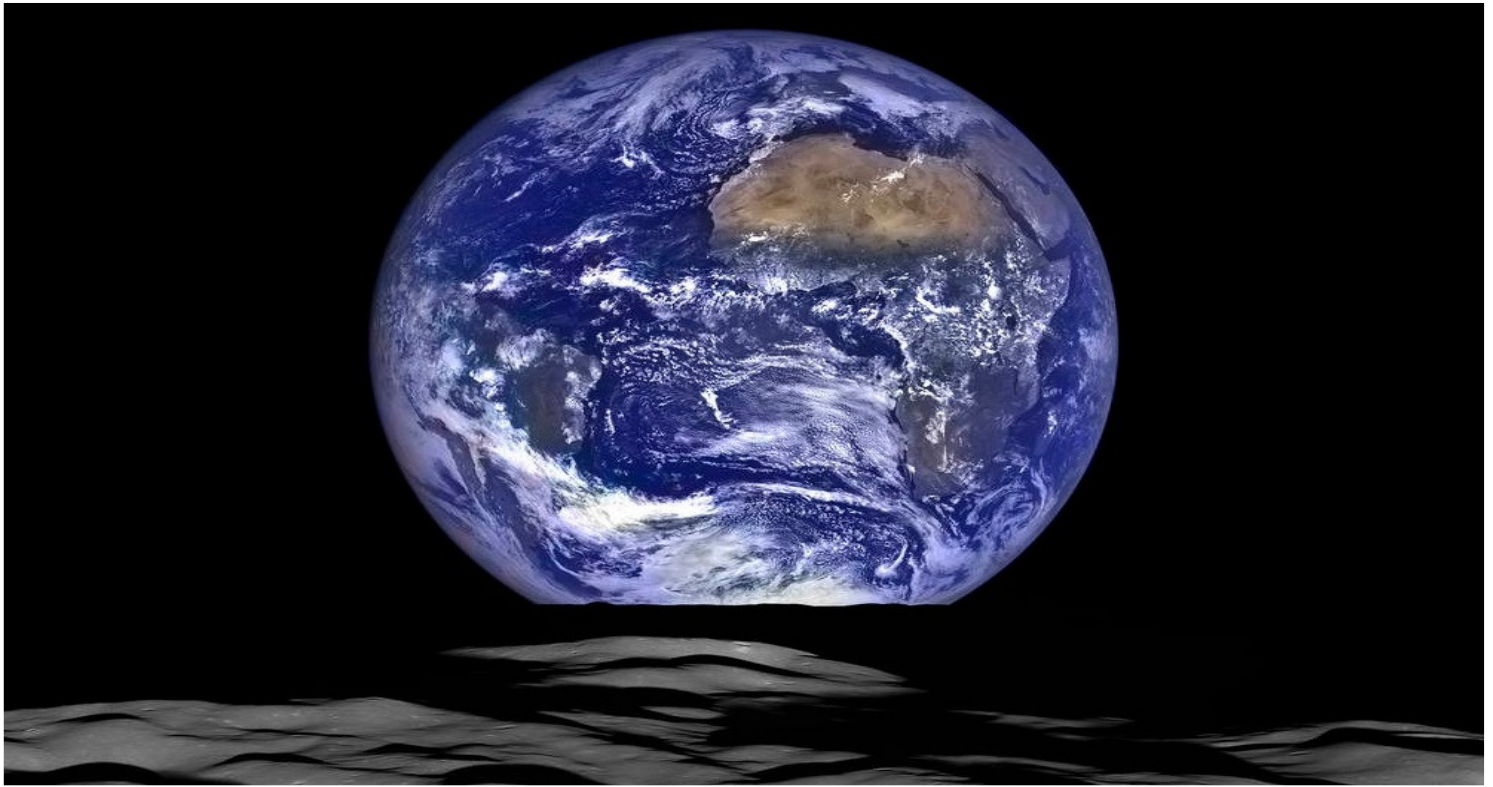
Also, on Monday, the Great Green Wall for the Sahel and Sahara, an initiative to combat desertification in the vast region, received a pledge of more than \$14.2 billion in new funding over the next 10 years, to restore degrading land, protect bio-diversity and strengthen resilience. According to the UN Convention on Combating Desertification Secretariat:UNCCD, overall, about \$33 billion are needed by the initiative to achieve its ambitious targets to restore 100 million hectares of degraded land, the soil capture of around 250 million tonnes of atmospheric carbon and creation of some 10 million green jobs for communities, by 2030.

Mr Mohamed Cheikh El-Ghazouani, the President of Mauritania and the Chair of Conference of Heads of States and Governments of the Pan African Agency for the Green Great Wall, welcomed the announcement. "The mobilisation of this additional funding through an innovative approach will certainly contribute to the achievement of the Great Green Wall goals." he said.

Since its inception in 2007, the country-led Great Green Wall programme has planted billions of trees and supported tens of thousands of local households. Its path snakes along the southern margin of Africa's Sahara Desert running from the Atlantic coast to the Red Sea.

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Global Warming and Climate Change: Focus on the Natural World and On Bio-diversity Is Absolutely Critical: We Must Tackle Climate Change But Climate Change Must Be Seen As Part of an Overall Agenda to Protect the Natural World: Boris Johnson at the One Planet Summit



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || α. The UK Prime Minister Mr Boris Johnson MP has at the One Planet Summit, taking place today. Mr Johnson began by thanking the French President Mr Emmanuel Macron for organising this One Planet Summit, calling it 'an absolutely crucial subject', which it is for world humanity must learn to accept the highest-possible degree of moral duty, responsibility, obligation and care it has to take the guardianship, custodianship and leadership to look after, to take care, to not harm and to protect the Mother Earth for this is literally the only place, only planet, in the whole universe, that we are so far aware of where life can and does exist: this whole magnanimous web and ecology of life with its infinite bio-diversity, formed of things, of matters, of energies, of vegetations, of animals, of marine, microbial and countless nano-worlds of all lives and living things, including, us humanity and the infinite array of bio-diversity, that decorates the earth's every possible expression of 'surfaces'.

It is literally, as, if, the earth is asking for a human soul, for every human soul, all human souls to consider: that their home is on fire and it is going to get obliterated by this fire, burning everything to ashes and dust, everything, that we know of life, including, our very beings, this whole humanity, the whole web and ecology of life as we know them and the question Mother Earth asks is this: are we going to do all in your powers, all in your might to stop that fire or just wait there and keep doing nothing and keep on consuming, that would add to the fire more fuel so that the fire reaches the momentum sooner and bring an end sooner and faster and the agony of that perishing away in utter and sheer sufferings is beyond our imagination. There is no other way to put the emergency any other way for we are heading that way for sure and there is no question as to whether but by when! In fact, global warming and climate change have been, already, running havoc across the earth in all spheres of the earth, where life is spread.

"After all, we're making a lot of progress as humanity in finding the technological solutions to tackle climate change and reduce carbon. Clearly there's a huge amount still to do but we're starting to see a way forward since the Paris Summit five years ago which was I think a huge success, we can see that humanity can do this. But the problem is that we are destroying species and habitat at

an absolutely unconscionable rate. I think we've lost about 500 species in the last century, of all the mammals in the world – the biomass of mammals – I think I'm right in saying that 96% of mammals on our planet are now human beings or oxen or pigs or the livestock that human beings rely on. 70% of all the birds in the world are chickens." Mr Johnson said.

"In other words, there has been a total or near-total destruction of wildlife. Only 4% of the mammals in the world are now wild mammals, from whales to monkeys, to you name it. That in my view is a disaster. We're seeing a parallel loss of habitat, of forests and plant species of all kinds. So that's why the UK is pledged to protect 30% of our land surface, 30% of our marine surface, to create marine protected areas – vast protected areas – which is something by the way an objective that we share very much with France, with Canada – we're all engaged in this same effort."

Mr Johnson further said, "And of the £11.6 billion that we've consecrated to climate finance initiatives, we're putting £3 billion to protecting nature, whether it's marine life, or timber conservation or sustainable food production. I think that as global leaders, we must go further and I'm very pleased therefore that so many countries have signed up to the UN Leaders Pledge for Nature so that we have really hard-edged targets for the preservation of species and wildlife, but also the re-wilding of our planet in the way that Sir David Attenborough has suggested."

"And I would like to see a world in which we give real meaning to those Aichi targets that were set so many years ago at Kyoto and I hope that our Chinese colleagues will be pushing that agenda at their Biodiversity Summit in Kunming. I know that we will be working with colleagues under the auspices of the UN to do that at the COP26 summit in Glasgow."

"Obviously it's right to focus on climate change, obviously it's right to cut CO2 emissions, but we won't achieve a real balance with our planet unless we protect nature as well. One final thought, don't forget that the coronavirus pandemic was the product of an imbalance in man's relationship with the natural world. Like the original plague which struck the Greeks I seem to remember in book one of the Iliad, it is a zoonotic disease. It originates from bats or pangolins, from the demented belief that if you grind up the scales of a pangolin you will somehow become more potent or whatever it is people believe, it originates from this collision between mankind and the natural world and we've got to stop it.

And that's why I think that this summit is so important and this focus on the natural world and on biodiversity is absolutely critical. Yes we must tackle climate change, but climate change must be seen as part of an overall agenda to protect the natural world and I think the One Planet agenda is completely right."

Caption: The Earth: Image: NASA:ESA

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The World: UNICEF WHO IFRC and MSF Announce the Establishment of a Global Ebola Vaccine Stockpile



|| Tuesday: January 12: 2021 || á. The four leading international health and humanitarian organisations have announced today the establishment of a global Ebola vaccine stockpile to ensure outbreak response. The effort to establish the stockpile was led by the International Co-ordinating Group:ICG on Vaccine Provision, which includes the World Health Organisation:WHO, UNICEF, the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies:IFRC and Médecins Sans Frontières:MSF, with financial support from Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance.

The stockpile will allow countries, with the support of humanitarian organisations, to contain future Ebola epidemics by ensuring timely access to vaccines for populations at risk during outbreaks. The injectable single-dose Ebola vaccine:rVSVΔG-ZEBOV-GP, live, is manufactured by Merck, Sharp and Dohme:MSD Corp and developed with financial support from the US government. The European Medicines Agency licensed the Ebola vaccine in November 2019 and the vaccine is now pre-qualified by WHO and licensed by the US Food and Drug Administration, as well as, in eight African countries.

Before achieving licensure, the vaccine was administered to more than 350,000 people in Guinea and in the 2018-2020 Ebola outbreaks in the Democratic Republic of the Congo under a protocol for 'compassionate use'. The vaccine, which is recommended by the Strategic Advisory Group of Experts:SAGE on Immunisation for use in Ebola outbreaks as part of a broader set of Ebola outbreak response tools, protects against the Zaire ebolavirus species, which is most commonly known to cause outbreaks.

“The COVID-19 pandemic is reminding us of the incredible power of vaccines to save lives from deadly viruses.” said Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, WHO Director-General. “Ebola vaccines have made one of the most feared diseases on earth preventable. This new stockpile is an excellent example of solidarity, science and cooperation between international organizations and the private sector to save lives.”

UNICEF manages the stockpile on behalf of the ICG which, as with stockpiles of cholera, meningitis and yellow fever vaccines, will be the decision-making body for its allocation and release. The stockpile is stored in Switzerland and ready to be shipped to countries for emergency response. The decision to allocate the vaccine will be made within 48 hours of receiving a request from a country; vaccines will be made available together with ultra-cold chain packaging by the manufacturer for shipment to countries within 48 hours of the decision. The targeted overall delivery time from the stockpile to countries is seven days.

“We are proud to be part of this unprecedented effort to help bring potential Ebola outbreaks quickly under control.” said Ms Henrietta Fore, UNICEF Executive Director. “We know that when it comes to disease outbreaks, preparedness is key. This Ebola vaccine stockpile is a remarkable achievement, one that will allow us to deliver vaccines to those, who need them the most as quickly as possible.”

As Ebola outbreaks are relatively rare and unpredictable, there is no natural market for the vaccine. Vaccines are only secured through the establishment of the stockpile and are available in limited quantities. The Ebola vaccine is reserved for outbreak response to protect people at the highest risk of contracting Ebola, including, healthcare and frontline workers.

“This is an important milestone. Over the past decade alone we have seen Ebola devastate communities in West and Central Africa, always hitting the poorest and most vulnerable the hardest.” said IFRC Secretary General, Mr Jagan Chapagain. “Through each outbreak, our volunteers have risked their lives to save lives. With this stockpile, it is my hope that the impact of this terrible disease will be dramatically reduced.”

“The creation of an Ebola vaccine stockpile under the ICG is a positive step.” said Dr Natalie Roberts, the Programme Manager, MSF Foundation. “Vaccination is one of the most effective measures to respond to outbreaks of vaccine preventable diseases, and Ebola is no exception. An Ebola vaccine stockpile can increase transparency in the management of existing global stocks and the timely deployment of the vaccine where it’s most needed, something MSF has called for during recent outbreaks in the Democratic Republic of Congo.”

An initial 6,890 doses are now available for outbreak response with further quantities to be delivered into the stockpile this month and throughout 2021 and beyond. Depending on the rate of vaccine deployment, it could take two to three years to reach the SAGE-recommended level of 500,000 doses for the emergency stockpile of Ebola vaccines. WHO, UNICEF, Gavi and vaccine manufacturers are continuously assessing options to increase vaccine supply should global demand increase.

Asia: Equal Under the Solar Power: Laos Villages Are Transformed by Solar Power



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || á. For people, living off-grid in remote villages in Laos, solar energy offers a clean, sustainable way to bring electricity for all and the promise to transform their lives. For which investment, wise and visionary invests are required. And such investments shall always empower the very people, communities and families in any society wherever on this earth. In Ko Bong and Tha Phai Bai, in the centre of the South East Asian country, only a small number of people used to benefit from electricity, provided by unreliable, polluting and expensive diesel generators, thus, limiting the possibilities for economic development.

Today, however, the picture is very different, because of a UN Development Programme:UNDP initiative, that has provided both villages with innovative solar-powered mini-grids and access to clean, reliable and affordable energy. <https://news.un.org/en/story/2021/01/1081732>. These two villages are in Lao PDR and are on the Theun river bank, within a protected area in the centre of the country. It is the site of a major hydropower project, which feeds renewable electricity to the national grid. But nearby communities, too remote to be connected to the grid, haven't been able to benefit from it. For long, they have had to resort to diesel generators, which can be expensive, polluting, unreliable and would only provide electricity to a few. Until now.

Both villages now have access to electricity through an innovative community-run solar power installation. This type of solar power system is called a mini-grid. It is an independent energy system, that operates outside of the national grid. As such, mini-grids are a prime energy solution to provide clean, reliable and affordable electricity to remote communities, that remain off the main grid.

The mini-grid system, installed in these communities, goes a step further. Called a 'swarm grid', it is based on a new technology, that is, particularly, well-suited to small, rural communities. The system is made of a central power hub with several individual power storage units, which can be expanded, if, energy demand increases over time. This 'frugal innovation' ensures flexibility and

adaptability: the more blocks you add, the more energy you get and the stronger the swarm grid becomes. Set up in October 2020 in partnership with the solar technology company PowerBlox and the local energy company Sunlabob, the Thai Phai Bai and Ko Bong swarm grid will provide energy to 147 households.

"For generations, villagers would have to collect the wax of a certain type of tree in the forest to create a torchlight at night. It was very difficult, especially, during rainy season." recalls one of the village's elders, Mr Koun. "Being able to just flick a switch to turn on the light at home at night will be life-changing."

But access to energy is transformative in a way, that goes far beyond lighting. With clean energy comes a suite of development benefits, that improves people lives in many ways. It enables education by helping school children do their homework in the evening. It powers essential services, improving, for instance, the quality of healthcare by providing reliable electricity to health centres. Life-threatening power cuts, used to occur during operations, while giving birth or tending to new-borns. Not anymore.

"Electricity will help to save lives. I know how hard it is when mothers bring their baby to a health centre without electricity." said Ms Dam, a Health Worker. The health centre can now stay open later in the evening, health workers can rely on medical equipment to function properly and refrigerate vaccines and medicines to ensure they remain potent.

Electricity, also, supports livelihoods and food security. For instance, Ms Niam, the owner of the only shop in the village, will now be able to earn additional income. "When we have electricity, I'd like to expand my business. I will buy a fridge." Now that the system is up and running, the challenge is to ensure its sustainability. Here, empowering the community to manage and maintain the mini-grid is key and a group of villagers were trained to do so. It is, also, critical that electricity remains affordable: the project team is currently consulting villagers to establish an electricity fee deemed reasonable by the community itself.

Energy is a priority sector in Lao PDR's Nationally Determined Contribution under the Paris Agreement. The country has committed to provide access to electricity to, at least, 98% of its population by 2030, up from 90% in 2015. Scaling projects like this one to other off-grid communities will be key for Laos to progress towards the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal Seven, universal access to clean, reliable and affordable energy and advance its climate agenda.

This project is funded by the European Union, the German government and Spain and implemented by the United Nations Development Programme through its NDC Support Programme in partnership with the Institute for Renewable Energy Promotion:IREP, the Ministry of Energy and Mines.

Caption: Solar power has improved the livelihoods of local people: Image: UNDP Lao PDR

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Europe: Finland's Prime Minister Marin Urges the European Union to Speed Up COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || á. The Prime Minister of Finland Ms Sanna Marin sent a letter to European Commission President Ms Ursula Von der Leyen, On Monday, January 11, in which she thanked the Commission for organising the joint EU procurement of COVID-19 vaccines and urged the EU to take measures to speed up the distribution of vaccines.

Ms Marin called on the Commission to do its utmost to ensure that pharmaceutical companies are producing vaccines as efficiently as possible and that the vaccines procured jointly by the EU can be distributed to the Member States more quickly than at present. Prime Minister Marin hopes the Commission will provide an update on the vaccine situation at the video conference of EU leaders taking place next week.

Ms Marin, also, raised the issue of vaccine availability in her telephone conversation this evening with Prime Minister of Portugal, Mr António Costa, whose country currently holds the Presidency of the EU Council. In addition, the prime ministers discussed the programme of the Portuguese Presidency, the main objectives of which are to accelerate economic recovery through a green and digital transition, to advance the European social pillar and to strengthen Europe's strategic autonomy

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North America: US: Trump's Actions Fuel Capitol Riot: The Republicans Must Support the Will of the People As Expressed in the Duly Certified Election Results and Congress Should Investigate the Law Enforcement Preparation Around the Riot: Human Rights Watch

|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || á. The United States President Mr Donald Trump and his supporters in Congress should immediately acknowledge Mr Joe Biden's win in the November presidential election and cease their attack on US democratic processes, Human Rights Watch said, following the violent assault on the US Congress by a determined, unruly and ruthless mob, called by, inspired, encouraged and supported by the out-going US President, in which five lives were lost, that not only shocked America but, also, the whole world as it stood speechlessly, watching the mob-destructions unfolded against the American democracy, constitutional order, rule of law and the very expression of its governance system.

The Trump administration should take all appropriate action to end further forcible interference with the democratic process by their supporters, hundreds of whom stormed the US Capitol on January 06, 2021, following Mr Trump's address to a rally near the White House. Congress should immediately certify the election results. The Agency demanded. However, the Congress has already certified the November election results, confirming Mr Joe Biden and Ms Kamala Harris as winners.

"The mob, that occupied the US Capitol tried to interfere with the peaceful transfer of power." Said Ms Nicole Austin-Hillery, the Executive Director of the US Programme at Human Rights Watch. "This is the culmination of a reckless campaign by the President and his enablers to undermine democratic processes and the rule of law since his electoral defeat. The government needs to hold them to account."

On January 06, members of Congress gathered for the official certification of electoral votes in the US presidential election, which Mr Biden won by 306 electoral votes to Mr Trump's 232. Members of Congress, journalists and others were forced to flee as rioters smashed windows and broke into the House and Senate chambers. US Capitol Police shot and killed one woman, according to media reports.

The mob had just come from a 'Save America' rally, promoted by Trump and his supporters, including, the far-right Proud Boys group. Speaking to the crowd, Mr Trump repeated debunked conspiracy theories, said he would 'never concede' that he lost the election and urged the crowd to walk to the Capitol to give Republicans 'the kind of pride and boldness' that they need to take back our country'.

"The events at the Capitol should not distract from the fact that a record number of US citizens peacefully turned out to choose their representatives." Ms Austin-Hillery said. "All officials and

members of Congress in particular, should be focused on upholding the will of the people and swiftly confirming the result.”

Around two hours after the mob occupied the Capitol, Mr Trump issued a video statement, asking his supporters to peacefully go home. But rather than condemn their anti-democratic actions, he repeated falsehoods about the election, adding, “We love you, you’re very special.”

Leading Republican Trump supporters, including, Senators Mr Josh Hawley and Mr Ted Cruz and more than 100 members of the House of Representatives, should immediately recognise that Mr Biden won the election fairly and drop objections to the certification of electoral votes. “Republicans legislators are enabling Trump’s assault on democracy by standing against the core democratic principle that the people choose their leaders.” Mr Austin-Hillery said. “The occupation of the Capitol should make clear just how harmful this anti-democratic political posturing has been.”

The incoming attorney general should launch a prompt and impartial investigation into efforts to subvert the democratic process, Human Rights Watch said. The investigation should include Mr Trump’s phone call on January 02, urging Georgia’s secretary of state to overturn the state’s election results.

Congress should, also, investigate the law enforcement preparation for and in response to the riot, Human Rights Watch said. Law enforcement responded to peaceful Black Lives Matter protests in Washington, DC, last summer with excessive force, dispersing the crowd with teargas and batons and intimidating demonstrators with dangerously low-flying helicopters. The pro-trump mob, while forcing their way into the Capitol to stop not just the functioning of the US legislature but the counting of electoral votes to formalise the presidential election, appeared to meet relatively little resistance from law enforcement.

International human rights standards require that law enforcement protect the right of demonstrators to, peacefully, assemble regardless of their political views and not engage in excessive use of force. At the same time, law enforcement needs to respond to violent acts in a proportionate manner that minimises the use of force.

“Given the stark contrast with how law enforcement responded to Black Lives Matter protests last summer, Congress and the incoming attorney general should commission independent investigations into the policing of this event and last summer’s racial justice protests.” Ms Austin-Hillery said. Foreign leaders, many of whom have expressed outrage at the assault on democracy in Washington, DC, should urge all US political leaders, particularly, Republicans, to support the will of the people as expressed in the duly certified election results.

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United Kingdom: Boris Johnson Commits £03 Billion UK Climate Finance to Supporting Nature



|| Monday: January 11: 2021 || α. The Prime Minister of the UK Mr Boris Johnson has announced, today, Monday, January 11, that the UK will commit, at least, £03 billion to climate change solutions, that protect and restore nature and bio-diversity over five years. The funding will be allocated from the UK's existing commitment of £11.6 billion for international climate finance and will deliver transformational change in protecting bio-diversity-rich land and ocean, shifting to sustainable food production and supply and supporting the livelihoods of the world's poorest.

Programmes, supported by the funding, will include the flagship Blue Planet Fund for marine conservation; projects to maintain forests and tackle the illegal timber trade and deforestation; and initiatives to conserve habitats, such as, mangroves, that protect communities from the impacts of climate change. The Prime Minister made the announcement at the One Planet Summit, a leader-level virtual event, convened by France.

He addressed a session on Financing for Bio-diversity, calling on others to raise their level of ambition on funding for nature and to mobilise public and private finance for sustainable solutions to climate change. The Foreign Secretary Mr Dominic Raab and COP President Mr Alok Sharma were, also, expected to convene a roundtable on Clean Power Transition with the UN Secretary-General Mr Antonio Guterres on Monday, bringing together ministers from eight African and European countries.

The Foreign Secretary is expected to announce that the UK will pledge up to £38 million to the Climate Compatible Growth programme, supporting developing countries to accelerate their transition to green energy while growing their economies.

The UK is already moving to clean power faster than any major economy and last year committed to protect, at least, 30% of the country's land and ocean by 2030. Together, today's announcements address the two leading sources of global emissions, electricity generation and land use and demonstrate the UK's leadership in fighting climate change ahead of the COP26 summit in Glasgow in November.

Ahead of the One Planet Summit, Prime Minister Mr Boris Johnson said, "We will not achieve our goals on climate change, sustainable development or preventing pandemics if we fail to take care of the natural world that provides us with the food we eat, the water we drink and the air we breathe.

The UK is already leading the way in this area, committing to protect 30 percent of our land and ocean by the end of the decade and pledging at least £03 billion today to supporting nature and biodiversity. We must work together as a global community to drive the ambitious change and investment we need to protect our shared planet and the glorious, rich and diverse life within it."

"Bio-diversity is declining faster than at any time in human history. There has been a 68% decline in populations of mammals, birds, fish, reptiles and amphibians over the past four decades and 01.3 million square kilometres of forests were lost between 1990 and 2016, the equivalent of 800 football fields an hour.

Tackling climate change and protecting nature are closely linked, rising global temperatures and pollution are damaging natural ecosystems, while thriving forests and ocean play a critical role in mitigating climate change. Agriculture, forest loss, and land-use contribute 23% of global greenhouse gas emissions but, our land and coastal marine eco-systems could provide up to a third of the climate mitigations needed to meet the targets set out in the Paris Agreement."

COP President Mr Alok Sharma said, "We have seen ambitious commitments from across the world to net zero targets to meet the goals of the Paris Agreement. But targets can only be met through action. We must preserve nature and our biodiversity, and move more quickly from coal to clean power. It is fantastic to see billions of pounds pledged today to support efforts to reduce deforestation and degradation, and to accelerate the transition to clean energy. By working together, on the road to COP26, we can make faster progress towards a sustainable future for our planet.'

Today's announcement on funding for nature is the latest in a series of concrete actions the Government has taken to address this crisis. In September, the Prime Minister signed the Leaders Pledge for Nature at the UN General Assembly, an initiative pioneered by the UK and now signed by 82 countries. We have funded the Blue Belt Programme to protect vulnerable ocean ecosystems, and five years ago joined with our partners Norway and Germany to pledge at least \$05 billion to reduce deforestation between 2015 and 2020, exceeding the target by the end of last year. Next month, we, also, expect the Dasgupta Review on the Economics of Biodiversity to be published, an

independent review commissioned by the Government in 2019 to set out the economic case for protecting bio-diversity.”

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- B: Absolute Right to Breathe Natural, Fresh, Clean and Safe Air
- C: Absolute Right to Necessary Nutritional Balanced Food and Drink
- D: Absolute Right to Free Medical Care at the Point of Need
- E: Absolute Right to an Absolute Home
- F: Absolute Right to Free Degree-Level Education and Life Long Learning
- G: Absolute Right to Guaranteed Social Care
- H: Absolute Right to a Universal Income
- I: Absolute Right to a Job
- J: Absolute Right to Dignified Civic and Human Funeral Paid Through by Universal Income



This Is the Body of Work, by Munayem Mayenin, That Has Brought Into Existence the Philosophy and Vision of Humanics

Dehumanisation of Humanity: Volume One: Published: July: 2007: 978-1-4477-1330-2

Mayenin worked and developed the very critique of capitalism and Marxism while at university in which he had envisioned the world's future in humanics for humanity to reach and achieve liberty and equality for all humanity, which capitalism has continually slaughtered and Marxism failed desperately, even, to understand, let alone, to know or show how to seek and achieve them. Some of these works were published in publications in the early 00s and the volume was published as a book in 2007. There are three other volumes of this planned work, yet to be published.

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This is the political economics or humanicsonomics of humanics in human enterprise. This volume presents the political economics of humanics and envisioned world's future as two distinct phases: pre-humanical or Kapitalawnomics phase in which capitalism is saved from pseudonomics and brought under the absolute and complete control and power of the rule of law so to make it serve the people at all times and not the rich and through this phase, humanity brings into existence the humanical Building-Block Foundational Human Rights and end capitalism's Poverty Paradigm, that causes all of the high-cruelties, high-brutalities and high-barbarities, that are inflicted on the vast number of humanity on this earth. Further to this, this work advances the system and mechanism of human enterprise and envisioned at the end of the development of Kapitalawnomics human societies will have developed enough to be able and equipped to try and seek to bring into existence humanical societies, that will begin to form a grid of humanical societies into a universal humanical civilisation on earth.

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This short piece of work nano-summarised the entire body of Munayem Mayenin's works on humanics. This calls on the working humanity of the world to rise, organise and united under new and humanical political forces, parties and organisations to seek and try to bring about a humanical world movement to lead humanity to equality and liberty.

Humanics The Humanicsovics: Volume Three: To Be Published Later This Year

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as women and men, working together as one, in unison with the same aim, same goal, same objective: to get all humanity to liberty, equality, fairness and justice in the rule of law in natural justice, with a purpose and meaning to our existence, where we all humanity, with our all-unity and all-diversity, exist as one humanity naturale on one Mother Earth, in one Sunnara, in one Home Bay Milky Way Galaxy in the one Universana with the humanical foundation of faith: humanity is an infinity unfolding itself, in which, we are all-for-one and one-for-all.

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