

# ANNEX: UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM MANDATES ON CLIMATE CHANGE

**Caring for Climate** is an initiative of the United Nations Global Compact, UNEP and the UN-FCCC secretariat for advancing the role of business in addressing climate change; it has been endorsed by nearly 400 companies from 60 countries.

The **Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific** provides the most comprehensive intergovernmental platform for regional dialogue and cooperation for sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific. It promotes low-carbon green growth as a key strategy for addressing climate change.

The **Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations** helps to achieve food security for all by making agriculture, forestry and fisheries more productive, sustainable and resilient in the face of climate change.

The **International Atomic Energy Agency** assists its member States in using nuclear science and technology for peaceful purposes; it also publishes reports on the potential role of nuclear energy in climate change mitigation and the use of nuclear science in assessing climate change impacts.

The **International Civil Aviation Organization's** climate mandate and environmental goal is to limit and reduce GHG emissions from international civil aviation.

The **International Fund for Agricultural Development** is committed to building up the climate resilience of smallholder farmers in developing countries through managing competing land-use systems, while at the same time reducing poverty, enhancing biodiversity, increasing yields and lowering emissions.

The **International Labour Organization** works with its tripartite constituency (workers, employers and Governments) to link eradication of poverty, sustainable development, climate change and green jobs.

The **International Maritime Organization** contributes to international efforts to reduce atmospheric pollution and address GHG emissions from international shipping, including through effective implementation of mandatory energy-efficiency measures for ships.