



# Just, Equitable and Inclusive Energy Transition: Reflections on Principles, Concepts and Practices

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### What is Just Energy Transition?

- Reviewed over 60 just energy transition related initiatives, analyses, concepts and reports.
- DIVERSE! No-one-size-fits-all.
- Reflections:
  - **✓ Principles**
  - **✓ Pillars**
  - ✓ Common Framework

### 4 BASIC PRINCIPLES

Just

Sustainable

Equitable

Inclusive

# 3 PILLARS



# **PILLARS**

# POTENTIAL COMMON FRAMEWORK FOR ENERGY TRANSITION

#### **PRINCIPLES**:

Just/Sustainable/Equitable/Inclusive

**Net-Zero** 

Universal Energy Access

SDG Synergies & Impacts

No one Left Behind

**Ambition** 

**Action** 

**Accountability** 

## PRIORITIES DIFFER CASE BY CASE

#### **PRINCIPLES**:

Just/Sustainable/Equitable/Inclusive

**Net-Zero** 

Universal Energy Access

SDG Synergies & Impacts No one Left Behind

**Ambition** 

Decarbonized power sector

Minimum access threshold

Tripling investment for RE&EE

Coal phaseout

Clean cooking for all

Multi-tire indicators

**Communities** 

Indigenous people

Youth

Public consultations

**Action** 

**Accountability** 

#### **NEXT STEPS**

- Comments welcome!
- POLICY BRIEF in support of SDG7 review at HLPF
- DEEPER ANALYSYS
- DIALOGUE
- PARTNERSHIPS



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# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Toward the Future We Want

