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French Pavilion
16:30-17:30

The High Level Council on Climate: an independent body to assess France's policy to achieve carbon neutrality and adapt to global warming

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Context

The High Level Council on Climate (HCC) is an independent body tasked with issuing advice and recommendations to the French government on the delivery of public measures and policies aimed at reducing France's greenhouse gas emissions. Its purpose is to provide independent insight on government climate policy. The HCC reports to France's prime minister and was established by the President of the French Republic in 2018. Its members are chosen for their expertise in the fields of climate science, emissions, socio-economics, impacts, adaptation and energy transition.

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Objectives of the side event

Introducing the methods developed by the HCC for policy gap analysis

Discussing the role of national climate committees for raising the level of ambition

Discussing structural sectoral changes with focus on agriculture and food

Panelists

- **Corinne Le Quéré, President of the HCC, University of East Anglia**
- **Laurence Tubiana, member of the HCC, European Climate Foundation**
- **Jean-François Soussana, member of the HCC, INRAE**