Paragraphs of the evaluation implementation report that will be discussed during the "Friends of the co-facilitators" meeting on 31 May 2018

Strategic objectives

Revised text considering discussions and written comments

- 11. Three interlinked strategic objectives will help channel CFS energy and resources for the next 4-year MYPoW activities that respond to the needs of the food insecure and malnourished people and will contribute to achieving the CFS vision. CFS will support country-led implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, focusing primarily on SDG2 and its linkages with other SDGs and targets relevant to FSN, guided by the following strategic objectives for MYPoW 2020-2023.
 - Strategic Objective 1 PLATFORM: Leverage the convening power as the foremost inclusive international and intergovernmental platform to discuss the situation of FSN at all levels [and to share national and regional experiences on FSN]
 - Strategic Objective 2 POLICY: Develop global policy guidance for policy convergence and coherence to <u>achieve address</u>-food <u>in</u>security and <u>improve mal</u>nutrition <u>[and promote the progressive realization of the right to adequate food]</u>
 - Strategic Objective 3 UPTAKE: Foster the uptake, follow-up and review, and sharing of best practices of CFS products at all levels

Evidence/science-based

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- 18. It is recognized that CFS stakeholders, such as RBAs and other UN bodies, CSM, PSM and CGIAR provide substantial technical inputs to the development of CFS policy work. The CFS Evaluation specifically reviewed the contribution of the HLPE. The HLPE was established as part of the CFS reform to strengthen CFS through FSN-related expertise, identify emerging issues, and help members prioritize future actions and attentions on key focal areas¹. to support CFS members and other stakeholders in designing strategies and programs for addressing food insecurity and malnutrition.
- 20. The decision to request the HLPE to produce a report or other inputs will be based on a clear understanding of how the report will support CFS members and other stakeholders in designing strategies and programs for addressing food insecurity and malnutrition², the preparation of policy guidance, how it will feed into the process considering the timescale, and the availability of information on the subject under discussion. The HLPE will be requested to continue to produce a note regularly on critical and emerging issues. Plenary will discuss this note and provide guidance to the MYPOW process.

¹ CFS 2009/2 Rev.2, para.37

² CFS:2009/2 Rev.2, para. 36

Uptake

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32. CFS will also promote accountability and share best practices at all levels, including through: follow-up and review of both global and country/region specific FSN situations, trends, progress, challenges and sharing lessons; assessing the effectiveness of CFS and follow-up and review of the use and application of its policy guidelines and recommendations; and facilitating advice regarding recommended approaches to country/regional review and follow-up of FSN objectives. CFS will continue to hold Global Thematic Events in Plenary every 2 years and to encourage stakeholders to organize national and regional events to support Global Thematic Events.

Funding

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- 33. A robust resource mobilization strategy will help support CFS Plenary and workstreams, the HLPE and the CSM to support CFS priorities as identified in the MYPOW with clear safeguards in line with FAO guidelines to prevent potential conflicts of interest regarding funding. Continued efforts will be made to expand and diversify the financing base, including by reaching out to CFS Member States, private foundations and the private sectors, and financial institutions.
- 34. The structure of the CFS Secretariat was also reviewed and revised to ensure that the Secretariat can effectively support CFS and to make the most efficient use of staff and available resources. The Bureau should consider the optimal use of existing resources based on budget information provided by CFS Secretariat inter alia for MYPoW implementation. [CFS Members, as appropriate, maywill request the Governing Bodies of the RBAs to adjust their contribution to cover the core budget for CFS Plenary and Workstreams.]