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COMMITTEE ON WORLD FOOD SECURITY

Forty-ninth Session "Making a Difference in Food Security and Nutrition"

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MONITORING CFS POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND WATER – DRAFT CONCLUSIONS

MATTERS TO BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COMMITTEE

- 1. The objective of the session was to take stock of the use and application of two sets of CFS policy recommendations: (i) <u>Food security and climate change</u> (CFS 39: 2012); and (ii) <u>Water for Food Security and Nutrition</u> (CFS 42, 2015).
- 2. The discussion was moderated by XXX. A keynote presentation was delivered by XXX.
- 3. The panel was composed of:

a. [....]

- 4. The Committee:
 - a. welcomes the session as a contribution to monitoring progress towards implementation of the two sets of CFS policy recommendations, and as a useful opportunity to share experience and good practices in the use and application of CFS policy recommendations at all levels;

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 takes note of the overview provided in document CFS 2021/49/Inf.18 "Monitoring CFS policy recommendations on climate change and water: summary of stakeholders' contributions";

- c. agrees that climate change and water scarcity, amongst other economic, social and environmental factors that affect Agenda 2030 development goals, threaten food security and nutrition, and require special attention and appropriate responses in accordance with the three dimensions of sustainable development;
- d. pledges to make additional efforts to promote a much broader and systematic dissemination, use and application of the two sets of policy recommendations, and other relevant CFS policy products, where appropriate at global, regional, national, and sub-national levels, supported by all CFS Members, the Rome-based Agencies, and other CFS constituencies, while seeking similar commitments and support from [the UN Rio Conventions' secretariats,] UN Water, and other UN agencies, towards a joint and coordinated uptake campaign;
- e. encourages all Parties attending the COP 26 UN Climate Change Conference to use CFS policy recommendations when making pledges to climate action that can increase implementation of sustainable agricultural practices to achieve food security;
- f. takes note of the following comments provided in Plenary: