MARRAKECH DECLARATION OF GLOBAL ALLIANCES FOR WATER AND CLIMATE (GAWC)

Introduction

The negative impacts of climate change are already affecting areas all around the world. First and foremost, these impacts manifest themselves through changes in the water cycle, such as unpredictable changes in rainfall patterns, reduction of snow cover and melting of glaciers that alter river flows, sea level rise and its consequences including salinization of coastal groundwater, more frequent and intense floods and droughts. Water-related disasters represent about 90% of all natural disasters¹.

Of course, the consequences of changes in the water cycle have far-reaching impacts on both society and the environment. Unpredictable rain makes it harder to grow crops. Floods can disrupt the economy, cause long-lasting damage to infrastructures and result in loss of human and animal life. Long-term droughts and structural water scarcity leave hydropower dams dry and unproductive, limit the capacity of watercourses to cool thermal and nuclear power plants with potential disastrous impacts and deteriorate the quality and quantity of water resources available for people and ecosystems. Sound management of freshwater resources is therefore a key element of climate adaptation and resilience. It can be achieved through innovation in governance at river basin level, as well as through technology development like smart metering of water consumption and reuse of treated wastewater.

On the one hand, climate change has negative impacts on freshwater, but on the other hand, freshwater, if properly managed, can have positive impacts on climate stabilization. The role of sustainable hydropower in moving towards a low carbon energy mix has been widely recognized. Other examples such as improved irrigation schemes aiming at increased water efficiency and energy efficiency or the anaerobic digestion to produce biogas from wastewater treatment demonstrate the interest in exploring the water sector to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Energy efficiency and renewable energy supply are central in progressively reducing the carbon footprint of energy-intensive water management techniques like desalination. In other words, sound management of freshwater resources and exploring nexus cooperation are key elements of climate mitigation.

For a long time, the fact that water is key to climate mitigation and adaptation was not at the center of political climate discussions. However, a few months after the adoption of a dedicated goal for water in the global 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (SDGs), the COP21 organized in Paris in December 2015 marked a turning point in the recognition of water as a priority in the global climate agenda.

¹ United Nations World Water Development Report (WWDR4), March 2012.

For the first time in the history of the COPs, time was dedicated to an official high-level event on water and climate. The French and Peruvian Presidencies of the COP organized the event under the framework of the Lima-Paris Action Agenda (LPAA); now called the Global Climate Action Agenda — GCAA). Three flagship Alliances of Non-State Actors were launched there and presented their commitments on water and climate (see "Presentation of the GCAA Water Alliances" section below for more information): the "Paris Pact" Alliance on water and climate adaptation in the basins of rivers, lakes and aquifers, the Business Alliance for Water And Climate change (BAFWAC) and the Alliance of Megacities for Water and Climate Change. A fourth Alliance of Non-State Actors joined this global effort in between COP21 and COP22: the Global Clean Water Desalination Alliance.

Other important commitments, not yet structured into "Alliances", have been made by civil society organizations, in particular by NGOs advocating for environmental protection, the right of access to water and sanitation and youth movements.

COP22 provides a unique opportunity to bring these Alliances closer and ensure that common projects and initiatives are developed to improve synergies and cross-sectoral integration in the management of water and climate change issues, also across key actors.

Presentation of the Global Alliances for Water and Climate

The Global Alliances for Water and Climate is structured around the four following Alliances:

1. The "Paris Pact" Alliance on water and climate adaptation in the basins of rivers, lakes and aquifers

It was launched during COP21 by the International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO) with the support of French, Moroccan and Peruvian governments. The Paris Pact synthesizes the principles and actions needed for adaptation in basins. It also calls for actions to implement them. The Paris Pact community now gathers 350 signatory organizations from 94 countries. More than 50 projects of adaption to climate change in basins were collected under the framework of the Paris Pact calls for actions. The "Paris Pact" Alliance on water and climate adaptation in basins is managed by INBO, in partnership with the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) Secretariat of the Water Convention, on the basis of the global platform of basins working on adaptation to climate change. It promotes projects, policies and financing of adaptation to climate change in basins throughout the world.

More information at the following webpage: http://www.inbo-news.org/inbo/international-initiatives/article/water-and-adaptation-to-the

2. The Business Alliance for Water And Climate change (BAFWAC)

It was jointly launched during COP21 by the Carbone Disclosure Project (CDP), the CEO Water Mandate, the World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) and SUEZ. Through their endorsement, companies commit to analyze water-related risks, measure and disclose their water use, and thirdly reduce their impacts on water availability and quality in direct operations and along the value chain. For the COPs, the Alliance will track progress from the committed companies as to their progress on each of the three actions and by 2020 report on the total number of companies that committed to action, the number of actions committed to and progress on each action. Presently 44 organizations, among which 30 leading companies, have joined the alliance representing 680 billion dollars in annual cumulated revenues. The BAFWAC aims at gathering 100 signatories by 2018 representing 1000 billion dollars in annual cumulated revenues.

3. The Alliance of Megacities for Water and Climate Change

It was launched as a collaborative effort of UNESCO-IHP, ARCEAU and International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI); Local Governments for Sustainability) to establish an International Platform for Cooperation to facilitate a dialogue on water. The aim is to support megacities and fast growing cities, to learn and exchange from each other's experience, partner with appropriate technical, academic, civil society organizations and financial institutions. Further, it aims to design and implement city responses to the challenges of climate change in order to adapt to and mitigate its impacts. The platform will be free to access and open to relevant International Institutions such as other UN agencies, cooperation financing institutions, NGOs, etc. Currently, 16 megacities, representing more than 300 million inhabitants, have prepared their monographs on water and climate change. This content is being shared online in different languages and a synthesized version was launched at the HABITAT III Conference in Quito.

4. The Global Clean Water Desalination Alliance

Worldwide emissions of greenhouse gas related to desalination are estimated to represent 76 million tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (CO2e) today and could reach 218 million tons / year in 2040. The Alliance "H20 minus CO2" created at the initiative of Masdar Institute (UAE), was launched on December 5th 2015 during COP21, on the sidelines of the negotiations of Paris on climate change (COP21). The Alliance aims to bring together key players in the desalination and clean energy industries, in order to reduce CO2 emissions from desalination. It brings together players from 23 countries, including the United States, China, Korea, Japan and several European countries. Members of the Alliance aim to supply 80% of the total energy demand coming from desalination plants entering into operation after 2035 by renewable energies. To do so, they pledged to implement additional investment of 100 million dollars each year from 2017 to develop innovative solutions to increase energy efficiency of desalination technologies and to improve the compatibility of desalination processes with renewable energy supply.

The Global Alliances for Water and Climate could be further developed with the integration of other initiatives, including:

• Commitment of the Youth for Water and Climate Change Adaptation (Declaration of the Youth):

This initiative is led by the International Secretariat for Water, the Franco-Quebec Youth Office (OFQJ) and the International Youth Offices of Québec (LOJIQ). It has two main objectives:

- Gather as many young people to build knowledge and raise awareness around climate issues related to water,
- Increase the involvement of youth representatives in decision making bodies for an improved intergenerational cooperation in this field.

Other Alliances or networks interested in becoming a Member in the Global Alliances for Water and Climate are invited to contact us through the following email address: water-climate.alliances@GCAA-Water.org

In addition to any other information, the applicants should fill the registration form that includes:

- A commitment in which they endorse the Global Alliances for Water and Climate Declaration
- A presentation of the applicant and its field of expertise;
- The mention of the initiative or activity stream (concrete initiatives, working groups, for example) the Alliance/network would like to get involved in;
- A primary and secondary contact person

The secretariat of the Global Alliances for Water and Climate is hosted at the Permanent Technical Secretariat of INBO in Paris, FRANCE.

Marrakech Declaration of Global Alliances for Water and Climate (GAWC)

We, the leaders and partners of the Global Alliances for Water and Climate, assembled in Marrakech, Kingdom of Morocco, on November 9th 2016, on the occasion of the official water event of the Global Climate Action Agenda of COP22, determined to address in a coordinated manner water and climates challenges, herewith

Declare our commitment to further develop, in an ever more coordinated effort, our respective actions, as well as to initiate new collective actions involving the different Alliances and their partners, in particular along the following areas of work:

1. Stakeholders mobilization to secure a place for water in climate summits, negotiations and financial mechanisms and actions :

The Alliances and their partners will endeavor, where relevant, to mobilize their complementary local, national and international networks to participate in international water and climate meetings and to raise awareness on existing actions or initiatives.

The Alliances will gather national and multilateral funding bodies, private investors, governments, local and subnational governments and administrations, private sector, and international organizations such as UN Agencies to keep the importance of water management for climate change mitigation, adaptation and resilience high, and to promote beacon actions.

They will regularly hold steering committee meetings to assess progress and define future objectives.

They will also seek, where relevant, strong political support from high level officials (including Presidents and Ministers of the high level panels on SDGs and "Water and Peace"), to mobilize stakeholders of highly water-dependent sectors (including energy, industry, agriculture and health), to advocate for greater recognition of water as the first "victim" of climate change and of the collateral damages that these changes in the water cycle cause on other sectors.

The main aims of this mobilization will be three fold: to improve climate change mitigation, adaptation and resilience, to strengthen cross-sectoral integration and to secure a standard place for water in climate summits, negotiations and financial mechanisms.

2. Exchange of lessons learnt and best practices of efficient existing actions:

The Alliances and their partners will pursue their effort of identification, selection and promotion of existing actions addressing water and climate challenges. These actions could include building knowledge on water and climate, adapting the management of basins to climate change, enhancing the resilience of cities to climate change in terms of water and wastewater management and vis-à-vis extreme weather events such as floods and droughts, promoting inter-sectoral and transboundary cooperation on water and climate issues, developing and improving climate-resilient water technologies, increasing companies' awareness of the water and climate risks and reducing their water footprint and vulnerabilities to these risks.

They will organize regular reviews, at the occasion of the steering committee meeting, of the feedbacks collected under the framework of the volunteer reporting mechanism established to monitor progress in the implementation of these actions.

They will support the exchange of lessons learnt and best practices drawn from these actions through:

- The development of trainings, multi-stakeholder dialogue sessions and other capacity building activities,
- The establishment of twinnings between peers (including basin organizations, cities and companies) to share solutions to their common challenges,
- The establishment of a WebPlatform centralizing knowledge, case studies and toolbox of the flagship projects, including existing guidance and materials.

The main aims of this exchange of lessons learnt and best practices will be to boost the capacity of stakeholders to innovate and to improve the efficiency of the actions undertaken.

3. Identification and support of new actions:

The Alliances and their partners will work to identify promising concepts of projects and initiatives. They will also provide support, in coordination with Climate Technology Center and Network and the Green Climate Fund, to project holders lacking the technical, human and financial means to make these concepts a reality.

They will seek to mobilize a pool of experts to develop an Incubation Platform for water and climate projects. The platform will provide technical assistance for both:

- Project design: ensuring the quality of the project development in all its aspects (including technical content of the concept note and project proposal and budgeting), connecting to existing Project Preparation Facilities (PPFs);
- Project fundraising: matchmaking project holders and donors, ensuring project holders' compliance with the complex procedures and requirements of water and climate finance, connecting to matchmaking platforms.

The Incubation platform will provide technical support and call for a greater support by donors with a focus on project holders developing "soft projects" (as opposed to large infrastructure development projects) that address capacity building and training programs, creation and development of training centers for water professionals, creation and development of Water Information Systems (WIS), institutional reforms to improve governance, awareness-raising and education and action plan development. These areas often lack the required design and fundraising capacity. The aim of this support is to increase the number of high quality bankable projects to make the most of existing and upcoming funding opportunities.

The Alliances and their partners will jointly seek to secure funding for the activities that they cannot finance on their own funds.

In witness whereof, the undersigned representatives, duly authorized, have signed the present Declaration in four original copies.

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World Pré∮ident

For CDP

Ms. Morgan Gillespy

Head of Water

For SUEZ Eau France

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Director General

For SIAAP

Mr. Mohamed Ayyadi

Administrator

For ICLEI

Mrs. Maryke van Staden

Manager of Low Carbon City Agenda and Director of the Bonn Center for Local Climate

Action and Reporting (carbonn Center)

For the Global Clean Water Desalination For IRENA

Alliance

Mr. Alexandre Ritschel

President of the Board

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For the Moroccan Minister for Water For the French Minister of Environment, **Energy and the Sea**

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GLOBAL ALLIANCES FOR WATER AND CLIMATE

Some of the partners of the Global Alliances for Water:

94 countries covered, including administrations of:

- Algeria
- Austria
- Brazil
- Cyprus
- Finland
- France
- Guinea
- Italy
- Lebanon
- Libya
- Macedonia
- Malawi
- Mexico
- Moldova
- Morocco
- Peru
- Romania
- Senegal
- Slovakia
- Sweden
- Chad

Public organizations, including:

- African Ministers' Council on Water (AMCOW)
- Economic Community of Central African States (ECCAS)
- Economic Community Of West African States (ECOWAS)
- Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)
- Regional Environmental Center Central Asia (CAREC)
- United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)
- United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization's International Hydrological Programme (UNESCO-IHP)

Local authorities, including:

- Belgium (Wallonia)
- Dublin City Council
- Dutch Water Authorities (The Netherlands)
- Germany (Bavarian Government)
- Greater Aix-en-Provence Urban Community
- Iraq (Kurdistan Regional Government)
- Paris City Hall
- Rhine-West Regional Water Council (The Netherlands)
- Mississippi River Cities and Towns Initiative (federating 68 US cities located in the Mississippi river basin)
- Greater Paris Sanitation Authority (SIAAP)
- Union of Mato Grosso Municipalities (UCMMAT; Brazil)

Non-governmental Organizations:

- Action Against Hunger (AGH)
- Alliance for Water Stewardship (multi-stakeholder organization)
- ARCEAU Îe-de-France
- Asociacion Ecologica Columbiana (Colombia)
- Asociación Dominicana de municipios del Este (Dominican Republic)
- Asociacion gallega de Investigadores del Agua (AGAIA ; Spain)
- Association for development and environmental protection (Tunisia)
- Association Française des Entreprises Privées (France)
- Association of River Keeper "Eco-Khones"
- Brazaville Foundation for Peace and Conservation (Rep. of the Congo)
- Business in the Community (UK)

- CDP WATER (UK)
- Centre EcoResource (Urkaine)
- CEO Water Mandate of the UN Global Compact (United States)
- Eau Vive
- Fédération des Professionnels de l'Eau (France)
- French Water Partnership (FWP)
- Eco-tiras international environmental Association (Moldova)
- EUREAU (European federation of national associations of public a private drinking water suppliers and waste water services)
- Euro-Mediterranean Information System on know-how in the Wa Sector (EMWIS)
- European Water Partnership
- French Water Society (CFE)
- Friends of Lake Turkana (Kenya)
- Friends of Water Association (Lebanon)
- Global Water Partnership
- Green Cross International
- Interbalkan Environment Center (i-BEC)
- International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI; Lc Governments for Sustainability)
- International Network of Water Training Centers (INWTC)
- International Secretariat for Water (ISW)
- International Union for Conservation of Nature
- International Water Resources Association (IWRA)
- Mediterranean Wetlands Initiative (MedWet)
- National Water Partnership (Georgia)
- Population Reference Bureau (PRB)
- Prince Albert II of Monaco Foundation
- Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water (PSIPW; Saudi Arabia)
- Rivers without boundaries International coalition
- Rural Mother & Child Health Care Society (RMCHCS)
- Sociedade Angrense de Proteção Ecológica (SAPE ; Brazil)
- Society for the Protection of Prespa (Greece)
- Society of volunteer's Human Support (SVHS)
- The Nature Conservancy
- The Water Academy (France)
- Udyama (India)
- Volunteers Association for Development Assistance (AVADEG; Guinea)
- Water-Culture Institute (USA)
- Water Footprint Network (The Netherlands)
- WaterLinks
- Water Solidarity Programme (pS-Eau)
- WCCE World Council on Civil Engineers
- Wetlands International
- World Business Council for Sustainable Development (Switzerland
- World Water Council (WWC)
- World Wildlife Fund International (WWF)
- Young Volunteers for the Environment (YVE; Togo)

Companies:

- Altereo (France)
- Aqua Consulting Group (Moldova)
- AquaFed (International Federation of Private Water Operators)
- Artelia
- Asconit
- Astra Zeneca (France)
- Azliworld (Bangladesh)
- Banka Bioloo (Inde)

- Carrefour (France)
- Danone (France)
- Diageo (UK)
- Engie (France)
- Exergy (UK)
- Fujitsu Limited (Japan)
- Gas Natural Fenosa (Espagne)
- Greenflex (France)
- Grupo Nutresa (Colombia)
- GSK (UK)
- Hydro Agro Conseils (Tunisia)
- HydroFlow (Kenya)
- International Water Savers Environmental Services (USA)
- Jain Irrigation (India)
- Michela Cocchi studio legale (Italy)
- Netafim (Israel)
- Pernod Ricard (France)
- Pipa (Indonesia)
- Saint-Gobain (France)
- Suez (France)
- Tata (India)
- Tiger Brands (South Africa)
- Tongaat Hulett (South Africa)
- Unilever (The Netherlands / UK)
- Veolia (France)
- Vitens NV (The Netherlands)
- Water Institute (Evian Volvic World -- Danone Waters)
- Weir Capacity (Nigeria)
- Woolworths (Australia)
- Zephyrus Waste & Water Treatment (Lebanon)

Finance:

- French Development Agency (AFD)
- Banque du Léman

World Bank Group

Research, information and education:

- AgroParisTech (France)
- Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece)
- Australian National University
- Belize Water Services Ltd.
- Centre for New Water Technologies (CENTA; Spain)
- Castilla La Mancha University (Spain)
- East African Primary Teacher's College (Uganda)
- European Network of Freshwater Research Organisations (EurAqu European Network of Freshwater Research Organisations)
- European Regional Centre for Ecohydrology under the auspices of UNESCO (ERCE; Poland)
- Fostering Education & Environment for Development (Philippines)
- French Research Institute for Development
- Hydrus capacity building center (Brazil)
- Institute of Applied Ecology (Georgia)
- Jerusalem Applied Research Institute (Palestine)
- National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS; Lebanon)
- National Council for Scientific Research (Spain)
- National Research Institute of Science and Technology for Environment and Agriculture (France)
- National University of Salta (Argentina)
- Oran University (Algeria)
- Research Institute for Integrated Water Management and Protect (RosNIIVKh; Russia)
- Scientific and technical association for water and the environmen (ASTEE; France)
- Scientific information Center of ICWC (Uzbekistan)
- University of Moratuwa (Sri Lanka)
- Vlakwa (Belgium)

Annex 1. Key figures on water and climate

In the future, each extra degree beyond an increase in temperature of 2°C will reduce by 20% renewable water resources available for at least 7% of the world population.

Among countries which have included adaptation measures in their INDCs, 93% mention the protection of water resources, notably Morocco with the following targets:

- Desalination of 285 million m3/year of drinking water supply to several cities and centres
- Reuse 325 million m3/year of treated wastewater
- Savings of 2.4 billion m3/year of irrigation water

Water-related hazards account for 90% of all natural hazards, and their frequency and intensity is rising as a consequence of climate change.

Water is the first victim of climate change and other sectors (energy, agriculture, transport, health) are collateral damages. For instance, reduced water availability represents a huge challenge for rainfed and irrigated agriculture, a sector which consumes 88% of all the water used in the world.

In the World Economic Forum's 2016 Global Risk Report, the water supply crisis has been identified as the greatest risk to society over the next decade

- \$4.5tn World Bank predicts a growth rate decline of 6% of GDP by 2050 as competition for water intensifies.
- \$2.5bn Size of financial hit taken by companies due to water challenges in 2015 alone.

In many regions, a stable supply of good-quality water can no longer be relied on cities to develop human settlements, by companies to grow their business and by citizens to access safe and durable water resources

- <1.2% of all water on earth is available for human use.
- 40% shortfall of the available global water supply is expected by 2030, according to the UN

By 2025, 1,8 billion people will live in countries or regions facing absolute water shortages (less than 500 m³ annually per person) because of the combined impacts of climate change, demographic growth and increasing water consumption by all sectors.

Annex 2. List of the members of the Paris Pact Alliance on water and climate adaptation in the basins of rivers, lakes and aquifers

- 1. French Development Agency (Agence Française de Développement AFD)
- 2. Agency of the Bouregreg and Chaouia river basins
- 3. All-Russia Research Institute of Hydraulic Engineering and Land Reclamation Russian National Committee on irrigation and drainage
- Scientific and technical association for water and the environment (Association Scientifique et Technique pour l'Eau et l'Environnement - ASTEE)
- 5. Centro del Agua del Trópico Húmedo para América Latina y el Caribe (CATHALAC)
- National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS, Liban)
- 7. Eco-TIRAS
- 8. International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO)
- 9. Institute of Applied Ecology, TSU GEORGIA
- 10. International Office for Water (IOWater)
- 11. International Water Resources Association (IWRA)
- 12. International Secretariat for Water (ISW)
- 13. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)
- 14. Ministry of Energy and Water
- Permanent Secretariat of the Action Plan for Integrated Water Resource Management (PAGIRE), Ministry of Agriculture, Hydraulics and Fisheries
- 16. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization's International Hydrological Programme (UNESCO-IHP)
- 17. Hydrus Centro de Formação Capacitação e Qualificação
- 18. Comitê da Bacia Hidrográfica do Rio Grande
- 19. União das Câmaras Municipais de Mato Grosso (UCMMAT)
- Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Ribeirões
 Várzea Grande e Sapé (CBH-COVAPE) Mato
 Grosso
- 21. REBOB
- 22. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Pardo (CBH-Pardo)
- 23. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Rio Goiana (COBH GOIANA)

- 24. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Verde (CBH Verde)
- 25. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Piauí (CBH Piauí)
- 26. Comitê de Gerenciamento de Bacia Hidrográfica Rio Baixo Jacuí
- 27. Consorcio Intermunicipal do Vale Paronapanema. Cidade Tarumã
- 28. Secretaria do Meio Ambiente e dos Recursos Hidricos do Estado de Goias
- 29. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Tietê Jacaré
- 30. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Macaé e das Ostras
- 31. Subcomitê da Lagoa de Araruama
- 32. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Paraiba do Sul
- 33. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica dos Rios do Entorno Lago Sobradinho
- 34. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Serra da Mantiqueira
- 35. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica do Sapucai Mirim- Grande
- 36. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Meia Ponte
- 37. Freelance consultant
- 38. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Paranapanema
- 39. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Peixe Aguapí
- 40. Martinique Office for Water
- 41. Agence de l'eau Rhine-Meuse Water Agency
- 42. Rhone-Mediterranean-Corsica Water Agency
- 43. International Commission for the Protection of the Rhine (ICPR)
- 44. Organisation pour la Mise en Valeur du fleuve Sénégal (OMVS)
- 45. African Network of Basin Organizations (ANBO)
- 46. Regroupement des organismes de bassins versants du Québec (ROBVQ)
- 47. Europe-INBO
- 48. Central and Eastern European Network of Basin Organization (CEE-NBO)
- 49. Mediterranean Network of Basin Organizations (MENBO)
- 50. Latin-American Network for Basin Organizations (LANBO)
- 51. North American Network of Basin Organizations (NANBO)
- 52. Spanish Council for Scientific Research

- Conseil de gouvernance de l'eau des bassins versants de la rivière Saint-François (COGESAF)
- 54. Mediterranean Wetlands Initiative (MedWet)
- 55. Organisme de bassin versant du Témiscamingue (OBVT)
- 56. Organisme de bassin versant du Duplessis (OBVD)
- 57. Observatoire du Sahara et du Sahel (OSS)
- 58. Comisión Nacional del Agua (CONAGUA)
- 59. Universidad Nacional de Salta Argentina
- 60. World Bank
- 61. Asters, Conservatoire d'Espaces Naturels de Haute Savoie
- 62. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Baia Ilha Grande
- 63. Sociedade Angrense de Proteção Ecológica (SAPE)
- 64. Prefeitura Municipal de Rio Claro Comitê PCJ
- 65. Comitê Intermunicipal de 32 camaras municipais da Bacia dos Sinos
- 66. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Manhuaçu
- 67. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Corumbá Veríssimo e Rio São Marcos
- 68. Associação Saguamindada (Caldas Novas Brasil)
- 69. Comitê de Bacia Hidrográfica Macaé e das Ostras
- 70. Asociatia Partenariatul Global al Apei Din Romania/GWP Romania
- 71. Society for the Protection of Prespa
- 72. Wallonie Bruxelles International
- 73. Association of River Keeper "Eco-Khones"
- 74. Commission Internationale Comité Bassin Artois Picardie
- 75. EECCA NBO
- 76. UNESCO/INWEB Int. Network of Water /Environment for the Balkans
- 77. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
- 78. Special Water Secretariat Environment and Energy Ministry
- 79. WCCE World Council on Civil Engineers
- 80. Programme Solidarité Eau
- 81. IRAGER
- 82. Comitê IBICUI / RS
- 83. OBV Yamaska
- 84. RICFME
- 85. Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)
- 86. SEMIDE
- 87. Basin committee of the Machángara river (Consejo de Cuenca del Río Machángara)

- 88. Economic Community Of West African States (ECOWAS) Water Resources Center, Ouagadougou
- 89. Volta Basin Authority (VBA)
- 90. Comité de Bassin Loire-Bretagne
- 91. Fonds de Dotation Montagne Vivante
- 92. CICOS (Commission Internationale du Bassin Congo-Oubangui-Sangha)
- 93. Lake Tanganyika Authority (LTA)
- 94. AQUAFED
- 95. Applied Research Institute Jerusalem
- 96. PCJ River Basin Agency
- 97. Agência Reguladora de Aguas Energia, Saneamento Básico (ADASA)
- Fenner School of Environment and Society, Australian National Univerity
- 99. Action Contre la Faim (ACF)
- 100. John Hopkins University
- 101. University of Moratuwa
- 102. University Belhadj Boucharib Ain Temouchent (UBBAT)
- 103. SMAGE des Gardons (Syndicat Mixte d'Aménageement et la Gestion Equilibrée des Gaudrons)
- 104. Centre "EcoResource
- 105. Consórcio PCJ
- 106. Associação Executiva de Apoio à gestão de Bacias Hidrográficas Peixe Vivo
- 107. ACMG
- 108. Cluster Eau et Climat
- 109. DEAL Martinique
- 110. French Water Partnership (FWP/PFE)
- 111. Dentons Canada S.E.N.C.R.L.
- 112. Ministere d'Etat Chargé de l'Energie et de l'Environnement Direction Nationale de l'Hydraulique
- 113. Tuscia University
- 114. International Commission for the Protection of the Danube (ICPDR)
- 115. GWP
- 116. Catholic Unhiversity of Louvain
- 117. Comitê de Gerenciamento da Bacia Hidrográfica do Rio Camaquã
- 118. Consejo de Cuenca del Valle de Mexico
- 119. Onema
- 120. Alpinum Events
- 121. Banque Léman
- 122. Académie de l'Eau
- 123. Russian Research Institute for Integrated Water Management and Protection (RosNIIVKh)
- 124. IRD et l'IRSTEA

- 125. Arno River Basin Authority
- 126. AgriParisTech
- **127. AIGOS**
- 128. Green Cross International
- 129. IDEV-IC
- 130. Office de l'Eau de la Réunion
- 131. Unie von Waterschappen / Dutch Water Authorities
- 132. Belize Water Services Ltd.
- **133. AMCOW**
- 134. Asociacion Ecologica Columbiana
- 135. Federación Iberoamericana de Prensa Ambiental - FENPRA
- 136. Federacion de Organizaciones Ambientales
- 137. Comisión de la Cuenca Presa Madín
- 138. Comisión de la Cuenca Presa Madín
- 139. Comisión de la Cuenca Presa Madín
- 140. Autorité du Lac Tanganyika et GIRE, Comité National Eau et Assaiissement
- 141. AEPA à UAC/ Institut Universitaire de Technologie
- 142. International Union for Conservation of Nature
- 143. Secretaria de infraestructura Cuenca del Rio Lerma
- 144. Asociacion Ambiental para un mundo sostenible - ASOSTENER
- 145. Ambientalistas por la defensa del aire, suelo y agua ASUAGA
- 146. Ecologistas por la Defensa de la Vida en el Bosque ECODEBO
- 147. Fraternidad Universal Defensores de los Paramos - SUMAPAZ
- 148. Université d'Oran 2 Campus Belgaïd
- 149. Consejo de Cuenca Grijalva Usumancito
- 150. Laboratoire des sciences du climat
- 151. WWF International
- **152. AGIRE**
- 153. Mekong River Commission
- 154. KAIROS Compensation
- **155. IRSTEA**
- 156. National Water Partnership of Georgia
- 157. Association Régionale pour la Maîtrise des Irrigations (ARDEPI)
- **158. SYAGE**
- 159. Laboratoire Georessources Environnement Risques naturels, Université d'Oran 2 (GEOREN)
- 160. Union Générale des Consommateurs de Côte d'Ivoire (UGCCI)
- 161. CACG
- 162. EURAQUA

- 163. Managing Director PVT Ltd
- 164. Office National de l'Assainissement du Sénégal (ONAS)
- 165. Hydro Agro Conseils
- 166. European Water Partnership
- 167. Mairie de Paris
- 168. Eau de Paris
- 169. Global Water Partnership
- 170. Water Development Department
- 171. Organisme des Bassins Versants de la Capitale
- 172. Organisme des Bassins Versants de la Capitale
- 173. Organisme des Bassins Versants de la Capitale
- 174. École des Mines de Douai France
- 175. ONG Jeunes Volontaires pour l'Environnement (JVE)
- 176. Agence de l'Eau Artois Picardie
- 177. Organisme Bassin Versant Abitibi Jamésie (OBVAJ)
- 178. Society of volunteer's Human Support (SVHS)
- 179. Rural Mother & Child Health Care Society (RMCHCS)
- 180. Organisme Bassin Versant Lac Saint-Laurent
- 181. Asociacion Vigilantes del Agua (AVA)
- 182. Hamet OY
- 183. Wetlands International
- 184. Endeavour Mining
- 185. Comité Bassin Rhône Méditerranée
- 186. GWP Central and Eastern Europe
- 187. Commissions Internationales pour la Protection de la Moselle et de la Sarre
- 188. Niger Basin Authority
- 189. Eco Counselling Centre Galati, Romania
- 190. Aquawal
- 191. Faculté des Sciences Dhar El Mahraz
- 192. Interbalkan Environment Center (i-BEC)
- 193. ASCONIT Consultants
- 194. Commission Internationale de l'Escaut
- 195. Rio Va'a Clube Projeto Canoa Rio
- 196. Ministry of Agricultur& WaterResources-KRG
- 197. Syndicat mixte de gestion de la nappe phréatique de la Crau (SYMCRAU)
- 198. Compagnie Intercommunale Liégeoise des Eaux scrl
- 199. Water-Culture Institute
- 200. Asociación Dominicana de municipios del Este
- 201. Regional Environmental Center Central Asia
- 202. Mississippi River Cities & Towns Initiative
- 203. Rivers without boundaries International coalition
- 204. Communauté Economique des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale
- 205. Nile Basin Initiative

- 206. International Sava River Basin Commission
- 207. Ministry of the Environment
- 208. Miistry of Environment
- 209. Ministry of Environment
- 210. Ministry of Environment
- 211. Fondation Albert II de Monaco
- 212. Collectivité Eau du Bassin Rennais
- 213. Centre de Développement de la Région de Tensift-Marrakech ONG
- 214. Ramsar Convention on Wetlands
- 215. Organisme de Bassin Versant de la Baie Missiquoi
- 216. Association Française des Etablissements Publics Territoriaux de Bassin
- 217. Consejo de Cuenca de los Rios Presidio al San Pedro
- 218. Rhine-West Regional Water Council
- 219. Agence de Bassin Hydraulique du Sébou
- 220. Corporación Autónoma Regional de Cundinamarca - CAR
- 221. Comité du bassin versant de la rivière du Lièvre
- 222. Eau Vive
- 223. Société Publique de Gestion de l'Eau
- 224. Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management
- 225. Povodí Odry State Entreprise
- 226. Povodí Vlatavy State Entreprise
- 227. Povodí Labe State Entreprise
- 228. Povodí Moravy State Entreprise
- 229. Comisión de Cuenca Presa Guadalupe organo auxiliar del CCVM
- 230. Consejo de Cuenca Lerma Chapala
- 231. Etablissement Public Loire
- 232. International Groundwater Resources
 Assessment Centre (IGRAC)
- 233. Services Industriels de Genève (SIG)
- 234. The Spring Foundation
- 235. Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic
- 236. Ministry of Agricultur & Rural development and Water
- 237. Ministère de l'Hydraulique Pastorale et Villageoise
- 238. Fundación Centro de las Nuevas Tecnologías de Agua
- 239. European Center of Employers and Enterprises providing Public Services
- 240. Consejo de Cuenca Río Papaloapan
- 241. Conseil des bassins versants des Mille- les (COBAMIL)

- 242. Comité de Bassin Guadeloupe
- 243. Cominté de Bassin Seine-Normandie
- 244. Conseil de l'eau du nord de la Gaspésie
- 245. Consejo de Cuencas Nazas Aguanaval
- 246. Organismos Operadores de Agua y Saneamiento (ANATEC)
- 247. Ayuntamiento de Santa Barbara, Samana (City)
- 248. National Environment and Health Platform
- 249. Ministère des Ressources en Eau
- 250. Commission Internationale Protection des Eaux du Léman (CIPEL)
- 251. The Nature Conservancy
- 252. River Basin Administration SOMES TISA
- 253. River Basin Administration CRISURI
- 254. River Basin Administration MURES
- 255. River Basin Administration BANAT
- 256. River Basin Administration JIU
- 257. River Basin Administration OLT
- 258. River Basin Administration ARGES VEDEA
- 259. River Basin Administration BUZAU IALOMITA
- 260. River Basin Administration SIRET
- 261. River Basin Administration PRUT -BARLAD
- 262. River Basin Administration DOBROGEA LITORAL
- 263. National Institute of Hydrology and Water Management Romania
- 264. Syndicat mixte d'aménagement del'Arve et ses Abords (Haute-Savoie) (SM3A)
- 265. Green Cross France et Territoires
- 266. Agència Catalana De l'Aigua
- 267. Instituto Aragonés del Agua Gobierno de Aragon
- 268. Consejeria de Agua Agricultura y Medio Ambiente Region de Murcia
- 269. Confederación Hidrográfica del Miño -Sil
- 270. Confederación Hidrográfica del Cantábrico
- 271. Confederación Hidrográfica del Duero
- 272. Confederación Hidrográfica del Guadiana
- 273. Confederación Hidrográfica del Guadalquivir
- 274. Confederación Hidrográfica del Segura
- 275. Confederación Hidrográfica del Júcar
- 276. World Water Council
- 277. Centro para el Desarrollo Local, INC
- 278. Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI)
- 279. Ministre Wallon de l'Environnement, de l'Aménagement du territoire, de la Mobilité et des Transports, des Aéroports et du Bienêtre animal
- 280. Gouvernement Wallon

- 281. Cercle Français de l'Eau (CFE)
- 282. Consejera de Infraestructuras Ordenación del territorio y Medio Ambiente del Principado de Asturias
- 283. Brazaville Foundation for Peace and Conservation
- 284. Association ADD
- 285. Swedish Government
- 286. Organisme des Bassins Versants (OBV) de la Côte-du-Sud
- 287. National Administration "Apele Romane
- 288. Groupe de recherches Rhône Alpes sur les Infrastructures et l'Eau (GRAIE)
- 289. Iberian Limnological Association
- 290. Bavarian Ministry of the Environment and Consumer Protection
 Department of Water Management and Consumer Protection
 National and international River Basin Management
- 291. Water Institute by Evian
 Evian Volvic World -- Danone Waters
- 292. Artelia
- 293. Laboratoire d'hydraulique et de constructions hydrauliques, Universite Badji Mokhtar, Annaba
- 294. Consejo de Cuenca Península de Yucatán
- 295. Ministère Délégué Chargé de l'Eau
- 296. Suez Eau France
- 297. Consejo de Cuenca Valle d Mexico
- 298. Soged / Omvs
- 299. Ministère Eau et Energie
- 300. Ministerio del Ambiente
- 301. Ministère de l'Écologie, du Développement Durable et de l'Énergie (MEDDE)
- 302. Organisme de bassin versant de la rivière du Nord (Abrinord)
- 303. Syndicat d'Aménagement du Bassin de l'Arc
- 304. Communauté d'agglomération du Pays d'Aix
- 305. Maire de Beaurecueil
- 306. Association de Développement et de Protection de l'Environnement
- 307. The Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University
- 308. Saint-Paul Minnesota City
- 309. Instituto Pró Rio Doce
- 310. Consorci del Ter
- 311. Corambiente
- 312. Institut Montpellierain de l'Eau et de l'Environnement
- 313. Agro-Business Consulting
- 314. Seine Grands Lacs

- 315. Syndicat du Bassin du Lez (SYBLE)
- 316. Urbia Group
- 317. European Regional Centre For Ecohydrology Under the Auspices of Unesco International Institute Of Polish Academy of Sciences
- 318. Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water (PSIPW)
- 319. UNCSD Rio+20 Focal Point Libya
- 320. Universidad de Castilla La Mancha
- 321. Syndicat Mixte
 - EPTB Ardèche Claire
- 322. Research Institute of Water and Environmental Engineering
- 323. Asociacion gallega de Investigadores del Agua (AGAIA)
- 324. Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Program (NELSAP)
- 325. The Nature Conservancy (Kenya)
- 326. World Wide Fund (WWF Mozambique)
- 327. Ministry of Agriculture and food security (Malawi)
- 328. Population Refernce Bureau (PRB)
- 329. Autorité du Bassin du Lac Kivu et de la Rusizi (ABAKIR)
- 330. Centre de Recherche en Hydrobiologie (République Démocratique du Congo)
- 331. Friends of Lake Turkana
- 332. Association Des Amis De l'Eau Au Liban
- 333. University Of Insubria
- 334. Moew
- 335. Un-Escloa
- 336. Zephyrus Waste & Water Treatment
- 337. Edp Telecom Solution
- 338. Académie De l'Ethique Paris
- 339. A.E
- 340. EUREAU
- 341. Centro del Agua para América Latina y el Caribe (CdA), Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM)
- 342. Fundacion Funecorobles
- 343. European Regional Centre for Ecohydrology under the auspices of UNESCO (ERCE)
- 344. Corporación Autónoma Regional de Cundinamarca – CAR
- 345. Corporinoquia
- 346. AVADEG
- 347. Union Of Water Users' Association Of The Kyrgyz Republic
- 348. Dept. Environment, Epa, Wfd Local Authority Office, Dublin City Council
- 349. S.R.L "AQUA CONSULTING GROUP"
- 350. HYDRO FLOW SERVICE

351. AGWA

352. Gobierno Autónomo Descentralizado Parroquial Rural 16 de Agosto, ubicado en el Cantón Palora, Provincia de Morona Santiago, Ecuador 353. Vangaris, Spain 354. EcoContact,

Annex 3. List of signatories of the members of the Business Alliance for Water And Climate change (BAFWAC)

- 1. Altereo
- 2. Astra Zeneca
- 3. Azliworld
- 4. Banka Bioloo
- 5. Carrefour
- 6. Danone
- 7. Diageo
- 8. Engie
- 9. Exergy
- 10. Fujitsu Limited
- 11. Gas Natural Fenosa
- 12. Greenflex
- 13. Grupo Nutresa
- 14. GSK
- 15. International Water Savers Environmental Services
- 16. Jain Irrigation

- 17. Michela Cocchi studio legale
- 18. Netafim
- 19. Pernod Ricard
- 20. Pipa
- 21. Saint-Gobain
- 22. Suez
- 23. Tata
- 24. Tiger Brands
- 25. Tongaat Hulett
- 26. Unilever
- 27. Veolia
- 28. Vitens NV
- 29. Weir Capacity
- 30. Woolworths
- 31. AFEP
- 32. Alliance for Water Stewardship

- 33. Business in the Community
- 34. CDP WATER
- 35. CEO WATER MANDATE
- 36. East African Primary Teacher's College
- 37. Fosterin Education & Environment for Development
- 38. FP2E
- 39. PFE
- 40. Udyama
- 41. Vlakwa
- 42. Water Footprint Network
- 43. WBCSD
- 44. WWF

Annex 4. List of partners and cities of the Alliance of Megacities for Water under Climate Change

List of partners:

- 1. UNESCO,
- 2. ARCEAU-IdF,
- 3. ICLEI,
- 4. SUEZ ENVIRONNEMENT,
- 5. CONAGUA,
- 6. K-Water,
- 7. WaterLinks,
- 8. SIAAP,
- 9. Ville de Paris,
- 10. Ville de Mumbai,

- 11. AMCOW,
- 12. UN-Habitat,
- 13. Global Cities Covenant on Climate,
- 14. Japan Water Works Association,
- 15. International Water Association,
- 16. Urban Infrastructure Institute, New York University
- 17. Alliance for Water Efficiency,
- 18. AgroParistech,
- 19. LEESU.

Cities that either have produced or are producing a monography on the state of their water resources and water utilities, the evaluation of climate change impacts and the list of solutions considered/implemented:

- 1. London,
- 2. Paris,
- 3. Lagos,
- 4. Kinshasa,
- 5. Istanbul,
- 6. Mumbai,
- 7. Beijing,
- 8. Manila,

- 9. HoChiMinh city,
- 10. Seoul,
- 11. Tokyo,
- 12. Los Angeles,
- 13. Mexico,
- 14. Chicago,
- 15. Buenos Aires,
- 16. New York.

Annex 5. List of signatories of the Global Clean Water Desalination Alliance

- 1. IDA Desalination Academy,
- 2. Leading Edge Technology,
- 3. International Desalination Association
- 4. Abengoa
- 5. Abengoa Water
- 6. Abu Dhabi Judicial Department
- 7. ACCIONA Agua
- 8. ACWA Power
- 9. Advanced Water Technology
- 10. African Development Bank
- 11. Agricultural University of Athens
- 12. American Membrane Technology Association (AMTA)
- 13. Aora Solar
- 14. Aqualia Gruppo FCC
- 15. Atoll Energy
- 16. Avista Technologies, Inc.
- 17. BESIX SA
- 18. BESIX Sanotec
- 19. Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC)
- 20. BMCE Bank of Africa
- 21. Citigroup Capital Markets
- 22. Columbia University
- 23. Consolidated Contractors Company CCC
- 24. Demeter
- 25. Department of Water and Sewerage
- 26. Desalitech
- 27. Dow Chemical Ibérica, S.L. -
- 28. Dubai Electricity and Water Authority
- 29. DV Consulting
- 30. EDF Energies Nouvelles
- 31. Électricité de France (EDF)
- 32. Embassy of Spain in the UAE
- 33. Embassy of the Comoros in Abu Dhabi
- 34. Empereal
- 35. Energy Recovery Inc. (ERI).
- 36. ENGIE
- 37. Engie Labs Laborelec
- 38. Executive Affairs Authority
- 39. Fascia Italimpianti S.p.A
- 40. First Solar, Middle East Solar Industry Association (MESIA)
- 41. Fraunhofer-Institute for Solar Energy Systems ISE
- 42. French Government Administration
- 43. Future Pipe Industries

- 44. Genesys International Limited, European Desalination Society
- 45. Global MVP center
- 46. Gwangju Institute of Science & Technology (GIST),
- 47. Korea Desalination Plant Association (KDPA),
- 48. International Desalination Organization
- 49. H2OProfessionals
- 50. Habtoor Leighton Specon
- 51. Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU)
- 52. Harbin ROPV Industry Development Center
- 53. Heriot-Watt University
- 54. Hyflux/Singapore Water Association SWA
- 55. IDA, Desalitech
- 56. IDE Technologies
- 57. ILF Consulting Engineers
- 58. International Desalination Association
- 59. Isle Utilities
- 60. Italmatch Chemicals
- 61. Japan desalination Association
- 62. King Abdullah University of Science and Technology
- 63. King Saud University
- 64. Korea Agency for Infrastructure Technology Advancement (KAIA)
- 65. Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
- 66. Liberation Capital LLC / New England Water Innovation Network
- 67. Local Government, Urban Development, Housing and Environment
- 68. Mascara
- 69. Mascara NT
- 70. Masdar
- 71. Masdar Institute
- 72. Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 73. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Department of Mechanical Engineering
- 74. Metito Overseas Ltd
- 75. Middle East Solar Industry Association
- 76. Ministry of Energy
- 77. Ministry of Energy & Water
- 78. Ministry of Environment
- 79. Ministry of Environment and Energy
- 80. Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 81. Ministry of Infrastructure & Transport
- 82. Ministry of Energy, Commerce Industry & Tourism

- 83. Minstry of Mines and Energy
- 84. MIT
- 85. Mott MacDonald
- 86. Moya Bushnak
- 87. Nanyang Technological University
- 88. National Centre of Excellence in Desalination
- 89. National Council for Science and Technology
- 90. National Power Company
- 91. National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)
- 92. Oasys Water
- 93. Pakistan Desalination Association
- 94. Palau Energy Office
- 95. Public Utilities Board PUB
- 96. QiDO Energy Development GmbH
- 97. Sacyr Environment USA
- 98. Spanish Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment
- 99. Suez
- 100. Suez Degrémont
- 101. Suez Supreme Energy Co- Geothermal
- 102. Swansea University
- 103. SYCHEM Advanced Water Technologies
- 104. Technion Israel Institute of Technology
- 105. Technion-Israel Institute of Technology
- 106. Terrawatt Initiative
- 107. The Renewables 100 Policy Institute
- 108. Tianjin Institute of Seawater Desalination and Multipurpose Utilization, State Oceanic Administration
- 109. Tianjin University
- 110. TM.P. S.p.A Termomeccanica Pompe
- 111. Toray Industries Inc.
- 112. TOYOBO Co., Ltd
- 113. Trevi Systems
- 114. UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education
- 115. United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization International Hydrological Programme (UNESCO-IHP)
- 116. United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
- 117. United4Water Consultants LLC
- 118. University of Calabria
- 119. University of Pennsylvania
- 120. Veolia Middle East
- 121. Veolia Water
- 122. Veolia Water Technologies
- 123. Veolia/SIDEM SA
- 124. Water Corporation
- 125. Water Globe Consulting, LLC
- 126. Works and Public Utilities, Nevis