

**GLOBAL COMPACT ON REFUGEES FIFTH FORMAL
CONSULTATION MEETING
12-13 June 2018
STATEMENT BY TURKEY**

Agenda item 4: Follow-up and review arrangements (Part IV)

- We believe that it would have been better to keep the introduction sentence of the “second draft”, which says “The international community will do its utmost to mobilize support for the application of the global compact and the achievement of its objectives through the mechanisms for burden- and responsibility-sharing”. Because it contained clearer linkage between support and achievement of the objectives of the GCR.
- We welcome the addition on fostering coherence with other processes and actions related to people on the move.
- On the other hand, in the follow-up and review part, we find references to collective outcomes quite relevant.
- We understand from the new draft that the Global Refugee Forum will be the main vehicle also for reviewing and measuring progress against the objectives of the global compact. In this case, we need further clarification on the possible role of member states and relevant stakeholder in support of UNHCR in its task.
- As we have suggested during the previous consultation meeting, adopting a declaration or communiqué after each “Forum” could also be considered in order to strengthen its result-oriented nature and reiterate international commitment towards further progress.
- Lastly, we thank the UNHCR once again for their hard work as well as the delegations for their inputs and reiterate our will to continue to actively engage in this process.

Thank you.