Just Transition Work Programme (JTWP)

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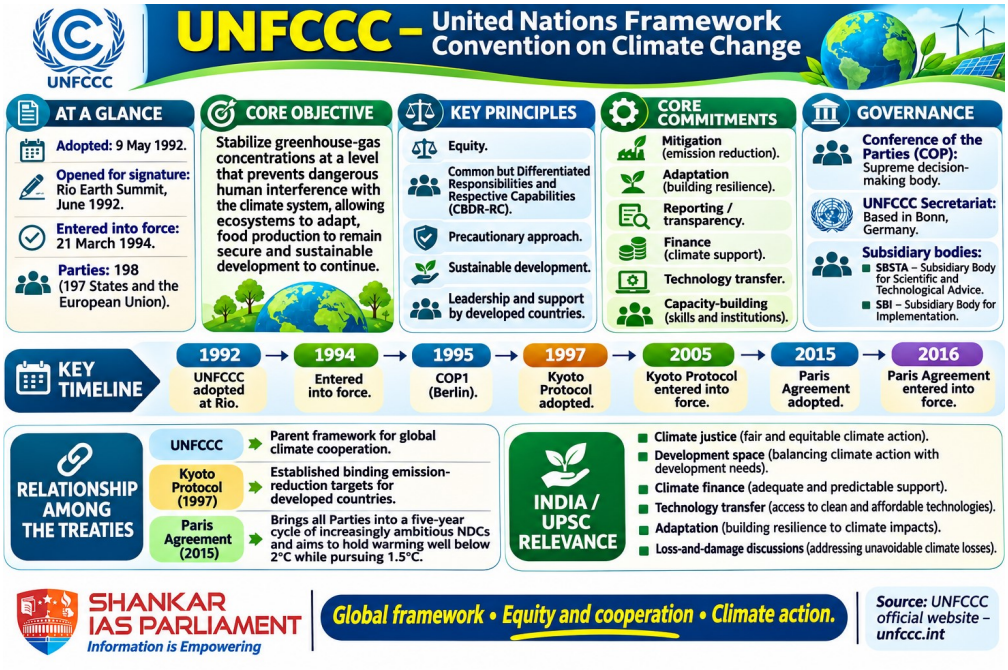
Why in News?

*At the end of Week 1 of **COP31** in Antalya, Türkiye, negotiations focused on operationalizing the Just Transition Mechanism (JTM) agreed at COP30 in Belém, reviewing the JTWP's future, and addressing sectoral outcomes amid sharp divides over climate finance.*

The **Just Transition Work Programme (JTWP)** is a UNFCCC initiative aimed at achieving Paris Agreement goals equitably while protecting workers, communities, human rights, and social inclusion.

Three Core Negotiation Tracks

- **Operationalising the Just Transition Mechanism (JTM)–** Developing countries pushed for a two-tier mechanism delivering finance, technology transfer, and capacity-building support, while countries debated its mandate, governance, and institutional setup.
- **Reviewing and Extending the JTWP–** India and other developing nations called for extending the JTWP beyond 2026, while negotiators weighed its future role and mandate.
- **Dialogue Outcomes–** Talks reviewed the fifth and sixth JTWP dialogues covering **food security, agriculture, and oceans**, as well as **industrial transition and global value chains.**



Reference

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