



# Unpacking South Africa's Road to Building Back Better, Fairer and Greener South Africa's recovery and stimulus package by global standards

Webinar Series Part III:

Unpacking the Green Economy Ecosystem:  
Business Development Support Services for Local Green Entrepreneurs

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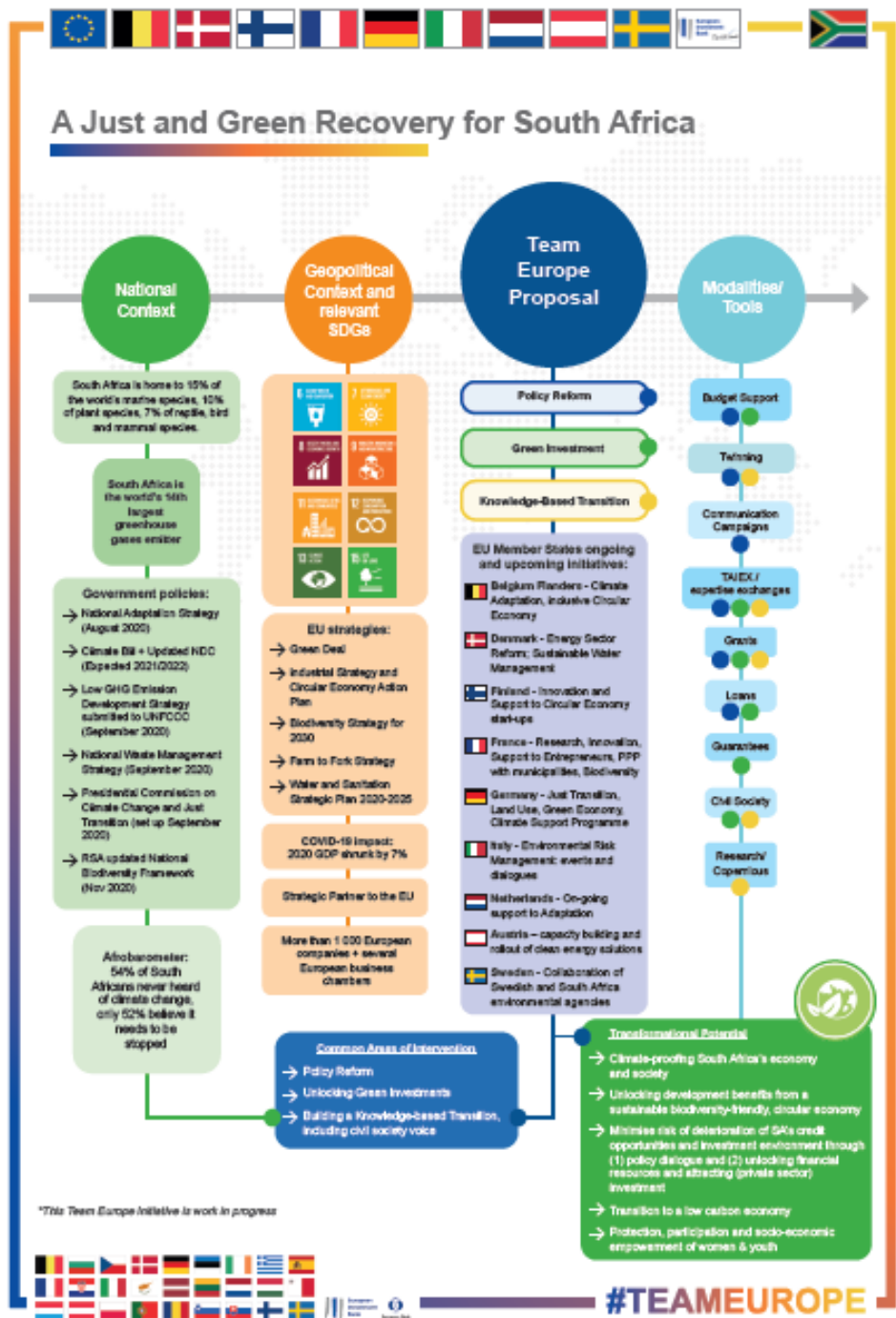


# A European Green Deal

Striving to be the first climate-neutral continent

Climate change and environmental degradation are an existential threat to Europe and the world. To overcome these challenges, the European Green Deal will transform the EU into a modern, resource-efficient and competitive economy, ensuring:

- no net emissions of greenhouse gases by 2050
- economic growth decoupled from resource use
- no person and no place left behind



## Through EU and EU Member States in SA:

- Need for policy reform to create enabling environment – Government budgets must follow transition and recovery
- Public and private financing from EU will support transition and recovery
- Must be a knowledge-based transition
- Diplomacy efforts to create awareness and support reform and recovery

# What do we do?

- Support analysis
- Support reserach and development and exchanges and studies
- Support the PYEI
- Support to DSBD and EDSE

# New programmes

- Continued support to existing engagements
- Support regional programme on Investing in Young Businesses in Africa:
  - Pre-seed financing
  - Early stage financing
  - Support to ecosystem development
- Support to new Youth engagement in SA to encourage and support entrepreneurs
- ***Challenges and oppoortunities for LGEs to be identified to target support: Acces to Finance, Access to Land, Life Skills, etc.***

Questions?

Thank you!

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