Ms Chair, Distinguished Delegates,

My name is Lama el Hatow from Egypt. I am speaking on behalf of the Climate Action Network, a global network of over 500 NGOs.

Essential elements of a Cancun balanced package of measures include:

- Acknowledgment of the gigatonne gap and a pathway to close that gap, agreeing on a principle based effort sharing approach by Durban.

- Developed country ‘Zero carbon action plans’ showing how they will decarbonize their economies by 2050.

- A NAMA registry, and consideration of how developing countries can move towards low carbon, climate resilient action plans that contribute to sustainable development.

- Support for developing countries including a new Fund under the authority of the COP, with substantive elements agreed.

- A roadmap to identify and agree innovative sources of long-term predictable, public finance by COP17.

- An equitable increase in transparency enhancing environmental integrity. It is vital to focus not only on ICA for developing countries but also MRV rules for non Kyoto developed countries that are comparable to the Protocol.

- Not hold hostage, the crucial issues of technology, capacity building, REDD+ and adaptation.

Parties must agree on a road map and a work plan for 2011. The pathway to a fair, ambitious and binding deal to Durban starts here.