Invitation to the webinar 'Transparency as a link between NDCs, stocktaking and reaching the goal of the Paris Agreement'

Dear Sir or Madam,

We warmly invite you to the **webinar** 'Transparency as a link between NDCs, stocktaking and reaching the goal of the Paris Agreement', 1 November 2017, 15-16:00 CET.

The webinar will explain the importance of the transparency framework for the Paris Agreement and reveal the links between the implementation of nationally determined contributions (NDCs) and transparency. In addition, it will reflect on the similarities and differences between the transparency provisions under the Paris Agreement and the existing measurement, reporting and verification (MRV) framework, and promote good practices for establishing and employing MRV systems.



Speakers

- Kirsten Orschulok, German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB)
- Monica Echegoyen, Initiative for Climate Action Transparency (ICAT)
- Ilka Wagner, BMUB
- Vahakn Kabakian, Republic of Lebanon Ministry of Environment (MoE)

Moderator: Hanna Reuter, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

This webinar is part of a series jointly organised by GIZ's Support Project for the Implementation of the Paris Agreement (SPA), the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and the Low Emission Development Strategies Global Partnership (LEDS GP). Further webinars will be announced shortly.

Signing up for the webinar

Please register for the webinar at: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7264151554091497987

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

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Background



In May 2017, policy-makers and government practitioners from more than 80 countries discussed how to advance the implementation of NDCs at the **Global NDC Conference** in Berlin. The conference focused on three topics: integrated governance, financing and transparency.

The organisers have launched the webinar series to make some of the key outcomes of the conference accessible to a wider audience and to further promote ambitious climate action. In several webinar sessions, speakers from (sub)national government institutions, the private sector, civil society, implementing organisations and think tanks will provide an insight into various issues that have been raised during the conference. The objective is to share knowledge about different aspects of NDC implementation and present emerging practices.

For more information on the conference, please visit <u>http://www.ndcconference2017.org</u>.

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