



Energy and Climate
Partnership of the Americas

III ECPA Ministerial

Second Preparatory Meeting

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Trinidad and Tobago
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About ECPA



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Flexible mechanism to foster regional energy leadership and cooperation

Mission

Shared leadership in the implementation of energy initiatives and the exchange of experiences within the countries of the Americas in support of sustainable development objectives.

Vision

Promote regional energy cooperation through different strategies and actions for achieving a cleaner, safer, efficient, modern and equitable energy deployment.



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Seven fundamental pillars



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Renewable Energy



Energy
Infrastructure



Regional Energy
Integration



Energy Efficiency



Cleaner and More
Efficient Use of
Fossil Fuels



Energy
Poverty



Energy Research and
Innovation

Timeline



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First Ministerial Meeting held
at the OAS and IDB
Washington, DC

2010



Sixth Summit of the Americas
Cartagena, Colombia

2012

Preparatory Ministerial Meetings

- Mexico
- United States
- Uruguay
- Guatemala

2014

Third Ministerial
Meeting
Viña del Mar, Chile

2017

2009

Fifth Summit of the Americas
Port of Spain, Trinidad and
Tobago



2011

Dialogue & ECPA
Meeting
Panama City, Panama

2013

Connect 2022 Ministerial
IDB Headquarters, Washington DC



2015

Second Ministerial Meeting
Merida, Yucatan - Mexico



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Technical Coordination Unit



Assists the Steering Committee

Ministerial support

Outreach & Communications

Partner Engagement

Dialogues, workshops, technical assistance

Steering Committee

Established at the II ECPA Ministerial in Merida in May 2015

Chile
Costa Rica
Dominican Republic
Jamaica
Mexico
Trinidad and Tobago
United States



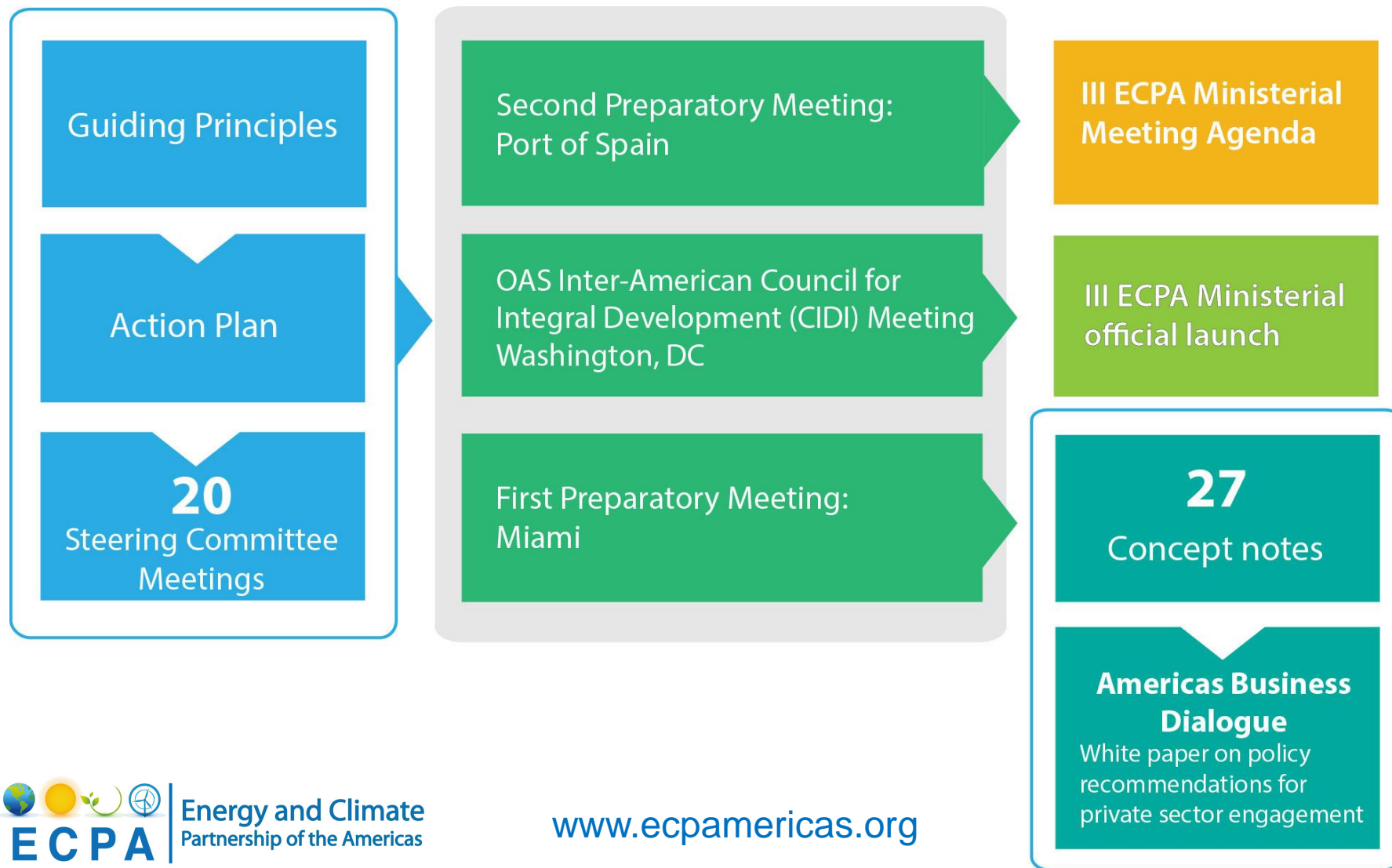
Lead the Partnership

Propose and monitor measures envisaged in the Action Plan

Identify financial and technical resources

Ensure that the Partnership functions effectively

III Ministerial Meeting Preparatory Process



Metrology

PHASE I. Renewable Energy and Climate Science for the Americas: Metrology and Technology Challenges

PURPOSE: Identify technology, measurements and standards needed to deploy renewable energy technologies.

Period: Nov 2013 to Jul 2016

Countries: All OAS member States

PHASE II. Metrology for SETs and the Environment in the Western Hemisphere

PURPOSE: Improve the understanding of metrology in the fields, energy efficiency and renewable energy.

Period: Nov 2016 to Nov 2020

Countries: All OAS member States

Activities:

High level awareness, short-long term technical exchanges and government expert trainings.

Metrology for Energy Efficient Measurements and Compliance in Central America and Dominican Republic

PURPOSE: Strengthen energy efficiency measurement and compliance assessment in equipment and appliances in SICA Member States.

Period: Nov 2016 to Nov 2020

Countries: Central America + Dominican Republic

Activities:

High level awareness, short-long term technical exchanges and government expert trainings.

Caribbean Sustainable Energy Roadmap and Strategy (C-SERMS) Platform

Goal: To contribute to the efforts of Caribbean States to meet the demands for modern, secure, reliable, efficient, cost-effective energy services, strengthen energy security and curb greenhouse gas emissions.

Participating countries:

CARICOM member states

Implementing partners:

OAS and CARICOM



ECPA Ministerial process



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Forum where governments and the private sector can engage in frank dialogue focused on improving energy cooperation and development

Government engagement

Public-private partnerships

Incubation of new initiatives



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For today



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Concept notes & Action Plan review

- Prospective areas of action and Ministerial deliverables

Private sector policy proposals

- Critical steps to further PPPs

Next steps toward Viña del Mar

- Side events
- Private sector dialogue
- Ministerial agenda/sessions
- Media
- Joint Declaration





THANK YOU!

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