

Workshop
Implications of the Paris Agreement on PMR Activities

Agenda

Monday April 25, 2016

Country Club Hotel

Lima, Peru

Since it commenced operation in 2011 the PMR has continued to evolve within the broader context of climate change action. In an effort to ensure that its impacts are maximized and sustained over time, the PMR has had a number of strategic decisions and discussions to guide the activities and focus of the initiative. Now that the Paris Agreement has been reached, this workshop provides a timely opportunity for PMR participants, observers and Secretariat to collectively analyze any potential implications for the PMR stemming from the Paris Agreement, with a view to further advancing the various strategic discussions under the PMR and identifying related activities for its different work programs including its technical, policy analysis and in-country work programs.

Introductory Session	
9.00	<p>Welcoming remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Venkata Putti, Climate and Carbon Finance Unit, World Bank - Eduardo Durand, Director General of Climate Change, Ministry of Environment Peru <p>Objectives of the event and presentation of the agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pauline Kennedy, PMR Secretariat
Session 1: Overview of Paris agreement and potential implications for the PMR	
<i>This session will discuss elements of the Paris Agreement that appear particularly relevant to the PMR and identify potential implications for PMR's work and strategic direction. Participants will have an opportunity to share their perspectives on the different elements of the agreement.</i>	
09:15	<p>PMR context for the discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adrien de Bassompierre, PMR Secretariat <p>Understanding the Paris Agreement and potential opportunities for the PMR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Andrew Howard, Consultant, Koru Climate <p>Plenary discussion</p>
10:30	Coffee break

<p>Session 2 – Dialogue session: Implications for the PMR relating to national action</p> <p><i>The Paris Agreement provides a new context for climate action in the post-2020 period and reinforces the need to enhance action before 2020 as well. New opportunities and priorities may prompt adjustments in the work and strategic direction of the PMR. Participants will break into small groups to identify and discuss any new opportunities for the PMR, any reasons to readjust priorities, and any concrete recommendations and next steps.</i></p>	
11:00	<p>Framing presentation</p> <p>Breakout group discussion</p> <p>Report back to plenary</p>
12:45	Lunch
<p>Session 3 – Dialogue session: Implications for the PMR relating to cooperative approaches, accounting and climate finance</p> <p><i>Article 6 of the Paris Agreement on cooperative approaches, together with various provisions on accounting, and climate finance address approaches that are directly relevant to a large part of the PMR's work. Participants will break into small groups to identify and discuss any new opportunities for the PMR, any reasons to adjust PMR priorities, and any concrete recommendations and next steps.</i></p>	
14:00	<p>Framing presentation</p> <p>Breakout group discussion</p> <p>Report back to plenary</p>
15.30	Coffee break
<p>Session 4: Next steps and recommendations</p> <p><i>The PMR secretariat will present a synthesis of the ideas, recommendations and concrete next steps from the day's discussion for further consideration by participants. After an exercise to gauge support, the objective will be for the workshop to reach conclusions on recommendations and next steps.</i></p>	
16:00	<p>Synthesis of the day's discussion, including recommendations and next steps</p> <p>- <i>Pauline Kennedy, PMR Secretariat</i></p> <p>Participant feedback on recommendations and next steps</p> <p>Conclusions on recommendations and next steps</p>
Closing session	
17:15	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>- <i>Adrien de Bassompierre, PMR Secretariat</i></p>
17.30	Close of workshop