



Update and Progress Summary 21st Partnership Assembly

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PMR Secretariat



Key Outcomes of PA20 in Brussels

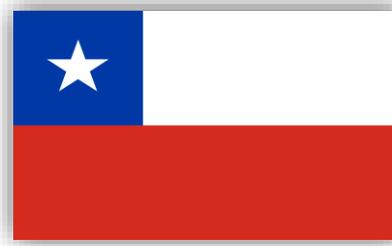
- **Resolution PA20/2019-1:** Authorization of annual budget (\$5.7m) for FY20
- **PA Endorsement** to sign outstanding grant agreements by July 31, 2019
- **PA Endorsement** to commit outstanding country program grants by September 30, 2019
- **PA authorization** for the Secretariat to fund proposals under \$200K as per the set criteria. For proposals above this threshold, PA approval required.



Since PA20....



Mexico ETS pilot phase has been adopted and kicks off in January 2020.



Chile's tax code reform for 2019 includes the enhancement of the carbon tax.



Thailand submitted its final ISR. Program will end in December 2019.



Indonesia submitted its final ISR. Program will end in December 2019.

For PA21, ISRs have been submitted by: Brazil, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Mexico, Peru, South Africa, Thailand and Ukraine. We encourage everyone to join the ISR knowledge fair to learn more!

Key Developments

- The Secretariat has conducted a country analysis on commitments to meet the September 30, 2019 target set at PA20.
- The analysis has identified about \$9m likely to be unspent

Completed	On course	To be watched
Morocco	Brazil, China	Argentina, Cote d'Ivoire,
Chile	Costa Rica, Jordan	Colombia, India
	Kazakhstan, Panama	Mexico, Tunisia
	Peru, Philippines	Sri Lanka
	South Africa , Thailand	
	Turkey, Ukraine	
	Vietnam, Indonesia	

Key insight – More realistic estimation of budget for various activities required for PMI

Other Highlights

- ETS design workshop, Mexico, 23-25 July 2019
- Training on designing and implementing carbon taxes, Ivory Coast, 9-11 October 2019
- Training program on 'Communicating Carbon Price', Costa Rica, 10-11 October 2019
- Publication on 'Using Carbon Revenues' released



New Activities for Funding

- Internal evaluation committee established
- Four proposals received (<\$200K category)
 - **Develop the general framework for implementation of carbon pricing instruments in Indonesia**
 - **Implementation of a voluntary crediting scheme and defining the crediting mechanism proposed under carbon tax amendments in Chile**
 - **Intensive capacity building in internal capacity building and green investments in Thailand**
 - **Supporting carbon market development for the Southern Africa Power Pool**
- One proposal (>200k category) circulated to the PA for comments and decision
 - **Productization of MRV and connected registries**

Criteria

- Aid the transition towards implementation
- New, non-repeating activities
- Not an extension of the existing/ongoing activities
- Help to bridge the readiness/knowledge gaps
- Act as an incentive towards advanced stages of carbon pricing implementation
- **New activities must be completed by December 2020**
- **Idea-based activities, not country-based**

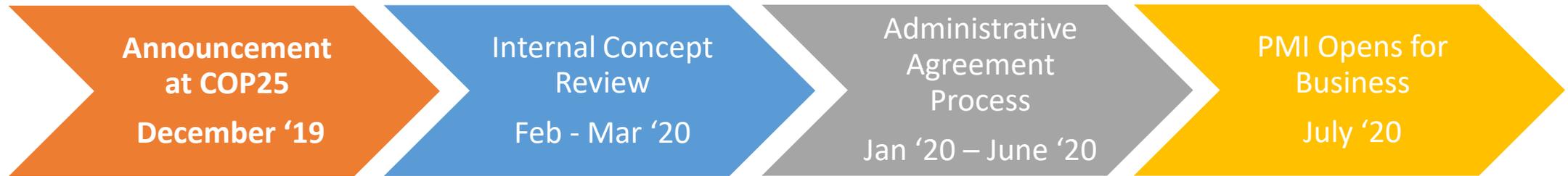


Priorities for PMR Moving Forward



- Completion of all program activities by December 2020, no extension beyond
- Systematic closure of the program:
 - assessment of PMR outputs for their efficacy in helping implementation in the future
 - archiving technical outputs and other documents
 - synthesis document on lessons learnt (process and content)

Update on PMI Timeline



Next Steps:

- Planning for PMI (Partnership for Market Implementation) announcement and other events at COP25
 - Announcement (tbc): December 10th 2019
 - Invitation: PMR Countries at COP25
- Securing financial commitments from contributors
- Finalizing the eligibility criteria and application process for PMI

Priorities for PA21

- Status update on the country program analysis
- Status update of FY19 expenditure
- Knowledge sharing: Updates through country ISRs, lessons from key technical areas as well as overall country programs, issues for discussion
- Resource utilization
 - Support for new ideas
 - Transition activities (reporting, documentation, events, etc.)



Thank You!



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