UPDATE ON TECHNICAL AND POLICY ANALYSIS WORK PROGRAMS

April 21, 2020
Technical Work Program

Activities completed in FY20
NEW COURSE ON CARBON TAX

3-day training on designing and implementing carbon taxes based on the Carbon Tax Guide. The course has been developed in partnership with UNITAR. The training provides the core materials that can then be tailored to a country’s circumstances.

Please contact the PMR Secretariat if such training would be of interest!
Carbon tax training – Ivory Coast, October 2019
NEW ONLINE E-COURSE: CARBON TAX

**E-course** on designing and implementing carbon taxes based on the Carbon Tax Guide. The course has been developed in partnership with UNITAR. The course can be facilitated by a carbon tax expert or taken independently by users.
Close to 450 participants took the facilitated e-course when it launched in March.
REGIONAL TRAININGS: COMMUNICATING CARBON PRICING

Two-day training course for policymakers and communications specialists tailored to each region to provide in-depth training on communicating carbon pricing.

Istanbul, February 2020
Costa Rica, October 2019
Technical Work Program

Activities started in FY20 and to be completed in FY21
REGIONAL TRAININGS: COMMUNICATING CARBON PRICING

Asia Course: Two-day training course for policymakers and communications specialists tailored to each region to provide in-depth training on communicating carbon pricing.

Location: Hanoi, Vietnam

Dates: tbd Q3 2020
ACTIVITIES TO BE COMPLETED IN FY20 & FY21

- **Development co-benefits of CP**: Drafting SOD, Aug 2020
- **Measuring Emissions**: Finalization, May 2020
- **Crediting Guide**: Drafting SOD, Sept 2020
ACTIVITIES TO BE COMPLETED IN FY20 & FY21

ETS Handbook Update
- Drafting SOD
  - Sept 2020

Selecting CPI Guide
- Drafting FOD
  - Dec 2020

ETS Governance Report
- Reviewing FOD
  - Aug 2020
PMR Lessons Learned: Ongoing work (questionnaire sent: March 2020)

PMR Country Outputs Evaluation of carbon pricing readiness: Ongoing work, developing evaluation criteria

PMR Documents Archive: ongoing categorization / coding
MRV SOFTWARE PACKAGE (approved in PA 20)

Off-the-shelf open source MRV software package that could reduce the time and cost to countries of implementing similar MRV systems.

- Preparing the software package, using the source code of the MRV system developed in one of the PMR countries
- Sri Lanka will be the first country to use
Technical Work Program

Activities under consideration
Feedback from PMR members welcome!

- Trainings on demand
- Lessons learned report

Carbon pricing + gender

Carbon pricing + transport sector

E-Course: Communicating CP

State and Trends of Carbon Pricing
2021 Edition
Additional Support
Domestic GHG crediting mechanism design options
Through end FY21

Knowledge products and capacity building on CORSIA
December 2020

Supporting climate market development for the Southern African Power Pool
December 2020
South-South knowledge exchange and systematic approach for designing the MRV platform

December 2020

Stakeholder consultations on carbon pricing, internal carbon pricing & climate finance

October 2020
Policy Analysis Work Program

Update on activities
STATUS OF ACTIVITIES

- Policy analysis work in Morocco was completed in FY19.
- Remaining projects in Thailand and Vietnam completed in FY20.
- No more activities are expected under the Policy Analysis Work Program.

The project in Thailand supports carbon pricing policy choice through economic modelling of the impact of carbon pricing options.

The project in Vietnam is undertaking policy mapping and economic modelling to support the development of the Roadmap for GHG Mitigation in the energy sector up to 2030.
Thank you
PMR Stocktaking Activities
PMR Lessons Learned

- Documenting the experiences and challenges faced by implementing countries supported by PMR, that have been assessing or implementing CPIs and establishing necessary infrastructure

- Lessons learned provides a solid foundation for developing both domestic carbon pricing initiatives and international carbon market mechanism

- Questionnaires have been sent to all focal points. Expecting responses by April 30

- First draft report expected by June 2020
• To determine if the activities under implementation support have met the objectives specified in countries’ MRP

• Snapshot of the country’s carbon pricing readiness and compare with the level of improvement achieved through PMR support (compared to baseline scenario).

• Provides a preliminary idea of the country’s readiness to move to next stage

• Evaluation Criteria has been developed and is under review

• First draft report (on countries that have completed their MRPs) expected by June 2020
Ensures that post-PMR, the PMR countries and other external relevant stakeholders continue to have access to all documents collected over the 12 years of PMR's existence.

Capture and codify PMR documents from country collaborations in a centralized location.

Archiving will prevent loss of important documents and ensure that the participants have access to these documents when needed.

Activity is ongoing – with an end date of December 2020.