

**XX Meeting of the Forum of Ministers of the Environment of Latin America and the Caribbean**
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Limited**UNEP/LAC-IGWG.XX/1.Rev.1**A. PREPARATORY MEETING OF HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS
28 to 29 March 2016Tuesday 1 March 2016
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HIGH LEVEL EXPERTS PREPARATORY MEETING	
Monday 28 March 2016	
08:00 – 08:30 (30min)	<i>Registration of Participants</i>
08:30 – 09:00 (30min)	1. OPENING OF THE MEETING <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Opening words from the Representative of the Government of Mexico, Mr. Enrique Lendo▪ Opening words from the Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development of Colombia, Mr. Gabriel Vallejo López▪ Opening words from UNEP's Representative, Forum Secretariat, Mr. Leo Heileman
09:00 – 9:30 (30min)	2. ORGANIZATION OF WORK <ul style="list-style-type: none">2.1 Adoption of rules of the meeting.2.2 Election of the Bureau.2.3 Adoption of the agenda and programme of sessions of the meeting.
9:30 - 10:30 – (1h)	3. BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS OF THE SECOND OPEN-ENDED MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES OECPR-2
10:30 – 11:00 (30min)	<i>Coffee Break</i>
	4. FOLLOW UP OF THE DECISIONS OF THE XIX MEETING OF THE FORUM OF MINISTERS OF ENVIRONMENT OF LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN (MEXICO, 2014).

CALENDAR AND SIDE EVENTS

11:00- 11:45 (45min)	4.1 Governance and strengthening of the Forum of Ministers of Latin America and the Caribbean, specifically the review of the ILAC. Results of the Meeting of Experts and Results of the Intersessional Meeting (October-November respectively, Mexico)
11:45- 12:30 (45min)	4.2 Environmental Education for Sustainable Development.
12:30- 13:15 (45min)	4.3 Principle 10 of the Rio Declaration.
13:30 – 14:30 (1hr)	Lunch
14:30- 15:15 (45min)	4.4 Cooperation on Chemicals and Waste.
15:15 – 16:00 (45min)	4.5 Small Island Developing States.
16:00- 16:45 (45min)	4.6 ILAC Environmental Indicators Air Quality.
16:45- 17:30 (45min)	4.7 Sustainable Consumption and Production
17:30 – 17:45 (15min)	Coffee Break
17:45 – 18:30 (45min)	4.8 Regional Action Plan on Air Pollution
18:30– 19:15 (45min)	4.9 Cooperation on Climate change
19:15 – 19:20 (5min)	Closing words for the day by the Vice Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development of Colombia, Mr. Pablo Vieira.

19:30 – 21:00 **Welcome for High Level Experts**

The Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development will welcome high level experts, delegations and other participants.

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9:00 – 10:30 (1h 30min)	5. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE MINISTERIAL SEGMENT.
10:30- 11:00 (30min)	Coffee Break

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11:00 – 13:00 (2h)	5. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE MINISTERIAL SEGMENT (Continuation).
13:00 – 14:00 (1h)	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00 – 16:30 (2h 30min)	6. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE MEETING DRAFT REPORT AND THE MINISTERIAL DECLARATION.
16:30 – 16:45 (15min)	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16:45 – 17:30 (45min)	7. OTHER MATTERS 8. CLOSURE OF THE MEETING