Localisation of the SAMOA Pathway and the 2030 Agenda for sustainable development and SDGs

Regional Localisation – Case of the Caribbean SIDS

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Caribbean SIDS: Supporting policy coherencies across sustainable development agendas

Interrelated, mutually reinforcing - policy coherencies across sustainable development agendas
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The (CDCC) was created in 1975 as a permanent subsidiary body of the Economic Commission of Latin America and the Caribbean to promote development cooperation among Caribbean countries.

The objectives of CDCC are:

- To promote and strengthen economic and social cooperation and integration among the countries of the Caribbean and with Latin America
- To promote the sharing of information and experiences among its membership
- To promote common positions and strategies on economic and social issues among Caribbean nations, and on their relations with third countries, and to present those positions to international forums and agencies
- Regular sessions of Ministers are held every two years. The next CDCC session (28th) will be in 2020

- ECLAC is the Secretariat of the CDCC
The Caribbean development and cooperation committee (CDCC) adopted resolution 73(XXIII) in 2010. In this resolution, it invited key parties to join ECLAC in spearheading a Caribbean development roundtable (CDR) to consider sustainable development challenges and opportunities in the subregion.

This landmark represents the continued commitment of ECLAC to provide a mechanism that facilitates the cross-fertilization of ideas in support of the development goals of the Caribbean region.

Held every two years, the CDR provides a space for intellectual exchange and suggestions, with a view to identifying workable solutions to address the vulnerabilities of Caribbean small island developing states (SIDS).

The CDR is held just preceding the CDCC session.
Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee (CDCC), Regional Coordinating Mechanism (RCM)- in Brief

1995
Conceptualized
1998 - RCM was first proposed as a coordinating mechanism for the implementation of the BPoA

2005-2006
- Proposal for the CDCC-RCM accepted
  -(Noting the slow rate on implementation of the SIDS Agendas)

2017, 2018 - CDCC Resolutions for Ensuring synergy in the implementing of the 2030 agenda, the SAMOA pathway and other sustainable development agendas

2018—mid term review of the SAMOA Pathway, made recommendations on the CDCC-RCM on supporting SIDS Agendas

2019—to present arguments for a repositioned CDCC-RCM as the Caribbean SIDS Forum for Sustainable Development
Towards a revisited and repositioned CDCC-RCM as the Caribbean Sustainable Development Forum

- The current CDCC-RCM is limited in its scope and structure for providing a long-term, comprehensive, and systematic mechanism supporting the Caribbean SIDS sustainable development agendas.

- At the 19th Meeting of the Monitoring Committee of the CDCC (May 2019), a proposal was discussed for a CDCC-RCM repositioned and towards addressing these requirements amongst others.
UN- High level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF)

Voluntary national Reviews (VNRs) On the 2030-Agenda

Latin America and the Caribbean-Forum for Sustainable Development

Caribbean SIDS- Sustainable Development Forum (CDCC-RCM)

Caribbean SIDS Sustainable Development Agenda

Inter-governmental Organisations, AOSIS, CARICOM, OECS, CBD, ACS etc.

Academia, Private sectors, civil society etc.
RCM repositioned and revisited workshop

• RCM- Technical Advisory Meeting- September 11, 2019 (tentative) and with the purpose to get an agreement on development of draft resolution to be taken to the next CDCC

• The next meetings of the CDCC to be held in the first quarter 2020
I AM A YOUTH OF A SMALL ISLAND!

OPEN TO YOUTH AGES 15 - 24

This competition is open to youth ages 15-24. Submissions must reflect the reality of the Small Islands Developing States (SIDS) as a special case for sustainable development. The interpretation can be from such angles as: economic, social, cultural, environmental or any combination of these. In keeping with the theme of sustainable development for the SIDS, this interpretation can also take the view of visioning for the future when today’s youth will become adults.
Thank you

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