



SUPPORT OF COSTA RICA'S ZERO-EMISSION DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY AS MODEL FOR LOW CARBON DEVELOPMENT

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OBJECTIVE AND ACTIVITIES

The project strengthened Costa Rica's ability to implement strategies for extensive greenhouse gas mitigation and helped to integrate the experiences gained into regional and international strategy discussions on low-carbon development. To this end, the project established and expanded institutional structures and expertise, drafted nationally appropriate mitigation actions (NAMAs) and conducted pilot measures in selected action areas and sectors. The project also involved monitoring greenhouse gas emissions, mitigation efforts and project impacts (MRV) as well as promoting expertise in these areas. Furthermore, the project supported the implementation of Costa Rica's national climate strategy through communication and information campaigns.

STATE OF IMPLEMENTATION/RESULTS

- Project completed
- Recommendation developed for an inter-institutional steering committee for climate-neutral development including the participation of a range of ministries and international donors
- Draft concept developed for a monitoring and indicator system to track Costa Rica's mitigation activities
- Concret NAMAs proposals developed, particularly regarding priority sectors and institutional integration
- Training activities conducted on the subject of climate audits

PROJECT DATA

Country:

Costa Rica

Implementing organisation:

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

Partner institution(s):

- Ministry of Environment and Energy (MINAE) - Costa Rica

BMU grant:

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