

Via CIEMADeS
 GFDD/FUNGLODE Present:
 Second Conference on Climate Change: Evidence of Global Warming in the
 Dominican Republic
 August 22-24, 2007
 FUNGLODE Auditorium, Santo Domingo

| Wednesday, August 22, 2007 | | |
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| Time | Activity | |
| 7:00 p.m. | Introduction Presentation of Video Testimonials: “Altered Nature: Climate Change in Action?” | |
| 7:30 p.m. | Keynote Conference “The Importance of Monitoring & the Economics of Climate Change” Jaime Echeverría Environmental Economist <i>Tropical Science Center</i> San José, Costa Rica | |
| Thursday, August 23, 2007 | | |
| 9:00 a.m. | | Opening Remarks |
| 9:15 a.m. | Antonio Cocco Quezada ACQ y Asociados CODIA | Keynote Conference “Climatology in the Dominican Republic: Relevance for a Sustainable Future” |
| 10:00 a.m. | Moisés Álvarez UNPHU | "Study on Climate Patterns in the Dominican Republic & Their Relation with El Niño – Southern Oscillation (ENOS)" |
| 10:20 a.m. | Caridad Perez & | “Climatic Tendencies in the Caribbean Region and the Dominican Republic: Variability and Intensity” |

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| | Juana Sille ONAMET | “El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO) and Its Relationship to Tropical Storms” |
| 10:50 a.m. | Michela Izzo PPS/FMAM/PNUD & SEMARN | “Confronting Climate Change in the Dominican Republic: The Importance of Climate Variability & Geomorphological Studies” |
| 11:10 a.m. | Questions & Answers | |
| 11:30 a.m. | COFFEE BREAK | |
| | Evidence: Regional Impacts | |
| | Coastal Resources | |
| 12:00 a.m. | Alejandro Herrera-Moreno EcoMar Program | Study on Coastal Resources: Bávaro & Punta Cana |
| 12:20 p.m. | Rubén Torres Reef Check | Study on Coral Bleaching: La Caleta |
| 12:40 p.m. | Questions & Answers | |
| 1:00 p.m. | COMPLEMENTARY LUNCH | |
| | Water, Agricultura & Forests | |
| 3:00 p.m. | Frank Rodríguez INDRHI | Global Warming & Hydro Resources |
| 3:20 p.m. | Ernesto Reyna Under Secretary of Land and Water Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources | Global Warming & Desertification |
| 3:40 p.m. | Alberto Sánchez Small Grants | Global Warming & Forest Resources |

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| | Programme UNDP | |
| 4:00 p.m. | Questions & Answers | |
| | Biodiversity | |
| 4:20 p.m. | Lisette Gil Asociación Romana-Bayahibe | Global Warming, Tourism & Biodiversity |
| 4:40 p.m. | Sixto Inchaustegui UNDP | Global Warming & Biodiversity |
| 5:00 p.m. | Questions & Answers | |
| | Health | |
| 5:10 p.m. | Dr. David Joa Center for Tropical Diseases | The Effects of Climate Change on Health: Dengue & Malaria |
| 5:30 p.m. | Questions & Answers | |
| 5:45 p.m. | Closing Remarks | |

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| <p><i>Ministry of Environmental Management</i> <i>National Capacity Self-Assessment Project on Global Environmental Management (NCSA)</i></p> <p>“Workshop Consultation on the Nation’s Capacity to Combat Climate Change”</p> <p>Friday, August 24, 2007</p> | |
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| 8:30 a.m. | Reception for Participants (Registration / Coffee Break) |
| 9:00 a.m. | Greeting Zoila González de Gutiérrez |

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| | Ministry of Environmental Management |
| 9:10 a.m. | Opening Remarks Juan Mancebo National Climate Change Project Coordinator |
| 9:20 a.m. | Technical Presentation Laura Rathe National Coordinator, National Capacity Self-Assessment Project |
| 9:30 a.m. | Presentation on Objectives and Methodology: “Climate Change Thematic Profile” Ramón Ant. Martínez Consultant |
| 9:45 a.m. | Group Work & Discussion |
| 12:30 p.m. | Lunch |
| 1:00 p.m. | Continuation in Groups |
| 2:00 p.m. | Presentation of Group Work |
| 2:30 p.m. | Closing Remarks Sixto Inchaustegui Energy and Environment Program of the UNDP |

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