

## **5<sup>th</sup> Programme Steering Committee (PSC), April 2016, Port Louis Mauritius**

### **Guide to presenters**

The first phase of the Intra-ACP Programme of the Global Climate Change Alliance is coming to an end in June 2016. It is the time to assess accomplishments and success stories as well as obstacles and challenges encountered.

To this purpose, the programme has convened to launch a study (Work Order 78) on the implementation outcomes to showcase the outputs achieved and the added value of the programme, both in terms of on the ground technical assistance to tackle climate change and of knowledge sharing among the ACP member States and regional partners.

A Short Term Technical Assistant -STTA- will be hired shortly to conduct a thorough assessment of the programme's work and achievements to date with recommendations for the second phase and launch concrete knowledge sharing and communications activities.

The STTA will present some preliminary findings of the study and carry out discussions with regional partners (your selves), the ACP Secretariat and EU Delegation representatives on the findings. The STTA will also use this opportunity to gather further relevant information and fine-tune the results.

The aim of the 5<sup>th</sup> Programme Steering Committee meeting is to:

- discuss final implementation progress and sustainability of the programme until the next phase;
- discuss outcomes and best practises and agree on a common position to integrate the abovementioned study;
- identify priority actions and plans for the second phase of the programme.

In order to carry out this study, the expert will assess the success of the technical missions conducted in the beneficiary countries, collecting data and feedbacks from the recipients.

The work of the expert will also include the assessment of the implementation and achievements of the regional component and the relationship between the regional partners and with the ACP Secretariat. The analysis will be carried out using documents and reports but also interviews with the regional counterparts during the PSC meeting.

The preliminary results of the study will be presented at the PSC meeting to foster discussion among the different stakeholders, including the ACP Secretariat, the EU Delegations and the regional partners.

**For your presentation, we would like to kindly ask you to present your regional perspectives on:**

- **Success stories/major achievements of the programme**
- **Challenges and how overcome**
- **Relationship with other regional organisations (organisations and activities) and with the ACP Secretariat**
- **Your priority actions for phase two**

- **Recommendations for better intra and inter regional cooperation and synergies in phase two.**