

Activities held in Dominican Republic on the occasion of the 2006 International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer

Ozone Day celebrations began a week prior to the date and included several activities:

- On 11 September material including the Training Handbook, ODS use Ruling, posters and brochures on the protection of the ozone layer were distributed.
- A certificate ceremony for the Customs Officers was held as well as the signing of a cooperation agreement between INFOTEP, UNDP and SEMARENA.
- On 14 September the Halon Bank of the Dominican Republic came into operation and on 15 September a public awareness campaign was carried out in schools, neighborhood assemblies and NGOs.
- The equipment for the Methyl Bromide project was handed over to the users in the flower sector and there was a painting contest on 'taking care of the ozone layer'.
- The mass communication media was present in all of the events mentioned above.