



Date and location:
28 October 2024, 6 – 8 pm
Theatre

Cool your NDCs! How to integrate the cooling sector in your NDCs

The refrigeration and air conditioning (RAC) sector is responsible for up to 10% of global GHG emissions. Reducing these emissions is important to achieve the objectives of the Paris Agreement. Green Cooling solutions exist for almost all RAC sub-sectors, and they are very cost-efficient and considered as “low-hanging fruits”.

In this side event, we will explain why it is crucial for countries to leverage the cooling sector for ambitious Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs). NOUs from Latin America and the Caribbean as well as Asia will share their strategies and best practices with enhancing their NDCs with Green Cooling solutions. Additionally, we will present our existing expert tools and NDC guidelines, especially, our newest module showcasing how progress and achievements of mitigation measures included in the NDCs can be measured and reported.

Preliminary Agenda



6 pm – get together



6:30 pm – 8 pm - presentations

Welcome Remarks

Sebastian Schnatz, German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection (BMUV)

Cool Contributions Fighting Climate Change: Tools and Guidance to integrate the cooling sector in your NDCs – and to measure mitigation measures

Irene Papst, HEAT GmbH

Panel on practical insights into strategies to cool your country’s NDC

Leslie Smith, National Ozone Officer, Grenada

Jacqueline Caancan, Director and Assistant Secretary for Environment in the Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Philippines

Q & A

All

Conclusions and Closing Remarks

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