

18. REGIONAL AGREEMENT ON ACCESS TO INFORMATION, PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND JUSTICE IN ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Escazú, 4 March 2018

NOT YET IN FORCE: in accordance with article 22(1), the present Agreement shall enter into force on the ninetieth day after the date of deposit of the eleventh instrument of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession.

STATUS: Signatories: 23. Parties: 9.

TEXT: C.N.195.2018.TREATIES-XXVII.18 of 9 April 2018 (Opening for signature) and C.N.196.2018.TREATIES-XXVII.18 of 9 April 2018 (Issuance of Certified True Copies).

Note: The Agreement was adopted on 4 March 2018 at the ninth meeting of the negotiating committee of the regional agreement on access to information, participation and justice in environmental matters in Latin America and the Caribbean held in Escazú, Costa Rica, from 28 February to 4 March 2018. It shall be open for signature at United Nations Headquarters in New York from 27 September 2018 to 26 September 2020 by any of the countries of Latin America and the Caribbean included in annex 1 of the Agreement.

<i>Participant</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Ratification, Acceptance(A), Approval(AA), Accession(a)</i>
Antigua and Barbuda.....	27 Sep 2018	4 Mar 2020
Argentina	27 Sep 2018	
Belize	24 Sep 2020	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of).....	2 Nov 2018	26 Sep 2019
Brazil	27 Sep 2018	
Colombia	11 Dec 2019	
Costa Rica.....	27 Sep 2018	
Dominican Republic	27 Sep 2018	
Ecuador	27 Sep 2018	21 May 2020
Grenada.....	26 Sep 2019	
Guatemala.....	27 Sep 2018	
Guyana.....	27 Sep 2018	18 Apr 2019
Haiti	27 Sep 2018	
Jamaica	26 Sep 2019	
Mexico	27 Sep 2018	
Nicaragua.....	27 Sep 2019	9 Mar 2020
Panama.....	27 Sep 2018	10 Mar 2020
Paraguay	28 Sep 2018	
Peru.....	27 Sep 2018	
St. Kitts and Nevis	26 Sep 2019	26 Sep 2019
St. Lucia.....	27 Sep 2018	
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	12 Jul 2019	26 Sep 2019
Uruguay	27 Sep 2018	26 Sep 2019

