SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN COSTA RICA: A SHARED VISION

Voluntary National Review
Costa Rica: key facts

Area: 51,100
Population: 4,87 million
GDP: $49,62 billion
GNI per capita (PPP): $13,570
Life expectancy: 80 years
Literacy rate: 96.3%
Poverty: 20.5%
Unemployment: 9.1%
Basic public services coverage: 92.4%
Health services coverage: 94%
Human Development Index: 0.776 - 66 global, 9 in LAC
Democracy: 196 years of independence
Renewable energies: 250 days in 2016
Art. 50 The State shall seek the greatest welfare for all inhabitants of the country, organising and promoting production and the most appropriate distribution of wealth.

Every person has the right to a healthy and ecologically balanced environment, being therefore entitled to denounce any acts that infringe said right and to claim redress for the damaged caused.

The State shall guarantee, defend and preserve that right.

Costa Rica’s Political Constitution of the Republic
SDG’s National Pact
SDG’s National Governance
Integrated Development Approach
END POVERTY IN ALL OF ITS FORMS EVERYWHERE
SDG#2 ZERO HUNGER
SDG #3 ENSURE HEALTHY LIVES AND PROMOTE WELLBEING FOR ALL AT ALL AGES
SDG#5 GENDER EQUALITY
SDG#9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE
SDG #14: LIFE BELOW WATER
NEXT STEPS

1. Establish National Targets for SDGs
2. Strengthen SDG’s capacity building processes with public servants, private sector and civil society
3. Build a National SDGs Action Plan
4. Put into practice the monitoring and evaluation SDG’s Strategy