

# Latin America & Caribbean Environmental Diplomacy: Key Cross-Border Initiatives

Environment · Answer Key · 8 Questions

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**1. What is the primary objective of the RELAC (Renewables in Latin America and the Caribbean) initiative, established in 2019?**

- A) To triple renewable energy generation in the region by 2030.
- B) To achieve at least 70% renewable energy participation in the region's electricity matrix by 2030.**
- C) To establish a common regional carbon market for renewable energy.
- D) To phase out fossil fuels entirely in Latin America and the Caribbean by 2035.

**2. The Cartagena Convention is a legally binding regional agreement for the protection and development of which environmental area?**

- A) The Amazon Rainforest
- B) The Andes Mountains
- C) The Wider Caribbean Sea**
- D) The Mesoamerican Biological Corridor

**3. Which of the following international agreements, signed by Central American countries, aims to promote peace, democracy, and environmental protection through a regional biological corridor system?**

- A) The Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework
- B) The Central American Alliance for Sustainable Development (ALIDES)**
- C) The Escazú Agreement
- D) The Belem Declaration

**4. The LEAF Coalition, an initiative involving governments and major international companies, aims to reduce emissions from deforestation. Which major rainforest region has recently seen new agreements under this coalition?**

- A) The Congo Rainforest
- B) The Daintree Rainforest
- C) The Amazon Rainforest**
- D) The Borneo Rainforest

**5. The 'Great Forests of Mesoamerica' program, supported by the European Union, encompasses several countries. Which of these is NOT part of this program's geographical scope?**

- A) Guatemala
- B) Nicaragua
- C) Costa Rica
- D) Bolivia**

**6. What is a key focus of the 'Belem Declaration,' signed by leaders of Amazon Cooperation Treaty Organization countries?**

- A) Establishing a unified regional currency for Amazonian nations.
- B) Strengthening regional integration to combat deforestation and environmental crimes.**
- C) Creating a joint space exploration program.
- D) Developing a common agricultural policy to increase food exports.

**7. The European Union's 'Global Gateway Investment Agenda' (GGIA) for Latin America and the Caribbean has a central pillar focused on what type of transition, with a significant financial commitment announced in July 2023?**

- A) Digital and Industrial Transition
- B) Fair Green and Digital Transition**
- C) Social and Economic Equity Transition
- D) Energy Security and Independence Transition

**8. The 'Nemo's Clause,' an example of contractual provisions for coral reef protection, is associated with which type of insurance designed for rapid response to weather events?**

- A) Life Insurance
- B) Property Insurance
- C) Parametric Insurance**
- D) Health Insurance