

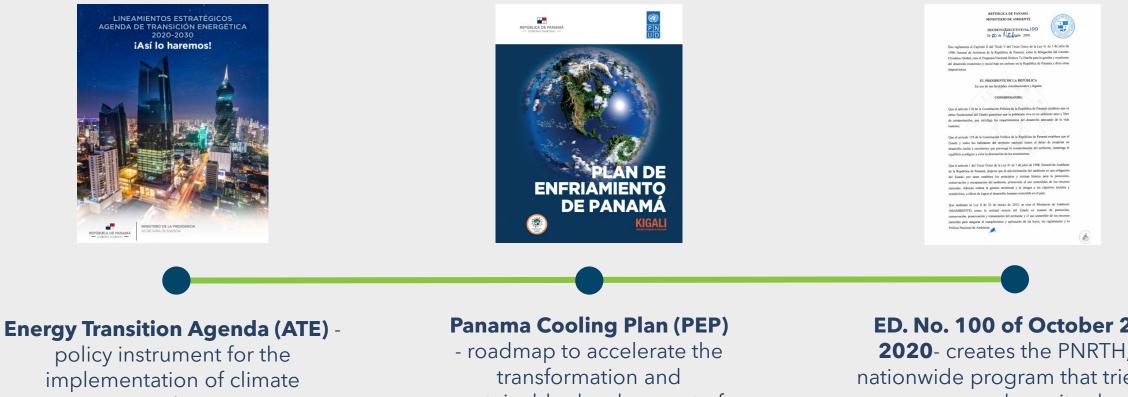


# Panama's Readiness Support Plan (RSP)

Country approach

#### **Country climate policy context**

Panama does not have a compiled plan to achieve the transition to low-emission development, however, it has prioritized some individual tools that are expected to strengthen the country's climate change agenda and reinforce its commitment to reduce its GHG emissions.



commitments in the energy sector, the most relevant sector in terms of emissions at the national level  roadmap to accelerate the transformation and sustainable development of the refrigeration and air conditioning sector ED. No. 100 of October 20, 2020- creates the PNRTH, a nationwide program that tries to manage and monitor lowcarbon economic and social development

#### **Country climate policy context**

ED. No. 100 of October 20, 2020 (initiatives)

Sustainable GHG Inventory System (SSINGEI) National Emissions Registry (ReNE) National Actions Registry (ReNA)

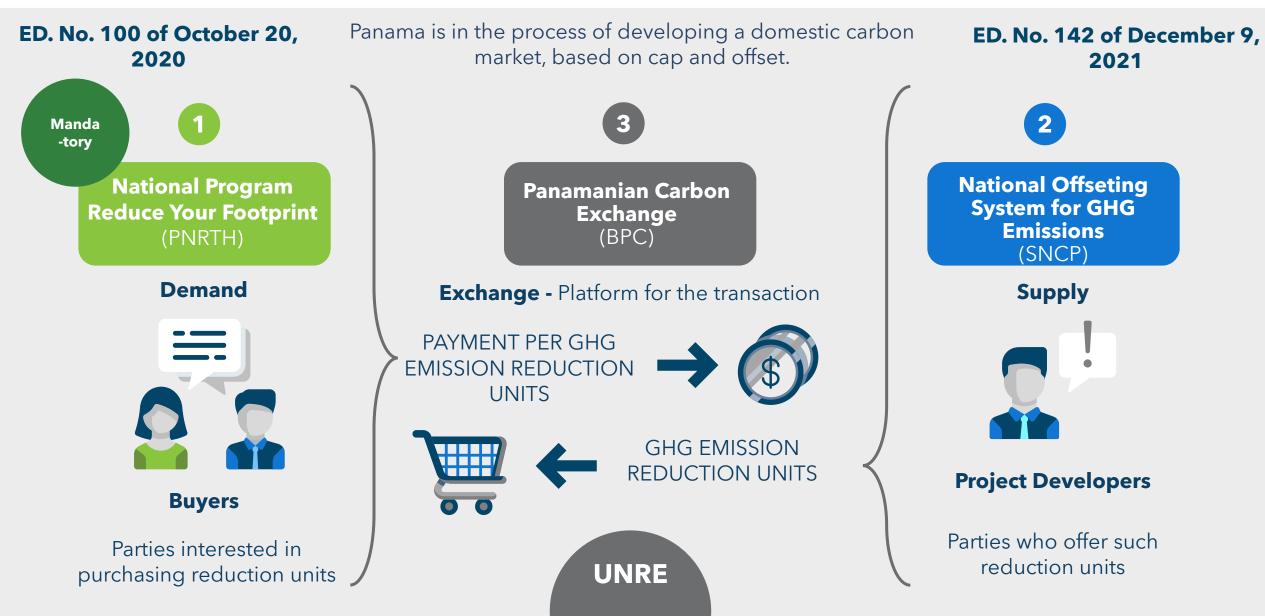
National Means of Implementation Registry (ReNMI) NDC and Low Carbon Development Strategy tracking system

Art. 50 Panama's National Carbon Market



tries to facilitate the Measurement, Reporting and Verification system for all climate initiatives included under the PNRTH

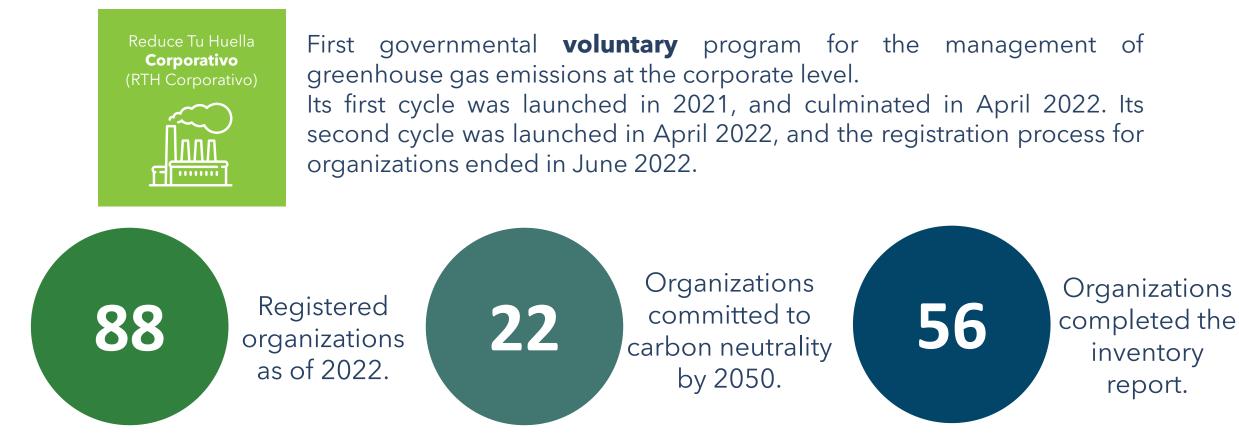
#### **Carbon Pricing and carbon markets landscape**



## **PNRTH - Demand**

#### Component #1 - National GHG Management Programs (RTH)

Allow the generation and collection of information related to GHG emissions reported to MiAMBIENTE at different leves.

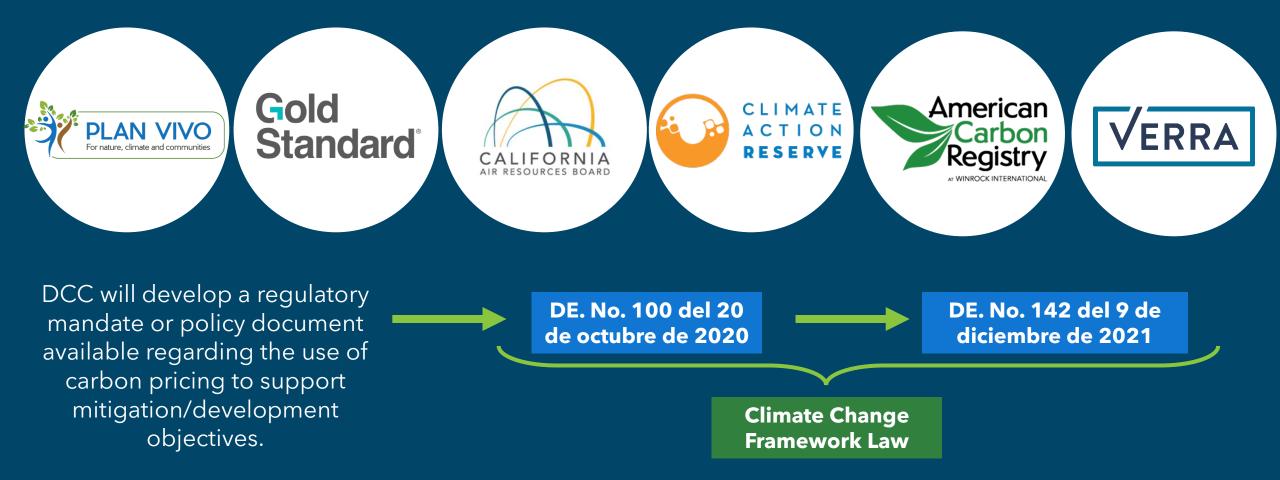


The program has a step-by-step approach, and participating organizations are expected to go through it until they achieve their offset or neutralization goal.

## National Offset System - Supply

Component #2

Discussions with international registries, including the development of cooperation agreements (MoU) to formally establish an exchange of technical expertise to support the system development.



## **Role of the PMI**

It is expected that the PMI will provide the country with the support needed to advance in the implementation of instruments addressed through the PMR, such as the analysis of CPI options and the design of the country's MRV system, focusing mainly on the energy sector, as the sector with the largest number of emissions at the national level, and the forestry sector, the only sector with removal capacity.

(1) The implementation of the Energy Transition Agenda (ATE)

(2) The implementation of the National Reduce your Footprint Program (PNRTH)

(3) The development of the components of the National Carbon Market of Panama (MNCP)

(4) Technical and legal assistance to address emissions from international transport, capacity development for the implementation of CPI, and the development and execution of an holistic communication strategy.



### General PMI outline: Summary of where are the planning focus for the PMI support and expected outcome

#### Sections

#1 - Country Context

#### **Activities**

Description of national circumstances

#2 - Carbon pricing in the country's development mix

#3 - Political commitment, capacity and supporting structures for CP

#### #4 - Design options for a CPI

#5 - Cross-cutting activities: enabling environment for CP and markets

#6 - Project implementation arrangements and work program summary Projection of emissions and impacts, international transport and the Green Hydrogen Roadmap.

Strengthening the SSINGEI, transition of RTH C-C, EE certificate program, National Vehicle's Emissions Registration Program

Scope of the Market, offset registry, and functioning of the BPC.

Communications strategy, identification of potential costumers for the BPC.

Project Implementation Unit Program (arrangements organization, coordination for implementation of support plan).

#### Outcomes

Analysis of the applicability of the Market.

First steps for the implementation of the GH2 Roadmap.

RTH and SSINGEI strengthened (IPPU and waste)

EE certificates program pilot

Implementation plan for National Vehicle's emissions registration program

ED for long-term Market operation

Offset projects registry functioning

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