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# **Status of CSLF Strategic Plan Implementation**

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## Strategic Plan approved by Ministers in October 2009 had eleven Action Plans:

1. G8 Recommendations
2. Technology Roadmap
3. Incentives Registry
4. Developing Country Financing
5. Bridging the Financial Gap
6. Capacity Planning
7. Capacity Building Academic Link
8. Communications
9. Stakeholder Engagement
10. International Collaboration
11. Promotion of CCS at Climate Change Negotiations



## Action Plan 1: G8 Recommendations

- Lead: Canada
- Purpose: Deliver report with IEA to G8 Summit in June 2010, that describes the progress on commitments made in 2008.
- Progress: Report was delivered to G8, as described by IEA.



## Action Plan 2: Technology Roadmap

- Lead: Norway
- Purpose: Identify unmet research needs.
- Progress:
  - 2010 CSLF Technology Roadmap update completed.
  - Roadmap expanded by comparing technology gaps to projects and identifying unmet research needs.
  - Technical Group Chair will report in Joint Meeting.



## Action Plan 3: Incentives Registry

- Lead: CSLF Secretariat
- Purpose: Provide searchable database that provides current information on types of incentives available to CCS projects.
- Progress: Incentives registry updated as of August 2010, as reported earlier by the Secretariat.

<http://www.cslforum.org/incentivesregistry/IncentivesRegistry.xls>



## Action Plan 4: Developing Country Financing

- Lead: India/Asian Development Bank (ADB)
- Purpose: Develop a report on financing of CCS projects in developing countries.
- Progress: ADB has completed a report on financing CCS projects in developing countries.



## Action Plan 5: Bridging the Financial Gap

- Lead: IEA/GCCSI/CSLF Secretariat
- Purpose: Identify and evaluate policies that governments can use to promote and to facilitate private investment in CCS.
- Progress: Report presented earlier by Task Force Chair.



## Action Plan: 6 Capacity Building

- Lead: Saudi Arabia
- Purpose: Implement the Capacity Building Plan approved in Berlin in 2005.
- Progress: Report presented earlier by Task Force Chair.





## Action Plan 7: Capacity Building Academic Link

- Lead: Brazil
- Purpose: Provide clear links among academic institutions of CSLF Member countries with the intent of identifying academic CCS programs and the developments of curricula for graduate and post-graduate programs.
- Progress: Report to be presented in Joint Meeting.



## Action Plan 8: Communications

- Lead: United States
- Purpose: Raise the visibility of the CSLF and engage key stakeholders and audiences with timely information.
- Progress: Report presented earlier by Task Force Chair.



## Action Plan 9: Stakeholder Engagement

- Lead: CSLF Secretariat/Policy Group
- Purpose: The CSLF to more effectively engage and draw upon the expertise of stakeholders.
- Progress:
  - 285 Stakeholders are currently registered with the CSLF.
  - GCCSI will keep an ongoing calendar of CCS-related events.



## Action Plan 10: International Collaboration

- Lead: CSLF Secretariat
- Purpose: Establish a formal, long-term working relationship with the IEA and GCCSI.
- Progress:
  - Ongoing relationships and communications established.
  - Collaborative agreements reached.
  - Collaboration with other international organizations also established (World Bank, ADB, MEF).



## Action Plan 11: Promotion of CCS at Climate Change Negotiations

- Lead: CSLF Secretariat
- Purpose: Support members in advocating the inclusion of CCS in the post-Kyoto framework for climate change, in particular, in preparation for the Copenhagen meeting.
- Progress:
  - Statement included in October 2009 CSLF Ministerial Communiqué.
  - No further requests for support received.



## Conclusions

- Considerable progress has been made on achieving goals of the updated CSLF Strategic Plan.
- We are essentially on track.
- Work continues in each area.