AG/RES. 2816 (XLIV-O/14)
ADVANCING HEMISPHERIC INITIATIVES ON INTEGRAL DEVELOPMENT
(Adopted at the second plenary session, held on June 4, 2014)

Inter-American Meeting of Ministers and High-level Authorities on Sustainable Development


CONSIDERING that resolution AG/RES. 1440 (XXVI-O/96) notes the importance of sustainable development as a conceptual framework in which the OAS should work, both as a forum for concerted action and for technical cooperation;

RECALLING the Declaration of Santo Domingo for the Sustainable Development of the Americas, adopted in the Dominican Republic in 2010, which extended the Inter-American Program for Sustainable Development (PIDS) through the 2010-2014 period; and

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT the commitments assumed in resolution 66/288, “The future we want,” adopted by the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, and the present global process to define sustainable development goals and the Post-2015 Development Agenda,

RESOLVES:

12. To extend the mandate of the Inter-American Program for Sustainable Development (PIDS) through December 31, 2015.

13. To accept with pleasure the offer of the Government of the Republic of Honduras to host the Third Inter-American Meeting of Ministers and High-Level Authorities on Sustainable Development in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, on October 22 and 23, 2015; to instruct the Inter-American Council for Integral Development (CIDI) to convene it and allocate the appropriate resources; and to urge the highest authorities on sustainable development of member states to participate.

14. To request CIDI to convene the Inter-American Committee on Sustainable Development (CIDS) at OAS headquarters on October 22 and 23, 2014, and allocate the appropriate resources to hold it, so that said Committee may begin the preparations for holding the Third Inter-American Meeting of Ministers and High-Level Authorities on Sustainable Development and initiate the review and update of the PIDS. Also, to instruct SEDI to provide the necessary support for this process as a whole.