

**Election Advisory** 

Position	Current	Nomination Procedures	Nomination Submittal
Parliamentary Network on Climate			
President	Javier Ortega Member of the Chamber of Deputies, Panama	Position not available for election	
Vice-President for the sub- region of North America	Vacant	Parliamentarians who wish to submit their candidacy for the position are asked to complete Form A	
Vice-President for the sub- region of Central America	Vacant	Parliamentarians who wish to submit their candidacy for the position are asked to complete Form B	Completed forms must be submitted to the International Secretariat of ParlAmericas c/o Jose Di Bella by
Vice-President for the sub- region of the Caribbean	Vacant	Parliamentarians who wish to submit their candidacy for the position are asked to complete Form C	email (jose.dibella@parlamericas.org) or
Vice-President for the sub- region of South America	Vacant	Parliamentarians who wish to submit their candidacy for the position are asked to complete Form D	

## Explanatory notes about the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas

The Executive Committee of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change will be composed of a President and four Vice-Presidents (one for each sub-region listed below) that will be individually elected for a **two (2) year** period, with the opportunity for re-election.

- North America: Canada, Mexico and United States
- Central America: Belize, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and Panama
- *Caribbean:* Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas, Barbados, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and Trinidad and Tobago
- South America: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Guyana, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Uruguay and Venezuela

The President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas is also the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President of the Board of Directors of ParlAmericas.

The elections will take place at the Gatherings of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change. The parliamentary delegation from each country in attendance od the gathering may vote for the President and each of the sub-regional Vice-Presidents.

Parliamentarians wishing to submit their candidacy must be active members of their respective national legislatures and cannot simultaneously hold office as a Cabinet minister in the executive branch of her/his government.

For additional information, please consult the <u>Parliamentary Network on Climate Change – ParlAmericas</u> regulations.

According to RESOLUTION BDM34-03, ratified at the 11<sup>th</sup> Plenary Assembly, parliaments will need to remain current with their membership payments to run for and retain an elected position within the organization. To submit a nomination, the 2016 membership payment must have been received.

## FORM A: Vice-President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas for the sub-region of North America

PART A (to be completed by the nominee)				
I,, indicate my willingness to serve in the position of Vice-President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change of ParlAmericas, and, should I be elected, pledge to commit the time and effort required to carry out the duties and responsibilities of this position.				
Nominee's signature	Date			
PART B (to be completed by the Speaker of Parliament)				
I hereby nominate	of			
I hereby nominate	(country)			
Name of the Speaker of the Parliament	of			
Name of the Speaker of the Parliament	(country)			
Signature of the Speaker of the Parliament	Date			
FORM B: Vice-President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas for the sub-region of Central America  PART A (to be completed by the nominee)  I,				
Nominee's signature	Date			
PART B (to be completed by the Speaker of Parliament)				
I hereby nominate (name)	of (country)			
Name of the Speaker of the Parliament	of (country)			
Signature of the Speaker of the Parliament	Date			

## FORM C: Vice-President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas for the sub-region of the Caribbean

PART A (to be completed by the nominee)				
I,, indicate my willingness to serve in the position of Vice-President of Parliamentary Network on Climate Change of ParlAmericas, and, should I be elected, pledge to commit the time and effort required to carry out the duties and responsibilities of this position.				
Nominee's signature	Date			
PART B (to be completed by the Speaker of Parliament)				
I hereby nominate	of			
(name)	(country)			
Name of the Speaker of the Parliament	of			
	(country)			
Signature of the Speaker of the Parliament	Date			
FORM D: Vice-President of the Parliamentary Network on Climate Change - ParlAmericas for the sub-region of South America  PART A (to be completed by the nominee)  I,, indicate my willingness to serve in the position of Vice-President of Parliamentary Network on Climate Change of ParlAmericas, and, should I be elected, pledge to commit the time and effort required to carry out the duties and responsibilities of this position.				
Nominee's signature	Oate			
PART B (to be completed by the Speaker of Parliament)				
I hereby nominate	of			
I hereby nominate	(country)			
Name of the Speaker of the Parliament	of (country)			
Signature of the Speaker of the Parliament	Date			