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THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN ENERGY LABELING PROJECT

Coordination meeting on PV and Energy Efficiency
training courses in Community Colleges

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Sir Arthur Lewis Community College, Castries, St. Lucia



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ECELP PROJECT SETUP

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■ Participating countries and sponsors:

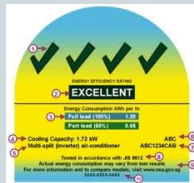
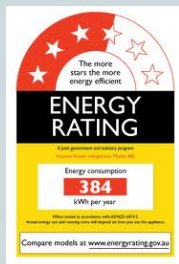
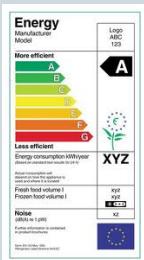
Participating countries:		Antigua & Barbuda	ECELP is financed by:	
		Commonwealth of Dominica		
		Grenada		
		Saint Kitts & Nevis		
		Saint Lucia		
		Saint Vincent & the Grenadines		

■ Timeframe: January 2012 – December 2013

ECELP OBJECTIVES

- Remove barriers for the use of energy-efficient household appliances
- Develop or adapt energy efficiency standards & labeling schemes for selected electrical household appliances

CONSUMERS CAN CHOOSE APPLIANCES WITH A VARYING DEGREE OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY



Category	Potential Energy Savings of best available technologies vs. low-efficient products
Air Conditioning Units	70%
Lighting	70% - 80%
Washing Machines	30%
Refrigerator/freezers	>50%
Televisions	80%

Source: TopTen EU/Spain

WHAT DOES ECELP DO TO PROMOTE EE STANDARDS AND LABELS?

Activity 1:

Analysis of the current Energy Labeling situation in the participating countries

- ✓ Data collection in low-income households about electrical appliances and energy efficiency awareness

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Activity 2:

Public education and awareness raising on energy efficiency standards and labels

- ✓ Development of posters and leaflets about
 - ✓ Energy efficiency standards and labels
 - ✓ Energy-efficient household appliances
 - ✓ Energy-efficient lights

Can be downloaded from www.ecelp.org



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Activity 3:

Support to national Bureaux of Standards

- Capacity building for BoS
- Support in the adaptation of energy efficiency standards
- Procure laboratory testing equipment for energy efficiency cross checks
- Foster co-operation with COPANT (pan-american equivalent of CROSQ)

WHAT DOES ECELP DO TO PROMOTE EE STANDARDS AND LABELS?

- ✓ Training of Trainers for energy labels:
 - ✓ Staff members of Bureau of Standards trained
 - BoS will conduct training for shop assistants of retailers of electrical appliances
 - Retail staff will better advise customers on energy efficiency criteria for their new appliances

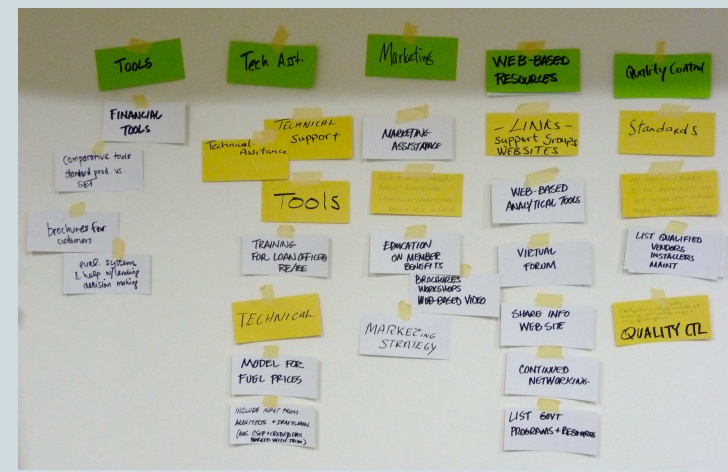
✓ accomplished ➤ future activity

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Activity 4:

Exploring financing options for energy-efficient appliances

- Workshop for credit unions and banks held in St. Lucia in November 2012



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Activity 5:

Legislative Advise

- ✓ Recommendation made for paragraph about energy labels in Dominica Consumer Protection Bill
- ✓ Recommendations regarding policy and legislative framework to promote energy efficiency standards and labels

**THANK YOU VERY MUCH
FOR YOUR ATTENTION**

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