

BAHAMAS

CASE STUDY OF A SUCCESSFUL NATIONAL ENERGY PROGRAMME/STRATEGY

1. The problem or issue addressed:

The Bahamas currently lacks a Sustainable Energy Policy.

2. Name of the programme:

3. Timeframe: 3 years Year started: 2006

4. Status: ☒ Ongoing ☐ Completed in year _____

5. Main objectives:

- **To develop and implement a National Energy Policy**
- _____
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6. Lead institution: **The Bahamas Environment, Science and Technology (BEST) Commission**

7. Other implementation arrangements and stakeholders involved (public, private, NGOs, CBOs, international support, etc.):

The Ministry of Trade and Industry, The Ministry of Tourism, and The Ministry of Transport and Aviation

8. The results achieved (if possible, please address the social, economic and environmental impacts of the programme):

A Drafting Committee was established in winter 2005.

9. The relationship of the programme to internationally agreed goals and targets:

Caribbean Renewable Energy Development Programme (CREDP) and the World Summit on Sustainable Development (WSSD)

Note: Kindly provide any appropriate facts, figures or charts that document the problem addressed and the results achieved. Noteworthy case studies may be published and/or summarized in UN publications as a means of sharing information on best practices.