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Multilateral Evaluation Mechanism

Proposed Mechanism for Recommendations from Deleted Indicators

One of the proposals made during the preparatory meeting of the Inter-Governmental Working Group (IWG) for further consideration of the IWG was:

“That the MEM Unit draft a proposal to establish a transition mechanism to address the question of follow-up on the implementation of recommendations that are linked to indicators that are eliminated. “

During the pre-IWG the need was identified for the development of such a mechanism, taking into account the fact that if the modifications to the Fourth Evaluation Round 2005-2006 questionnaire were accepted, some recommendations assigned during the first, second and third evaluation rounds would be affected. This is due to the fact that the proposed Questionnaire – analyzed at the ninth IWG meeting – includes the elimination of some indicators and questions within indicators, which are linked to recommendations already assigned to countries.

The IWG proposes the following transition mechanism:

- Once the Questionnaire of Indicators for the Fourth Evaluation Round is approved at the thirty-ninth regular session of CICAD, the MEM Unit prepares a list of recommendations linked to an indicator or question(s) eliminated and which have not been implemented during the past three evaluation rounds.
- The list, organized by thematic areas, should be presented to the respective heads of section within the CICAD Executive Secretariat or to the OAS Commission or Committee dealing with that particular theme.
- The respective heads of each area should contact countries which have been assigned these recommendations in order to carry out the appropriate follow-up.