ABOUT THIS SESSION

As attention turns to managing the economic fallout from COVID-19 and the roots of the pandemic to avoid future crises, national and global recovery plans will be instrumental for the future of our planet, especially in support of the green deal strategies announced by various Member States.

The recovery will bring diverse opportunities to accelerate the transition to a greener and more sustainable future. The European Green Deal, presented in December 2019 to achieve climate neutrality by 2050, is at the core of the European Union’s recovery plan from the COVID-19 pandemic. Korea took the COVID-19 crisis as an opportunity to invest in green and digital technology with its Green New Deal launched as part of the Korea New Deal in April 2020.

The Partnership for Action on Green Economy (PAGE) is an important tool in assisting its partners as they navigate the recovery, promoting inclusive green economy plans that will create jobs and prosperity while reducing pressures on the planet.

Further details are available at http://tiny.cc/GEN17Dec

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