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Official activities of the fourth meeting of the Forum of Latin American and Caribbean Countries on Sustainable Development: “Building back better from the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) while advancing the full implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”		
Monday, 7 March	Tuesday, 8 March	Wednesday, 9 March
8 a.m. – 12.20 p.m. (Costa Rica time, GMT-6)	8 a.m. – 2 p.m. (Costa Rica time, GMT-6)	8.30 a.m. – 2.05 p.m. (Costa Rica time, GMT-6)
Main room	Main room	Main room
8 – 8.45 a.m. Opening ceremony Statements: – Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) – Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations – Carlos Alvarado, President of the Republic of Costa Rica 8.45 – 8.50 a.m. Adoption of the agenda 8.50 – 9.10 a.m. Presentation of the document <i>A decade of action for a change of era. Fifth report on regional progress and challenges in relation to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Latin America and the Caribbean</i> , by the Executive Secretary of ECLAC 9.10 – 10 a.m. Comments 10 a.m. – noon Statements by ministers of foreign affairs and high-level authorities of the countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on regional progress and challenges in relation to the 2030 Agenda noon – 12.20 p.m. Closing and conclusions – Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC	8 – 9 a.m. Commemoration of International Women’s Day 9 – 10.30 a.m. Panel 1: From development in transition to development for action: towards renewed international development cooperation 10.30 – 11 a.m. Statements by delegations Room 2 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. Meeting of the Regional Collaborative Platform for Latin America and the Caribbean, chaired by Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations (closed meeting) 11 – 11.40 a.m. Panel 2: Statistical, quantitative and territorial monitoring of the Sustainable Development Goals 11.40 a.m. – noon Statements by delegations noon – 1.30 p.m. Panel 3: Natural disasters and the asymmetry of climate change in the Caribbean 1.30 – 2.15 p.m. Statements by delegations	8.30 – 10 a.m. Panel 5: Education and gender equality: human rights central to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development 10 – 10.45 a.m. Statements by delegations 10.45 – 11.45 a.m. Peer-learning session: Building back better from the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) while advancing the full implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development 11.45 a.m. – 12.45 p.m. Contribution of the United Nations sustainable development system in Latin America and the Caribbean – Presentation of the 2021 system-wide results report of the Regional Collaborative Platform for Latin America and the Caribbean 12.45 – 1.15 p.m. Statements by delegations Civil society declaration 1.15 – 1.35 p.m. Intergovernmentally agreed conclusions and recommendations of the fifth meeting of the Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development 1.35 – 2.05 p.m. Closing session – Rodolfo Solano Quirós, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica – Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC

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Lunch		
2.30 – 6.15 p.m.	3 – 6 p.m.	
<p>Room 2 3 – 5 p.m. Meeting of Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations, with resident coordinators of the United Nations system in Latin America and the Caribbean (closed meeting)</p> <p>2.30 – 2.45 p.m. High-level dialogue on an innovative financing agenda for recovery</p> <p>Presentation by Rodolfo Solano Quirós, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica</p> <p>2.45 – 3.45 p.m. Contributions to the innovative financing agenda for recovery: the perspective of regional and international development banks</p> <p>3.45 – 5.45 p.m. Interactive dialogue with ministers of foreign affairs and high-level authorities of Latin America and the Caribbean on the contributions of development banks to the innovative financing agenda for recovery and the achievement of the 2030 Agenda</p> <p>5.45 – 6 p.m. Statement by Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations</p> <p>6 – 6.15 p.m. Closing and conclusions – Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of ECLAC</p>	<p>3 – 4.30 p.m. Panel 4: Conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity for sustainable recovery: challenges and opportunities for Latin America and the Caribbean</p> <p>4.30 – 5.30 p.m. Statements by delegations</p> <p>4 – 6 p.m. Side event: Socio-environmental policy frameworks for a safe investment environment: the opportunities offered by the Escazú Agreement (hybrid)</p> <p>2.30 – 5 p.m. Side event: SDG Business Forum in Latin America and the Caribbean 2022 (hybrid)</p>	