

Publication of “Handbook for the Paris Rulebook”

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Fact sheet

■ Title: Handbook for the Paris Rulebook

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■ Published by: ROK Ministry of Environment/
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■ ACE relevance: Public Access to information



Effects of the publication

■ Increase public's access to the Paris Agreement, its details, and its significance

- Translation of Paris Agreement and its details into Korean has enhanced the public's understanding of the material

■ Increase public awareness, interest, and participation in climate change

- Spurred public's interest and participation in related policies such as establishment of the LT-LEDs and events such as the 2050 Low-carbon Society Vision Forum('20)

Obstacles that still exist...

■ Limits to how much information can be shared with the public

- The speed at which negotiations develop at times mean the public may not be able to receive as much information as it wishes when it wishes...

■ Inevitable entry barriers present to negotiations

- Jargons and technical terms may discourage public's access and interest; need to keep making efforts to explain things in general term.