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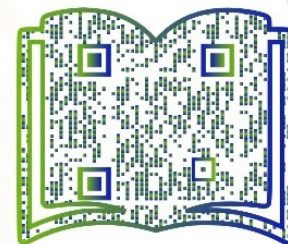
# ACCESS TO JUSTICE IN ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS



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ACCESS TO JUSTICE WITH THE GUARANTEES OF DUE PROCESS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF National Legislation



RIGHT TO CHALLENGE OR APPEAL WITH RESPECT TO SUBSTANCE OR PROCEDURE

ANY DECISION, ACTION OR OMISSION RELATED TO: THAT AFFECTS OR COULD AFFECT THE ENVIRONMENT ADVERSELY OR VIOLATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT

COMPETENT STATE ENTITIES WITH ACCESS TO EXPERTISE

EFFECTIVE, TIMELY, PUBLIC, TRANSPARENT AND IMPARTIAL PROCEDURES THAT ARE NOT PROHIBITIVELY EXPENSIVE

THE POSSIBILITY OF ORDERING PRECAUTIONARY AND INTERIM MEASURES

MEASURES TO FACILITATE THE PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE OF ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE (investigate what is the damage)

MECHANISMS TO EXECUTE AND ENFORCE JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DECISIONS

MECHANISMS FOR REDRESS, such as:
- Restitution to the condition prior to the damage
- Compensation or payment of a financial penalty
- Assistance for affected persons

ACCESS TO JUSTICE SHALL MEET THE NEEDS OF PERSONS OR GROUPS IN VULNERABLE SITUATIONS.

For example, by establishing support mechanisms, free technical and legal assistance

TO FACILITATE ACCESS TO JUSTICE

