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Dr. Hugh Sealy is Canadian by birth and Barbadian by descent. He obtained his Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical) from McGill University, Montreal, Canada. He completed a Master of Science in Environmental Pollution Science at Brunel University, Middlesex, U.K. and a Doctorate of Philosophy in Environmental Science at the University of Liverpool, U.K. He is the recipient of a Barbados Scholarship and a Commonwealth Scholarship.

Dr. Sealy is a consultant with over 25 years of experience as a project manager, a professional engineer, an environmental scientist and a university lecturer. He has managed development projects, particularly in relation to energy, water supply, wastewater treatment and integrated solid waste management and conducted numerous environmental studies throughout the Caribbean region.

He was the Chairman of the Barbados National Energy Policy Committee and the Chairman of the National Commission on Sustainable Development for the Government of Barbados. He was responsible for the development of the Barbados National Energy Policy and for monitoring the implementation of the National Sustainable Development Policy. He assisted in the development of national energy policies, which include low carbon development strategies, for Dominica and for Grenada. Dr. Sealy served as Energy and Sustainable Development Advisor to the Government of Grenada from 2008 – 2012.

In January 2008, Dr. Sealy was elected as a Member of the Executive Board of the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). Dr. Sealy served as one of two representatives for Latin America and the Caribbean until January 2011. In December 2011 Dr. Sealy was reelected to the Executive Board of the CDM to serve as the Member for the Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS). In January 2013, Dr. Sealy was elected as Vice Chair of the CDM Executive Board.

Currently, Dr. Sealy is a Professor in the Department of Public Health and Preventive Medicine in the School of Medicine at St. George's University in Grenada. Since 2007, Dr. Sealy has served as a senior negotiator for the AOSIS Climate Change Technical Negotiating Team at the Conferences of the Parties under the UNFCCC.