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New Database Provides Over Half a Million Global Environmental Policies.

SOLANA BEACH, CA, January 22, 2024 - The U.S. Green Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the publication of a groundbreaking resource for policymakers, researchers, and advocates around the world: the Global Environmental Policies Database.

The Global Environmental Policies Database contains over half a million policies from various sources, centralizing information and documentation on environmental legislation on an unprecedented scale.

"In these challenging times, we are thrilled to unveil this innovative free tool that has up-to-date information on environmental policies across the globe," stated Michelle Thatcher, CEO of the U.S. Green Chamber of Commerce. "We firmly believe it is a game changer in advancing evidence-based policy development and implementation."

It is a valuable tool for understanding, comparing, and analyzing environmental policies at the national, regional, and global levels. The database contains information about environmental legislation, regulations, and climate change initiatives. The policies it contains deal with subjects like biodiversity, air and water quality, sustainable development, pollution control, and trade.

"It was developed from the exhaustive research and utilization of resources provided by over 65 leading environmental organizations, agencies, and academic institutions," said Christabel Allotey, the director of the project. She added, "each of our sources possesses reputable policy trackers, archives, and databases. We extend our sincere gratitude to those whose efforts either directly or indirectly helped to create this database."

Key features of the Global Environmental Policies Database include:

- An intuitive interface allowing users to filter and search the database for information on specific countries or policy areas.
- Detailed summaries of environmental organizations, including types of policies and their scopes.
- Links to official documents, reports, and other resources for in-depth explorations of specific policies.

The database will be freely accessible to the public, with the goal of promoting transparency, knowledge sharing, and cross-border collaboration on environmental issues.

"We believe that publishing this database will empower stakeholders at all levels to engage in informed dialogue and action on environmental challenges," added Michelle Thatcher.

The Global Environmental Policies Database is now live and can be accessed here. For more information about the database or the work of the U.S.G.C.C., please visit U.S. Green Chamber of Commerce.

About the U.S. Green Chamber of Commerce

The U.S. Green Chamber of Commerce represents the voices of hundreds of thousands of small, mid-sized, and large American businesses and global corporations who understand that:

- Business success and sustainability go hand in hand.
- Shareholder value and social consciousness coexist side by side.
- Long-term profits, global leadership, and environmental stewardship are inseparable from one another.

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