

# CLIMATE NEUTRALITY

Webinar

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Embassy of  
the Republic of Poland  
in Stockholm

## Perspective of Poland, Hungary, Slovakia, Czech Republic and Sweden

Polish Presidency  
of the Visegrad Group  
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### INVITATION

The Embassy of the Republic of Poland in Stockholm would like to hereby invite to a webinar on the perspective of Poland, Hungary, Slovakia, Czech Republic and Sweden on climate neutrality objective, organized under the Polish Presidency of Visegrád Group (V4)

The objective of climate neutrality in 2050 is very likely to become a huge effort in decarbonizing not only energy sector, but also transport, agriculture, heating and cooling sector and also industry. V4 engagement is clear in striving for climate neutrality based on the roll-out of renewable energy sources and nuclear power. GHG reduction is the future,

however good balance should be found when setting the targets as to the pace and deadline of achieving this goal by each EU Member State in light of their different starting points and internal specificities. What is most critical, is that climate action should underpin just and socially balanced transformation.

#### PARTICIPANTS:

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## PROGRAM

- 10:00 Welcome word: Joanna Hofman, Ambassador of the Republic of Poland in Sweden
- 10:02 Opening speech: Adam Guibourgé-Czterwtyński, Deputy Minister of Climate, Republic of Poland
- 10:05 Presentations & Panel Discussion will be centered around three questions/topics:
- 1) starting point and historical background in each country as to the climate neutrality objective in 2050.
  - 2) main presumptions and objectives of energy and climate policy in each country.
  - 3) challenges that Poland, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia and Sweden must face and efforts they must take in order to accomplish ambitious goals of climate neutrality.
- 11:05 Q&A from the audience
- 11:25 Conclusions and closing

## INFO

- Time: November 4th 2020, 10.00-11.30
- Place: On-line. Webinar will be held via ZOOM. It is possible to attend via web browser.
- Registration: Please register by sending an e-mail at: [stockholm.emb.rsvp@msz.gov.pl](mailto:stockholm.emb.rsvp@msz.gov.pl)  
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