

Australia-US announces five new climate change projects

Australia and the United States will work together on five new projects to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from agriculture, accelerate the development of carbon storage technologies, and help Pacific Island countries adapt to climate change. Announcing the projects in Nairobi with the United States Under Secretary of State, Federal Minister for the Environment and Heritage Senator Ian Campbell said the projects would build on the extensive range of actions already being undertaken as part of the Australia-US Climate Action Partnership. "The projects demonstrate that Australia and the US are responding very practically to the challenge of climate change and are also providing support to developing countries in our region," Senator Campbell said.

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