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NDCs and Uruguay's Long -Term Climate Strategy are the reference frameworks for actions that contribute to the decarbonization of the economy from the energy sector. In 2017, Uruguay presented its first nationally determined contribution (NDC) with 20 targets for reducing emissions

Historically, energy has been a stronghold of state-owned companies, such as UTE and ANCAP. The National Directorate of Energy (Spanish: Dirección Nacional de Energía) is the main governmental body in charge of energy policies. The Global Economic Crisis of 2008 made many of the materials to produce renewable energy cheaper, therefore Uruguay decided it would be the best time to develop their clean energy sect...

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The latest report by Ocean Science & Technology, which measures innovation and the number of patents related to renewable energy projects, ranks Uruguay in eighth place worldwide. The study highlights that Uruguay has made significant progress in adopting renewable energies.

energy plan - the National Energy Policy 2005-2030 - with the overall objective to diversify the energy mix, reduce dependency from fossil fuels, improve energy efficiency, and increase the use of endogenous resources, mostly renewables. The plan sets a target of 50% primary energy from renewable energy sources by 2015.

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According to the Electricity Market Administration (ADME), clean energy in 2023 in Uruguay will come almost 95% from clean sources. In less than 10 years, Uruguay has significantly reduced greenhouse gas emissions and electricity costs without government subsidies and at no additional cost to consumers.

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A freedom of energy generation policy has encouraged significant investment from the private sector, and the government invests 3% of GDP in energy infrastructure. Uruguay is at the vanguard of energy policy in Latin America and the world and its successful model has been emulated by a number of other countries.

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