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**Second Steering Committee meeting  
of the EU Water Initiative National Water Policy Dialogue  
on integrated water resource management in Tajikistan**

**Date:** 18 October 2011, Tuesday

**Place:** “Kohi Vahdat” Conference Hall,  
107, Rudaki Avenue, Dushanbe, Republic of Tajikistan

**Languages:** English and Russian with simultaneous translation

**Provisional Agenda**

**09:15 Registration**

**10.00 – 10.40 Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda**

10.00 – 10.10 The meeting objectives and adoption of the meeting agenda –

*Rahmat Bobokalonov, Minister of Land Reclamation and Water Resources*

10.10 – 10.40 Opening statements

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*EU Delegation in Tajikistan Representative*

*Gulnara Roll, EU Water Initiative Coordinator at UNECE*

*FAO*

*Other international actors*

**10.40 – 11.30 Session One: Government of Tajikistan Water Sector Reform Strategy**

- Presentation of the draft Government of Tajikistan Water Sector Reform Strategy – *Sulton Rahimov, the First Deputy Minister of Land Reclamation and Water Resources*

- Comments to the draft strategy and proposals for Roadmap of NPD implementation based on the mapping of processes and stakeholders in IWRM in Tajikistan and identified gaps – *Mr. Leif Iversen, Grontmij/Carl Bro consultant; and Mr. Anvar Kamoliddinov, Tajikistan NPD IWRM National Expert*
- Comments by international experts – Nassim Jawad, Jelle,..

**11.30-12.00 Coffee Break**

**12.00 – 13.30 Session One (continues): Government of Tajikistan Water Sector Reform Strategy**

- Presentations by national experts – members of the expert group
- Comments by national stakeholders – representatives of other ministries and agencies
  - *E. Tuigunov, Senior Expert of the Ministry of Agriculture, and Member of the Steering Committee*
  - *N. Holnazarov, Head of the Electrical Energy Department, Ministry of Energy and Industry, and Member of the Steering Committee*
  - *A. Tagoimuradov, Director General, the State Unitary Agency "Khojagii Manziliu Kommunalii"*
- Discussion

**13.30 – 15.00 Lunch**

**15.00 – 16.30 Session Two: regional and transboundary water cooperation issues**

- UNECE presentation: outcomes of Astana Ministerial Conference “Environment for Europe”, EU Water Initiative new strategy, IFAS (regional cooperation), UNECE conventions, SPECA
- GIZ activities presentations (TJ – KG, ..)
- Cooperation with Afghanistan: planned projects (such as “Strengthening cooperation in transboundary water resource management between Afghanistan and Tajikistan in the upper Amu Darya River basin” by Hydromet with Bo Libert)

**16.30 – 17.00 Coffee break**



**17.00 – 18.00 Session Three: Cross-fertilization and coordination of technical assistance projects in water management in Tajikistan**

- EBRD's Integrated Approach to developing the municipal water supply sector in Tajikistan - *Ravshanak Khusein-Zade, Programme Manager for the EBRD's water projects in Tajikistan*
- SDC presentation
- Donors

**18.00 – 18.30 Conclusions**

Policy discussion on presented topics. The participants discuss next step of the planned reforms and activities under the NPD IWRM; decisions of the SC approved including a tentative date of the next SC meeting.

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**19.00** Participants are most welcome to a reception after the meeting