

“SEIS in practice and the way forward in the pan-European region”

EEA side event during UNECE/CEP meeting

Date: 23 October 2013, 13:15 – 14:45

Location: Salle XII

Interpretation available: English and Russian

Programme

13:15 Welcome and introduction into the objectives of the event (H. Bruyninckx)

13:25-14:00 Practical experiences in implementing SEIS and regular assessment across the pan-European region

To stimulate the debate representatives of the Republic of Moldova, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia will share their recent experiences and challenges in implementing SEIS and regular reporting at national level

14:00-14:30 Discussions on the ways to support the further development of SEIS at national level and ensure its sustainability as basis for informed decision-making process. Moderator (D. Stanners)

Building on the discussions held during the plenary session around SEIS, the current debate is focussing the attention on the countries and tries to further investigate the concrete benefits in applying SEIS principles for using the available information in the policy-making process

14:30-14:40 Brief summary and concluding remarks (H. Bruyninckx)

The event will be followed by a light lunch for the participants offered by EEA