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**Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda**

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**Provisional organization of work of the nineteenth session of the Committee on Environmental Policy (PN, meeting room XII)**

Date/Time	Item of the Agenda
<b>Tuesday, 22 October 2013</b>	
10–10.10 a.m.	1. Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda
10.10–10.20 a.m.	2. Election of officers
10.20–10.25	3. Outcomes of the work of the Bureau of the Committee on Environmental Policy
10.25–10.45 a.m.	4. Outcomes of the sixty-fifth session of the Economic Commission for Europe of relevance to the Committee on Environmental Policy
<i>Multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs) segment (agenda items 5 and 6(a); 10.45a.m.–1p.m.)</i>	
10.45 a.m.–noon	5. Multilateral environmental agreements: strengthening national implementation and compliance
<b>The “Environment for Europe” mid-term review</b>	
	6. The “Environment for Europe” mid-term review of the Astana Conference main outcomes:
noon–1 p.m.	(a) Multilateral environmental agreements <i>(plenary session and panel discussion)</i>
<i>Lunch break 1–3 p.m.</i>	
3–4.30 p.m.	(b) Astana Water Action <i>(panel discussion)</i>
4.30–6 p.m.	(c) Greening the economy <i>(panel discussion)</i>
<b>Wednesday, 23 October 2013</b>	
10–11 a.m.	(d) Environmental performance reviews <i>(plenary session)</i>
11–11.45 a.m.	(f) Work of the EAP Task Force and the Regional Environmental Centres <i>(plenary session)</i>
11.45 a.m.–1 p.m.	(e) Environmental assessment and reporting <i>(plenary session)</i>
<i>Lunch break 1–3 p.m.; EEA side event on progress made and the way forward in developing the Shared Environmental Information System in the pan-European region (1.15–2.45 p.m.)</i>	
3–3.45 p.m.	(g) Main findings of the review <i>(plenary session)</i>
3.45–5 p.m.	7. The Eighth “Environment for Europe” Ministerial Conference
5–5.30 p.m.	14. Other business (presentation by Sweden of the Climate and Clean Air Coalition to Reduce Short-lived Climate Pollutants (CCAC) Initiative)

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5.30–6 p.m.	12. Rules of procedure
<b>Thursday, 24 October 2013</b>	
	8. Environmental Performance Review Programme:
10–11.30 a.m.	(a) Second Environmental Performance Review of Croatia
11.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	(b) Third Environmental Performance Review of the Republic of Moldova
<i>Lunch break 1–3 p.m.;</i> <i>UNEP side event on the First Session of the United Nations Environment Assembly of UNEP (1.15–2.45 p.m.)</i>	
	8. Environmental Performance Review Programme ( <i>cont'd</i> ):
3–4.30 p.m.	(c) Environmental Performance Review of Morocco
4.30–5 p.m.	9. Environmental monitoring, assessment and reporting
	10. Cross-sectoral activities:
5–5.20 p.m.	(a) Education for sustainable development
5.20–5.40 p.m.	(b) Transport, Health and Environment Pan-European Programme
5.40–6 p.m.	(c) Environment and security
<b>Friday, 25 October 2013</b>	
	10. Cross-sectoral activities ( <i>cont'd</i> ):
10–10.30 a.m.	(d) European Environment and Health process
10.30–10.50 a.m.	(e) Green building
	11. Programme of work:
10.50–11.10 a.m.	(a) Review of programme performance in the biennium 2012–2013
11.10 a.m.–11.30 a.m.	(b) Work for the biennium 2014–2015
11.30–11.50 a.m.	(c) Publications for the biennium 2014–2015
11.50 a.m.–12.30 p.m.	(d) Resource requirements and criteria for financial support
12.30–12.50 p.m.	(f) Mainstreaming gender perspective into environmental activities
12.50–1 p.m.	13. Calendar of meetings
<i>Lunch break 1–3 p.m.;</i> <i>UNEP side event on UNEP's engagement in defining the post-2015 agenda and future Sustainable Development Goals, as well as updating on the implementation, by UNEP, of the 10 Years Framework of Programmes for Sustainable Consumption and Production (1.15–2.45 p.m.)</i>	
3–3.15	14. Other business ( <i>cont'd</i> )
3.15–4 p.m.	15. Closure of the meeting