

**Draft agenda of the joint session of
EMEP Steering Body and Working Group on Effects,
sale XII, 15.00 – 18.00, 19 September 2012**

Issues relevant for the EMEP Steering Body and the Working Group on Effects	
15.00-15.10	Introduction by the Chair of EMEP SB – objectives of the joint session
15.10-15.25	<p>Presentation by Mr. Mark Sutton and Oene Oenema – Co-Chairs of the Task Force on Reactive Nitrogen: Developing an integrated approach for Reactive Nitrogen.</p> <p>The co-chairs of the TFRN will present an overview of the recent activities and future challenges. It will highlight how TFRN provides technical information in support of negotiations by WGSR, linking information from other parts of the convention and other sources. The talk will highlight key messages from the European Nitrogen Assessment, addressing multiple Nr threats, costs-benefit analysis, Gothenburg Protocol options for ammonia and nitrogen budgets, and the developing dialogue on N mitigation and societal food choices.</p>
15.25-15.40	Discussion
15.40-15.55	<p>Presentation by Mr. Terry Keating and Frank Dentener – Co-Chairs of the Task Force on Hemispheric Transport of Air Pollution: Assessing the Impacts of the Hemispheric Transport of Air Pollution.</p> <p>The Co-Chairs of the TF HTAP will describe some of the findings of the HTAP 2010 assessment on the health, ecosystem, and climate impacts of hemispheric transport. They will then discuss TF's plans for work in the 2012-2016 time frame and the impacts issues that the TF hopes to explore.</p>
15.55-16.10	Discussion
16.10-16.20	Presentation by Mr. Michael Schulz (MSC-W) - Proposal for the change of the EMEP grid – implications for the emissions and effects-oriented work
16.20-16.30	Discussion
16.30-16.50	COFFEE BREAK
16.50-17.00	<i>Presentation by a representative(s) of the WGE – to be elaborated</i>
17.00-17.15	Joint EMEP and WGE work – joint reports, brochures and other publications, joint website(s), unified graphical tools (GIS?). Introduction by the Chairs of EMEP SB and WGE - to enhance the visibility of scientific work under the Convention.
17.15-17.45	Discussion
17.45-18.00	Conclusions and recommendations