

*10th Conference of Parties to the
UN ECE Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents
Geneva, 4-6 Dec 2018*

**Agenda item 17:
Outreach, awareness-raising and strategic
partnerships**

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Outreach, strategic partnerships

Informal cooperation of the representatives of MEAs
(aarhus, water, EIA, air, industrial accidents, CEP)
governing bodies

GRAF

European platform for Disaster Risk Reduction

Outreach, strategic partnerships – UN ECE MEAs -1

Informal cooperation of the representatives of MEAs governing bodies

Meetings (Jan 2017, Nov 2017)

Topics of discussion:

1. Follow-up to 8th Environment for Europe Ministerial Conference
2. Efforts to define role of MEAs in the implementation of SDGs

Engage further in commonly promoting linkages

Outreach, strategic partnerships – UN ECE MEAs -2

Topics of discussion -cont:

3. Information sharing on broadening the scope of MEAs beyond UN ECE region

Different situation

4. Joint activities

Continue to explore further cooperation opportunities and work to exploit synergies, build on the linkages

5. Challenges and opportunities to implementation and ratification of MEAs, focus on Central Asia

Raise public and political awareness about the benefits

Joint effort of all MEAs, UNECE management, external partners (EU delegations, ...)

Information on activities under TEIA to support SDGs provided to 22nd meeting of UN ECE Committee on Environmental Policies

Outreach, strategic partnerships – GRAF

Response to call for EoI for the membership in the GRAF Expert Group

Perspective of industrial accidents

Perspective of regional treaty, national administrative body

Follow-up to Expert Group

Outreach, strategic partnerships – European Platform on Disaster Risk
Reduction 2018, Rome, 22-23 Dec 2018

*Regular meeting of UN ECE countries to review progress in
implementing Sendai Framework goals*

Session on Man-made and Technological Risks

Sendai community – industrial accidents community

All –hazard approach

Climate change, NaTech

Relevance of industrial accidents' risks to be enhanced

Awareness of Sendai community of the existence of support facilities