





Practical application of SEA to the solid waste management sector of Armenia

Workshop 1: SEA scoping and baseline analysis

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SEA: Scoping Report

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Why Scoping Report?

- Provides preliminary analysis of environmental and health conditions in the concerned area
- Identifies the key issues to be further addressed in SEA
- Outlines approach to further analysis
- Documents preliminary SEA recommendations
- Suggests early inputs into the planning process
- Facilitates consultations with stakeholders (including the public)
- Presents a basis for preparation of the SEA Report







Proposed structure of Scoping report (1/4)

1. Introduction

- Background information on EaP GREEN and SEA pilot
- Purpose of Scoping report
- Approach to scoping

2. Main features of the SWM Strategic Development Plan of Armenia

- Structure and content
- Main objectives and priorities, responsibilities
- Implementation and linkages to other planning and decision-making schemes









Proposed structure of Scoping report (2/4)

3. Preliminary baseline analysis

- Brief description of the situation, past trends and driving forces behind the trends per each relevant aspect/topic
- Highlight of main problems and concerns per topic
- Overview of sensitive areas or hotspots relevant for a given topic

4. Preliminary policy (objectives-led) analysis

- Relevant strategic documents
- Environmental and health policy objectives for relevant aspects/topics
- Analysis of potential synergies and conflicts between relevant environmental and health objectives and main priorities of the SWM Strategic Development Plan





Proposed structure of Scoping report (3/4)

5. Proposed scope of SEA

- Initial identification of the priority issues to be addressed in SEA (incl. a scoping matrix)
- Preliminary information about magnitude of likely effects
- Transboundary effects, if any

6. Initial recommendations:

Suggestions on what should be addressed in the Plan including indication of potential mitigation measures

7. Stakeholder analysis and consultation plan









Proposed structure of Scoping report (4/4)

8. Further steps

- Outline of further SEA process main stages
- Methodology for further baseline analysis and impact assessment
- Information gaps

References

Annexes

- Overview of consultations and integration of inputs received
- Detailed data and information



Questions or comments?

Thank you for your attention





