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**The Fifteenth Steering Committee Meeting of the National Policy Dialogue
on Integrated Water Resources Management in Kyrgyzstan**

9 December, 2016, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan

Venue: “Evropa Hotel”, 70 Ibraimova Street, Bishkek

The aim of the meeting: The meeting participants invited to discuss on-going and future activities under the EUWI NPD

AGENDA

09.00-9.20	Registration of participants
09.20- 09.40	<p>Opening. Adoption of the agenda</p> <p><i>Chair – Mr. Esen Zhusumatov, Deputy Director, Department of Water Management and Melioration of the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Melioration of the Kyrgyz Republic</i></p> <p><i>Welcome remarks:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Ms. Mia Dubois Boussaid, EU Delegation to the Kyrgyz Republic</i> • <i>Mr. Peep Mardiste, UN Economic Commission for Europe</i> • <i>Mr. Alexandre Martoussevitch, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)</i> <p><i>Introduction of the objectives, agenda and meeting participants</i></p>
09.40-10.40	<p>Session 1: Activities in the context of the Protocol on Water and Health in Kyrgyzstan</p> <p><i>Introductory information - Mr. Harsha Ratnaweera, UNECE expert</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Revision of targets in the context of the Protocol on Water and Health. Ms. Bubujan Arykbaeva, Ministry of Health</i> • <i>Proposals for the action plan for the implementation of the targets. Mr. Kirill Valentini, UNECE consultant</i> • <i>Integrating Protocol targets with national strategy for sustainable development Mr. Azamat Dikambaev, Director of the Institute for Strategic Studies</i> <p>Questions and answers</p>

	Discussion
10.40-11.10	Coffee break
11.10-13.00	<p>Session 2: Developing national indicators of water security, energy security and food security in Kyrgyzstan (under the FinWaterWEI II programme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction and overview of the project – <i>Ms. Kanykei Orozbaeva, National Statistical Committee; Mr. Alexandre Martoussevitch, OECD</i> • Components and elements of food security and the status of development of indicators – <i>Ms. Galina Samokhleb, National Statistical Committee</i> • Components and elements of energy security and the status of development of indicators – <i>Ms. Valentina Kasymova, Institute of Energy and Economy</i> <p>Questions and answers Discussion</p>
13.00-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.30	<p>Session 3: Coordination of partners' activities to better address country needs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation of FinWaterWEI II programme in Kyrgyzstan – <i>Ms. Saija Vuola, Mr. Ari Mäkelä, Mr. Anssi Karppinen, Finnish Environmental Institute</i> • GEF project “Enabling Transboundary Cooperation and Integrated Water Resources Management in the Chu and Talas River Basins” - <i>Mr. Talaibek Makeev, UNDP</i> • Project “Enhancing climate resilience and adaptive capacity in the transboundary Chu-Talas basin” - <i>Mr. Peep Mardiste, UNECE</i> • The World Bank project National Water Resources Management – <i>Mr. Georg Petersen, Mr. David Milton, Mr. Azamat Karypov</i> • CAREC projects in water sector. - <i>Mr. Meder Seitkasymov</i> <p>Questions and answers Discussion</p>
15.30-16.00	<p>Conclusions of the Steering Committee meeting and decisions on future activities <i>Chair – Mr. Esen Zhusumatov</i></p>
16.00	Cocktail