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Agenda of the Joint Meeting

1. The third Steering Committee meeting of the project:

Implementation of targets under the Protocol on Water and Health in the Republic of Moldova

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2. The annual EUWI National Policy Dialogue meeting

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Date: 22 May, 2014

Time: 09:00 – 15:00

Location: Centru de conferinte "SUMMIT" - str. Teghina 49/3, sala Rosie, Chisinau

Thursday, 22 May, 2014	
08.45 –09.00	Registration
09.00 - 09.30	<p>Opening and welcoming statements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Georghe Salaru, Minister, Ministry of Environment - Mr. Andrei Usatii, Minister, Ministry of Health - Georgette Bruchez, Director of Cooperation, Swiss Cooperation Office - Pierre Studer, Chair, Bureau of the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol on Water and Health - EC representative - Alexander Martusevich, OECD/EAP Task Force - Alisher Mamadzhonov, UNECE (overview of the meeting)
Session 1	<p>Progress in the development of the Action Plan towards implementation of the national targets under the Protocol on Water and Health</p>
09.30 –10.40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Presentation of the draft document of the program and Action Plan and plans for its further development, including the resource mobilization strategy, Valeriu Gonciar, Ministry of Health, and Tamara Guvir, national expert</i> ○ <i>Discussion on the need to update the national targets and target dates set under the Protocol on Water and Health in 2010, Mihaly Kadar, UNECE consultant</i> ○ <i>Discussion by the Steering Committee on the Action Plan and its further development</i> <p>Q&A</p>

10:40 - 11:00	Coffee break
Session 2	OECD led session on the Economic and Financial aspects of Water Resources Management
11:00 –11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>A review of domestic financial support mechanisms for water supply and sanitation in Moldova - presentation of a new project to inform the NPD on Water Policy in Moldova, Alexander Martusevich, OECD/EAP Task Force</i> ○ <i>Q&A followed by discussion</i> ○ <i>Information about the next annual EUWI WG meeting (Geneva, June 2014), Alexander Martusevich, OECD/EAP Task Force</i> <p>Q&A</p>
Session 3	Clearing House mechanism and awareness raising activities
11:45– 12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Implementation of the Protocol on Water and Health and health promotion and information activities under the Clearing House: outcomes so far and plans for 2014, Ion Salaru, Deputy Director, National Centre for Public Health, and Tatiana Siniaeva, NGO Eco-TIRAS</i> <p>Q&A</p>
12:15 - 13:15	Lunch
Session 5	Training of water operators and elaboration of norms and standards for small-scale water supplies and sanitation
13:15 –14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Planning of activities under training of water operators and elaboration of norms and standards for small-scale water supplies and sanitation outputs, Florin Iliescu, International Water Association, and Alisher Mamadzhanov, UNECE</i> ○ <i>Discussion on the priorities for the Republic of Moldova and coordination with other ongoing initiatives</i> <p>Q&A</p>
14:00-15:00	<p>Other updates, decisions and way forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Updates on recently adopted legislation related to water and sanitation, Serafima Tronza, Ministry of Environment;</i> ○ <i>Presentation of the work plan of the project under all its outputs until the end of 2014, Alisher Mamadzhanov;</i> ○ <i>Decisions by the Steering Committee and closure of the meeting</i>