



Ministry of the Environment
of the Czech Republic



WORKSHOP
NAP ALIGNMENT AND UNCCD FINANCING
IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE (CEE)
PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC
7 – 10 JUNE, 2010

AGENDA

DAY 1	
SESSION 0: OPENING AND INTRODUCTION TO WORKSHOP	
08:30 – 09:30	Registration of Participants
09:30 – 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Official Opening
10:00 – 10:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Presentation of Participants▪ Review of the main outcomes from Brno Workshop▪ Presentation of the agenda and objectives
10:50 – 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
SESSION 1: NAP ALIGNMENT	
11:00 – 12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why alignment of NAPs▪ Guidelines for NAP alignment – objectives and structure
12:15 – 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ NAP alignment and the performance and impact indicators▪ Coherence with the UNCCD reporting guidelines
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Lunch break</i>
14:00 – 15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ The role of the IFS in NAP alignment▪ Importance of an integrated approach to resource mobilization▪ Example of key elements to be included in an aligned NAP
15:00 – 15:20	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:20 – 16:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Presentation of a draft NAP of Belarus
16:30 – 17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Evaluation of Day 1
19:00 - 20:30	Cocktails for all participants

Day 2	
SESSION 1 (continued)	
09:00 - 09:15	Recap of Day 1
09:15 – 10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analysis of the draft NAP of Belarus ▪ Lessons learned
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
11 :00 – 11:45	Working group Session (including introduction): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Development of next steps for the NAP alignment process at country level
11 :45 – 12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reporting back from working groups
12:30 - 13:15	<i>Lunch break</i>
SESSION 2: PUTTING SLM ON THE NATIONAL AGENDA	
13:15 – 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction and examples of mainstreaming SLM/UNCCD ▪ Demonstrating the socio-economic cost of inaction
14:00 – 15:30	Working group Session (including introduction): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Elaboration of a list of actions for raising the profile of SLM, including: budget cycles; policy processes; and communications and media awareness
15:30 - 16:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reporting back from working groups
16:15 – 16:35	<i>Coffee break</i>
SESSION 3: STRATEGIC RESOURCE MOBILIZATION	
16:35 – 17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The GEF 5th Replenishment: how to mobilize resources for SLM
17:30 – 17:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Evaluation of Day 2

Day 3	
SESSION 3 (continued)	
09:00 – 09:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recap of Day 2
09:15 – 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ODA and private funding opportunities: exploring a range of financing options ▪ EC strategies and priorities in the CEE region
09.45- 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Knowledge exchange on ongoing and potential engagement of multilateral, bilateral donors and private sector in the CEE (sub)region(s)
10.30- 10:50	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:50 – 11:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ How to mobilise resources strategically and effectively ▪ How to write a successful project proposal (including a concrete example from EC and GEF)
11:50 – 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Working group session: Developing concrete actions for successfully engaging with funders and resource mobilisation
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Lunch break</i>
SESSION 4: ACTION PLANNING	
14:00 – 14:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Country-specific action plans: an overview of factors to consider when planning ahead
14:15– 16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Development of country-specific action plans <i>(Including coffee break)</i>
16:00 – 17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation of selected action plans
17:00 – 17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Conclusions of the meeting
17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Closure of the workshop
Day 4	
Field trip to visit an area of revitalization on a former coal-mining site	