

Fourth Meeting of the OECD DAC/EPOC Water Task Team

Draft Agenda

14-15 October 2008

OECD Conference Centre, Paris

Tuesday, 14 October

PART I. TASK TEAM'S WORK PROGRAMME

14:00-14:30	<p>Meeting opening - The Task Team and the OECD</p> <p>The Chair will welcome participants, remind them about the objectives and working methods of the Task Team, and present the objectives and agenda for the Fourth Meeting.</p> <p>The Secretariat will remind participants of the framework under which the Task Team operates (follow up to the 2006 OECD Development and Environment Ministers Meeting) and the linkages of the Task Team's work with other water-related work at the OECD (e.g., Horizontal Work Programme/GFSD in December 2008).</p> <p>The Secretariat will also inform participants about the scope and requirements for making the output of the Task Team into DAC Guidance.</p>
14:30-15:30	<p>Progress in implementing the Task Team's work programme</p> <p>Relevant meeting participants and the Secretariat will report on progress in implementing the Task Team's work programme (pilot cases: Egypt, Lesotho, Mauritania, EUWI FWG and others).</p>
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
PART II. REVIEWING THE FINANCING STRATEGIES REPORT	
16:00-16:30	<p>Introduction and overview of report</p> <p>The Secretariat will present the overview of the report, including outline of the Financing Strategies report as agreed at the third meeting and subsequent changes, and introduce the working methods for the working sessions.</p>
16:30-18:00	<p>Review of the Financing Strategies report – Chapters 1 & 2</p> <p>The Secretariat will introduce Chapters 1 & 2 and participants will discuss the content.</p>
18:00	Adjourn
20:00	No-host dinner starting at 20:00 (optional attendance)

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PART II. REVIEWING THE FINANCING STRATEGIES REPORT (CONT'D)	
9:00-10:30	<p>Review of the Financing Strategies report – Chapters 3 & 4</p> <p>The Secretariat will introduce Chapters 3 & 4 and participants will discuss the content.</p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-12:30	<p>Discussion on Executive Summary</p> <p>Discuss key messages to be highlighted in the Executive Summary, emerging from the discussions.</p>
12:30-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-15:30	<p>Communication and dissemination plans</p> <p>This session will discuss the report title, communication and dissemination strategy, including presentations of the report at an OECD Global Forum on Sustainable Development event on 1-2 December 2008 and at the 5th World Water Forum in Istanbul in March 2008.</p>
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
PART III. MOVING FORWARD	
16:00-17:15	<p>Looking ahead</p> <p>Discuss sessions regarding OECD's work on water and possible future role of the Task Team.</p>
17:15-17:30	<p>Closing</p> <p>Meeting participants will be invited to fill the standard OECD evaluation form. The Chair will close the meeting.</p>
17:30	Adjourn