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ORGANISATIONS UNDER THE SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES OF THE EECCA ENVIRONMENT
STRATEGY**

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ACTION REQUIRED:

Delegates are invited to:

- (i) take note of the activities and work-sharing arrangements between Facilitating and Cooperating Organisations*
- (ii) discuss how synergies between Facilitating organisations could best be exploited and overlaps avoided, and*
- (iii) agree to integrate this document into the EECCA Environment Strategy Partnership database*

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OBJECTIVE 1 : IMPROVE ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION, POLICIES AND INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Environmental Standards	UNDP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNDP Moldova – Moldovan Ministry of Environment project “Support for Convergence with EU Water Quality Standards in Moldova” to be launched in 2006. 	Analysis and recommendations for reforming water quality standards	UNDP funding of 100,000 EUR available. Further donor co-financing is solicited.	The development of the project is facilitated by the EAP Task Force.
	CAREC in partnership with CSPC ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support to reforming environmental standards in Kazakhstan 			
Environmental Permitting	EAP TF/ Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A project to implement the recently developed “Integrated Permitting (IP) Guidelines for EECCA”. It includes case studies on the transition to integrated permitting in Ukraine, Kyrgyzstan and Georgia and training on integrated permitting for permitting officials and experts in 3 sub-regions: Western EECCA, Central Asia and Caucasus. 	Roadmaps for implementing integrated permitting in Georgia, Kyrgyzstan and Ukraine Training package on Integrated Permitting for further use in the EECCA region	Total budget available for 2005-2006 approx. 150K EUR.	

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	World Bank	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support to reform of environmental permitting in Ukraine 	<p>Recommendations for reform of environmental permitting</p> <p>Institutional changes to manage IP</p> <p>Pilot application of integrated permits.</p>		This project is implemented in co-operation with the EAP Task Force and Sweden.
	CAREC in partnership with CSPC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption of Integrated Pollution Prevention Control (IPPC) and Best Available Techniques (BAT) in Kazakhstan 			
Environmental Impact Assessment	EECCA RECs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNDP and REC Regional Project – Strategic Environmental Assessment – Promotion and Capacity Development in Moldova, Armenia, Belarus, Georgia and Ukraine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National and regional needs assessment reviews for capacity building for the UNECE SEA Protocol implementation • National capacity building manuals for SEA Protocol implementation (Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine) • SEA pilot projects lessons learned (Armenia and Belarus) • National strategies for the SEA Protocol implementation adopted by the respective ministries of environment 	251,125 USD (Partially spent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The project contributes to the implementation of the work plan adopted at the Third Meeting of the Parties to the UNECE Espoo Convention (June 2004); • The project is being implemented by UNDP and REC Szentendre (HQ).
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Strategic Enforcement	EAP TF/Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A project on enforcement instruments/non-compliance is carried out. Activities will focus on reforming compliance assurance institutions in EECCA region, increasing the effectiveness of enforcement instruments/non-compliance responses and building capacity for inspectors. Activities are being carried out at the national (Armenia, Georgia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia and Ukraine) and regional level in EECCA. 		Total budget available for 2005-2006 approx. 400K EUR	
	Russian REC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support for strengthening environmental compliance assurance in North-West Russia 			This project is implemented with the support from Germany.
	UNECE/UNEP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compliance of Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) 			
	UNEP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Green Customs” initiative to support raising environmental awareness of customs officers in the Caucasus region 			This project is implemented by UNEP Paris Office.
Building Court’s Litigation Capacity		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>no activities identified</i> 			
Compliance Promotion	EAP TF/Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Projects to promote the application of performance rating and information disclosure scheme as well as industrial self-monitoring are carried out in (Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russia and Ukraine. 	Methodological tools and analysis of the application of the tool at the national-sub national level	Total budget available for 2005-2006 approx. 70K EUR	
	UNECE/UNEP				
Pollution Charges	EAP TF/Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyses of the effectiveness and 	Case studies with	Total budget available	Currently no further

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		efficiency of economic instruments in environmental policy and options for reform have been carried out in Russia and Armenia.	recommendations	for 2003-2004 was approx. 100K EUR	funding is available for this work.
Natural Resources Taxes and Subsidies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>no activities identified</i> 			
Damage Compensation and Insurance		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>no activities identified</i> 			
Environmental Monitoring	UNECE/EEA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • see activities under Objective No 6.1 			
Second Generation of Environmental Planning	UNDP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • project proposal for the revision of the Georgian NEAP developed for donor funding 			
Mechanisms for Interagency Co-operation		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>no activities identified</i> 			
Institutional Capacity	EAP Task Force	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support to strengthen institutional capacity of the Georgian Environment Ministry through the Policy Dialogue 	Recommendations on institutional strengthening in areas of Human and financial resource management, communication and information management.	To be determined	This project is being discussed with Estonia, Germany, the Netherlands, the UK, EBRD, UNDP.

OBJECTIVE 2: POLLUTION PREVENTION**Sub-Objective No 2.1: Urban Air Pollution**

Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Review of the current System of Air Quality Assessment and Control	WHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Air Quality and Health in Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia – WHO workshop, St Petersburg, 13-14 Oct 2003, 11 EECCA countries 	Meeting report	completed	http://www.euro.who.int/document/E82809.pdf http://www.euro.who.int/document/e82809r.pdf
	UNECE				
Optimisation of Air Quality Standards	WHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health basis for air quality management in Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia, WHO Consultation Meeting, Moscow, 30-31 May 2005, 11 EECCA countries 	Meeting report	25,000 USD	In preparation, will be available through http://www.euro.who.int/air/activities/20050419_4
Development of effective System of air quality assessment	WHO				
	UNDP (GEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNDP (GEF) Implementation of Refrigerants Management Plan Initiating early phase-out of methyl bromide through awareness raising, policy development, training and demonstration activities in Moldova 		173 495 USD 8 250 USD	
Introduction of new Standards for Products	UNEP (GEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNEP (GEF) Training Programme control and monitoring of CFC and equipment with CFC 		21 500 USD	
Implementation of BAT and Best Practices	UNEP (GEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNEP (GEF) Training Programme on good practice in refrigeration 		38 000 USD	

Sub-Objective No 2.2: Municipal Water Supply and Sanitation					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Improvement of Institutional and Regulatory Framework	EAP TF/Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EAPTF/Guidelines for Performance Based Contracts in EECCA Joint OECD/World Bank roundtables on private sector participation in the WSS sector Meetings of the Group of Senior Officials for Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Reforms in EECCA Harnessing local financial and capital markets to finance environmental infrastructures. <i>Russian Federation, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, China</i> Promotion of performance benchmarking in EECCA water utilities 	Guidebook Proceedings and studies Three meetings of the group since 2001 Country case studies Data base of utility performance indicators for about 400 utilities in 9 EECCA countries	100 K EUR 300K EUR 200K EUR 250K EUR	www.oecd.org/env/water
	World Bank				
	UNDP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moldova: Convergence with EU Water Quality Standards project (under development) National IWRM and Water Efficiency Plan for Kazakhstan 	Policy reform / national guidelines Policy reform & national action plan	1.2 M EUR	

	WHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WHO/ Project in Tajikistan on legislative reform • WHO/ Project in Turkmenistan on drinking water quality control laboratory upgrading 			
Financial Viability of Utilities	World Bank				
	EBRD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial viability checked on all projects. Aggregated value of investment in WSS in region developed since 2003 	Signed (approved) WSS projects , total project cost, Georgia, Russia, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan	60.3M EUR	www.ebrd.com
	ADB (corporate development plans)				
	EAP TF/Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of a financial planning tool for water utilities and its implementation in Kyrgyzstan and Armenia 	Computer tool and manual Two training workshops	300K EUR	www.oecd.org/env/water
	PPC (capacity building and project preparation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development and distribution of Good Practice documents • Development of Project Financing Workshop 	Public Services Agreement model Paper on Good Practice in Project Preparation Project Financing Workshop	20KEUR 85K EUR (for pilot) 50K EUR (for 3 further workshops)	www.ppcenvironment.org
Access of the Poor to the Water Services	World Bank				
	ADB				
	UNDP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water for Srebrenica Project • Crimea Integration and Development Programme 	Action Plan, capacity building Pilot project on community access to WSS	600K EUR n/a	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency Rehabilitation of Rural Water Supply Systems in Khatlon and Sughd Regions of Tajikistan 	Safe access to drinking water for rural population.	450K EUR	
	EAP TF/Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of social assessments in the framework of Financing Strategies in Georgia and Armenia • Analysing the situation in the rural water supply and sanitation sector of EECCA. 	<p>Report on Armenia and Georgia and workshops in Yerevan and Tbilisi to present these results</p> <p>Country case studies for Moldova and Kyrgyzstan</p>	<p>100K EUR</p> <p>25K EUR</p>	www.oecd.org/env/water
Measures related to Safeguard Public Health	UNICEF				
	WHO				
Protect Environment/integrated municipal water systems	World Bank				
	ADB				
	EBRD (investment projects including rehabilitation and construction of WWT facilities)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aggregated value of investment in EECCA in WWT developed since 2003 	Projects signed (approved), Russia	279.2 MEUR	
	EAPTF/Water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financing strategies for urban water supply and/or sanitation in <i>Armenia, and Georgia</i> • Implementation of the strategy and its articulation to the budgetary process. In <i>Armenia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • reports (investment plans) • report (investment plan) 	<p>200K EUR</p> <p>300K EUR</p>	

Sub-Objective No 2.3 :Waste and Chemicals Management					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Inter-sectoral Waste Management Action Plans					
Reform of Hazardous Waste Policy Instruments					
Capacity Building for Environmentally Sound Management of Hazardous Waste	UNEP Basel Secretariat/ Basel Convention Regional Centre in Bratislava, Slovakia (BCRC-Slovakia)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional workshop for the preparation of a regional approach for the environmentally sound management(ESM) of POPs as wastes in selected Central and Eastern European countries including Armenia and Ukraine from EECCA region.. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommendations for a regional approach for the ESM of POPs waste Recommendations on how to undertake national inventories of POPs waste National strategies for the elimination of POPs waste First investigations on which technologies are available and could be chosen for the environmentally sound transport, storage and destruction of POPs waste, taken into consideration cost-effectiveness Increased policy-awareness of the POPs waste issue in the region 	68,061 USD Completed	<p>Other selected CEE countries include: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, and the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia</p> <p>Secretariats of the Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions, the World Bank, UNIDO, UNDP, FAO, IHPA of industries offering technologies for the ESM of POPs wastes</p> <p>Report available at: http://www.basel.int/stratplan/</p>
Integrated Systems of Monitoring of Waste Transfers	UNEP Basel Secretariat/ Basel Convention Regional Centres in Moscow, Russian Federation (BCRC-Russian Federation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation of a review on the existing national and international legislation on monitoring and control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their environmentally sound management for EECCA countries/ Azerbaijan, Armenia, Georgia, Belarus, 	Improved legislation on monitoring and control of transboundary movement of hazardous wastes and their environmentally sound management in EECCA countries.	43,219 USD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two expert meetings held (April and September 2004) Review on the existing national and international 	Project carried out by the BCRC Russian Federation

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		Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine		legislation on monitoring and control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes for EECCA countries is completed.	
CP/Waste Prevention and Minimisation	UNEP DTIE/ UNEP Basel Secretariat/ Basel Convention Regional Centre in Bratislava, Slovakia (BCRC-Slovakia)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementation of Waste Minimization – Cleaner Production (CP) Project in selected CCE including Belarus, Russian Federation and Ukraine from the EECCA region. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional workshop on capacity development in Cleaner Production (CP) for officials from the Ministries, Environmental Agencies & Inspectorates and Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) supporting CP Strategies in several industries of the BCRC Bratislava region in order to realise the goal of waste minimisation. Awareness-raising about environmental impacts and the importance of a preventive approach and environmental policies on the enterprise level Capacity-building in evaluation of CP implementation strategies and the corresponding tools. 	33,173 USD Completed	<p>Carried out by the BCRC-Slovakia in close co-operation with the Slovak Cleaner Production Centre (SCPC).</p> <p>Other CEE countries participating in the project are Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, the former Yugoslavian Republic of Macedonia, Poland, Republic of Serbia and Montenegro, Romania, Slovak Republic and Slovenia.</p> <p>Report available at: http://www.basel.int/stratplan</p>
Efficient Programmes for Waste Management and Chemical Risks	World Bank (GEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WB/GEF/ Project on Preparation of Sustainable Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) Stockpiles in Moldova 		330K USD	

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	<p>World Bank (GEF), UNIDO, UNEP Secretariat of the Basel Convention</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of a regional action plan on reduction and elimination of PCB wastes and PCB-containing equipment in selected CEE countries including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus and Moldova. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Reduced risk of exposure to PCBs for humans and the environment through sound management of PCB containing materials and equipment Promotion of early action on ESM of PCB wastes. Strengthened capacity in the countries and the region: human, institutional, and financial resources; infrastructure for the ESM of PCB wastes Demonstrated benefits through strategic cooperation between IGO and national stakeholders: Basel, Stockholm, Rotterdam Convention, UNIDO, UNDP, WB, private companies 	<p>Up to 200K USD for preparation of project</p> <p>Under preparation</p>	<p>Secretariat of the Basel Convention (sbc@unep.ch)</p> <p>Other CEE countries involved in the project Albania, Bulgaria, FYR Macedonia and Romania.</p>
	<p>UNEP Chemicals</p>				

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	UNEP Basel Secretariat/ Basel Convention Regional Centre in Bratislava, Slovakia (BCRC-Slovakia)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshop on the strengthening cooperation between the chemical and hazardous wastes conventions/ Austria, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To identify and discuss common issues of the Basel, Stockholm and Rotterdam Conventions and Montreal Protocol to strengthen the co-operation among the NFPs and other stakeholders involved in the process of implementation and enforcement of Conventions in the participating countries. To use the workshop as a model for other CEE countries; To publish the outcomes of the workshop and distribute them to other CEE countries and propose a way of how to strengthen effective co-operation between representatives in the participating countries. 	40 843 USD Completed	Carried out by the BCRC-Slovakia in collaboration with the Ministry of the Environment of the Czech Republic Report available at: http://www.basel.int/stratplan/
Harmonised System for categorisation of Chemicals/ PRTRs					
Harmonised System of the Classification and Harmonisation of Chemicals	UNEP Chemicals				
Prevention of Illegal trafficking of Hazardous Chemicals and Wastes/ Transboundary Movements	UNEP Basel Secretariat				

OBJECTIVE 3: NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT					
Sub-Objective No.3.1. IWRM					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Development and Implementation of IWRM	UNECE / UNEP Global Programme of Action (GPA)				
	UNDP				
	World Bank				
	GEF				
	Global Water Partnership				
Development and Implementation of bilateral/multilateral agreements on the river basin principles	UNECE-OSCE	See objective 7			
	UNDP				
	OSCE				
	World Bank				
	GEF				
Promotion of Transboundary agreements for river basins and regional seas	UNECE / UNEP Global Programme of Action (GPA)				
	UNEP/ROE (for the Black Sea and the Caspian Sea)				
	UNDP				
	OSCE				
	World Bank				
	GEF				

Establishment and strengthening of river basin management bodies	UNECE				
	UNDP				
	OSCE				
	World Bank				
	GEF				
Monitoring and early warning programmes	UNECE				
	Global International Waters Assessment (GIWA)				
	GEF				
Inventory of objects/bodies of transboundary water management	UNECE				
	FAO				
Inventory of transboundary pollution sources	GEF				

Sub-Objective No 3.2: Biodiversity and Ecosystems Protection					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Integration of biodiversity aspects into national development plans	UNEP/PEBLDS				
Setting rates of charges for use of biological resources					
Efficient mechanisms for assessment biodiversity damages and relevant compensation					
Introduction of mandatory Accounting for impacts on Biodiversity in IEA					
Implementation of National Biodiversity Conservation Strategies	UNEP/PEBLDS				
	World Bank(GEF)	WB/GEF Biodiversity Conservation in the Lower Dniester Delta Ecosystem		390K USD (GEF) 417K USD (other sources)	
Establishment of National biodiversity inter-agency commissions					
Funds for Biodiversity Conservation/ Environmental Networks	World Bank	WB Project on Creation of the Ecological Network in the of Prutul-de - Mijloc basin in Moldova		25K USD	
	UNEP/PEBLDS (Biodiversity services)				
Attainment of Key Targets of Kiev Resolution on Biodiversity	UNEP/PEBLDS				

OBJECTIVE 4: SECTORAL INTEGRATION					
Sub-Objective No 4.1. Overall Sectoral Integration					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Development of Inter-ministerial Coordination Mechanism	UNDP in partnership with REC for CEE (Strategic EA)				
Capacity Development in Environment and other Ministries	UNDP in partnership with REC for CEE (Strategic EA)				
	UNEP	UNDP/GEF/Project on National Self-assessment of Capacity Building Needs for Global Environmental Management ” in Moldova		200 K USD	
Application of appropriate Policy Instruments	UNDP in partnership with REC for CEE (Strategic EA)				

Sub-Objective No 4.2 :Energy Sector					
Integration of energy efficiency concerns into environmental and sectoral policies	UNECE				
	IEA/OECD				
	WB				
	EBRD				
	RECs				
	UNEP				
	UNDP (GEF)	UNDP/GEF Project in Moldova on Energy Efficiency in Buildings UNDP/GEF Capacity Building for Improving the Quality of Greenhouse Gas Inventories (Europe/CIS region)			975K USD 2 313 K USD (cost of the regional project)
Removing energy price subsidies	UNECE				
	IEA/OECD				
	Energy Charter (EC)				
Cost-effective energy efficiency in use of flexible mechanisms of JI and Clean Development Mechanism	UNDP				
	GEF				
	UNEP				
	UNECE				
	UNF				
	FFEM				
	RECs				

Participation of Stakeholders in identifying and implementing energy efficiency projects and policies	WB				
	EBRD				
	UNDP				
	UNEP				
	UNECE				
	FFEM				
	UNF				
Mobilization of Domestic and Foreign Investments	WB				
	EBRD				
	GEF				
	UNDP				
	UNECE				
Application and Use of cleaner fuels	GEF				
	WB				
	EBRD				
	UNECE				
	UNEP (Partnership for clean fuels and vehicles)/RECs				
Strengthening Environmental Management Capacities in energy and Infrastructure sectors	UNDP				
	GEF				
	UNEP Collaborating Centre on Energy				
	UN Development Account				

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	UNECE				
Programmes for transfer of technology and renewable sources of energy	IEA/OECD				
	UNDP				
	GEF				
	UNIDO				
	UNESCO				
	EBRD				
	UNEP Collaborating Centre on Energy				

Sub-Objective No 4.3: Transport Sector					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Development and Implementation of National Transport Strategies for SD	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clearing House on Transport, Environment and Health 	Dissemination of relevant national and international information and good practise in English and in Russian	Conceptual and pilot operation phases completed during 2004-2005 (appx. 250K USD). On-line as of October 2005: For maintenance and further development; costs of 1.5 project staff	
	ECMT				
Assessing Integration of Health and Environmental considerations into transport policies	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analysis of the integration of Environment and Health aspects into transport policies in the EECCA 	A project report prepared by a consultant	Implementation has not started yet (consultant fees required 20K USD)	
Incentives for Environmentally Sustainable Transport	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Sustainable and Healthy Urban Transport and Land-use planning The Clearing House (cf. above) Assessment of health costs of transport (cf. below) 	Exchange of good practises, capacity building and awareness rising through workshops and publications	In-kind contributions (2003-2004 organization of 2 workshops- together with ECMT) Required funds for further workshops 2005-2006: 26K-30K USD per workshop	
	ECMT				

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Establishment of inter-ministerial co-ordination mechanism	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practical guidance on institutional arrangements and mechanisms for integrated policy- and decision-making 	- Guidance on supportive institutional mechanisms for policy integration based on case study analyses, literature review, interviews, a workshop and including assessment of transferability.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consultant fees covered by ECE and WHO Extra-budgetary support (In-kind) from Germany for organization of a workshop 	
	ECMT				
(Assessing and)Monitoring the environmental and health impact of transport policies	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transport related health impacts and their costs and benefits with particular focus on children 	<p>Tool-kit” for policy makers – on health and environment impact assessment of transport- to provide a common framework for and stimulate the assessments at the national level;</p> <p>(evidence of the Transport impacts, case studies, methodological tools to carry out the valuations)</p>	In-kind contributions (2003-2004: organization of 4 workshops, preparation of documentation)	
Modernisation of transportation facilities	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)				
	ECMT				
	World Bank				
	EBRD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Silk Road Project , Azerbaijan 	Road rehabilitation	Project value 39M EUR; EBRD loan 33M EUR; Signed July 2004; project under implementation	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Road Sector Restructuring - Atyrau-Aktau , Kazakhstan 	Road rehabilitation	Project value 205K EUR; EBRD loan 97M EUR; Signed Dec 2003; project under implementation	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Navigation Safety System in the Gulf of Finland, Russian Federation Road Sector Reform 2, Russian Federation 	<p>Upgrading of navigational equipment</p> <p>Construction of St Petersburg Bypass and Chita-Khabarovsk Road in Russian Far East</p>	<p>Project value 13M EUR EBRD loan 3M EUR; Signed Jan 2003; project under implementation</p> <p>Project value 336M EUR; EBRD loan 236M EUR; Signed July 2003; project</p>	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OOO Ark Shipping, Russian Federation • BTS, Russian Federation 	<p>Fleet upgrading</p> <p>Supply of rail tankers</p>	<p>under implementation</p> <p>Project value 15M EUR; EBRD loan 10M EUR; Signed Nov 2004; project under implementation</p> <p>Project value 47M EUR; EBRD loan 16M EUR; Signed Dec 2004; project under implementation</p>	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TSA Fleet Upgrade, Tajikistan 	Upgrading of aircraft fleet	Project value 6M EUR; EBRD loan 4M EUR; Signed July 2005; project under implementation	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ukrichflot III, Ukraine 	Upgrading of shipping fleet	Project value 28M EUR; EBRD loan 17M EUR; Signed April 2003; project under implementation.	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ukraine Railways: Fast Passenger Trains Project, Ukraine • Ukraine Second Project “Kiev-Chop” Road Rehabilitation, Ukraine 	<p>Procurement of passenger coaches to replace night services with daytime services</p> <p>Road rehabilitation</p>	<p>Project value 118M EUR; EBRD loan 65M EUR; Signed Aug 2004; project under implementation.</p> <p>Project value 138M EUR; EBRD loan 100M EUR; Signed Feb 2005; project under implementation</p>	
Promotion of Investments into the Transport Sector and Infrastructure	THE PEP (UNECE, WHO)				
	ECMT				
	World Bank				
	EBRD	Investment in the transport sector and infrastructure promoted through on-going dialogue with the government and the financing of specific projects.			

Sub-Objective No 4.4: Agriculture					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Development of comprehensive land-use planning	UNDP (GEF)	UNDP/GEF Project on Integrated and Sustainable Land Management through Community Based Approach PDF A		35K USD	
Facilitating Production of Environmentally Clean Food					
Rehabilitation of affected land areas associated with programmes for combating desertification					
Implement soil-protection/land rehabilitation					
Development of local plant and animal species and their gene pools					
GMOs	UNEP	Development of the National Biosafety Framework for the Republic of Moldova			
Improving Monitoring systems/assessment of agricultural environmental impacts	World Bank (GEF)	Enabling Activities Related to the implementation of the Stockholm Convention Regarding the Persistent Organic Pollutants in the Republic of Moldova		411 500 USD	
Reduction of adverse impacts of agricultural waste	World Bank (GEF)	Agricultural pollution control project		10 450 000 USD	

Objective No 4.5: Forestry					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Reforestation projects					
Protection of forests from overlogging, illegal cutting, forest fires					
Restoration of system of regular forest management					
Development of environment-friendly technologies for reforestation and timber processing					

OBJECTIVE 5: FINANCIAL RESOURCE MOBILISATION AND ALLOCATION

Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Improvement of information support for effective environmental financing	EAP Task Force / Environmental Finance Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aligning environmental expenditures information system with OECD/Eurostat standards. <i>Ukraine, Kyrgyz Republic</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Country reports Reformed statistical forms Regional workshop for dissemination 	300K EUR	
Development of high-quality and realistic environmental programmes and financial plans	EAP Task Force/Environmental Finance Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Financing strategies for urban water supply and/or sanitation. <i>Armenia, Georgia</i> Implementation of the strategy and its articulation to the budgetary process. <i>Armenia</i> Financing strategies for municipal solid waste. <i>EECCA</i> Financing strategy for municipal solid waste in 2 oblasts. <i>Armenia</i> Development of a Multi-Year Investment plan in Donsko. <i>Russia</i> Dissemination of Multi-Year Investment planning. <i>EECCA</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> reports (investment plans) report (investment plan) report revised methodology report (investment plan) 2 dissemination + 1 certification workshops training material 25 people certified 		
	RECs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LEAPS/REAPS 			
	CAREC in partnership with CSPC (Development of local environmental programmes using best environmental management and planning tools)				

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	PPC-EBRD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental programmes and financial plans checked. Aggr. Investment in environmental projects in EECCA developed since 2003 • Development and distribution of Good Practice documents • Development of Project Financing Workshop 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Signed (approved) projects, Georgia, Kyrgyz Republic, Russia, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan • Public Services Agreement model • Paper on Good Practice in Project Preparation • Project Financing Workshop 	<p>394.44 K EUR</p> <p>20K EUR</p> <p>85K EUR (for pilot) 50K EUR (for 3 further workshops)</p>	www.ppcenvironment.org
Enhancement of revenue raising potential of existing and new environmental related taxes and charges	EAP Task Force / Environmental Finance, Policy, Water Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Study of environmental taxes. <i>Russian Federation, Armenia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Countries studies + dissemination workshops 	<p>50K EUR</p> <p>50K EUR</p>	
	EU Water Initiative Finance Working Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • nil 			
	CAREC in partnership with CSPC (Real pricing for natural resources - water)				
Internalising adverse environmental impacts by application of market based mechanisms e.g. emission trading					
Efficient use of public financial resources	EAP Task Force/Environmental Finance Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handbook on the management of Public management expenditures + training. <i>EECCA</i> • Performance rating of an environmental fund. <i>Ukraine</i> • Intergovernmental transfers to finance environmental expenditures. <i>Russian Federation,</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Handbook + training material • Report • Report (country studies) 	<p>115K EUR</p> <p>140K EUR</p>	

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		<i>Ukraine, Armenia</i>			
	World Bank				
Commercial and foreign sources of financing for environmental investments	EAP Task Force/Environmental Finance Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harnessing local financial and capital markets to finance environmental infrastructures. <i>Russian Federation, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, China</i> • Private sector roundtables (Paris, Vienna, Moscow). <i>CEE, SEE, EECCA</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Country case studies 	300K EUR	In partnership with the World Bank
	World Bank	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment Public Expenditure Reviews 			
	EBRD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sovereign loan to Tajikistan to support new investment and reform in utility in Khoujand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tariff reform, restructuring and stakeholder participation 	800K EUR	www.ebrd.com
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal loan to support public transport in Tbilisi 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corporate development programme and assistance to City on tendering for bus routes 	650K EUR	
CAREC					
Debt-for-environment swaps	EAP Task Force/Environmental Finance Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Institutional support to Debt for Environment Swap (DFES). <i>Georgia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report + project pipelines 	6 K EUR	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-feasibility study of a DFES. <i>Kyrgyz Republic</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report + project pipelines 	170 K EUR	
	World Bank				

OBJECTIVE 6: INFORMATION, PARTICIPATION AND EDUCATION					
Sub-Objective No 6.1: Environmental Monitoring and Information Management					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Strengthening and Harmonizing National Environmental Monitoring Networks	UNECE/WGEMA				
	UNEP/DEWA				
	UNEP/GRID				
Promotion of Exchange of Data and Information between relevant Stakeholders	UNECE/WGEMA				
	UNEP/DEWA				
	UNEP/GRID				
	EAP Task Force				
	CAREC				
Improving Quality, Policy Relevance and Accessibility of Environmental Information	IFEN and Republic of Moldova	Water Data Centre in Moldova		9 KEUR –IFEN and 4.500 EUR RM	
Improvement of Assessment of Natural Resources					

Sub-Objective No 6.2: Public Participation					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Promotion of Application of Provision of Aarhus Convention	RECs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environmental Information, Education and Public Awareness – EECCA - Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aarhus Convention guides were issued for the officials at national and local level, and also for civil society (available in English, Russian, Romanian, Ukrainian, Georgian, Armenian and Azerbaijan languages). Seminars were organised for the national team members in 6 EECCA countries on how to give training on the Aarhus Convention to officials, NGOs, the media and the public Pilot projects were implemented in certain EECCA countries on the Aarhus Convention principles. 	Funded by EU/Tacis 2,5M EUR	Resource materials available on the website: http://rec.org Aarhue Convention and on the CD.
	REC Moldova/RECCaucasus/REC-CEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementation of the Aarhus Convention: Practical tools for public participation in environmental decision-making 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A seminar on „Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs)” was organised to initiate a dialogue between the environmental stakeholders before the entrance into force of the Law on Biological Safety of the Republic of Moldova. The two training on „Public Participation in the Environmental Decision-making Process” were organised. Those were particularly designed for the new representatives of the local public administration. The main accent was put on the implementation of the article 6 of the Aarhus Convention. 	11 964 EUR for Moldova, The total budget 171 970 EUR	
	REC Russia/EU/TACIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal and economic aspect of RF accession to the Aarhus Convention 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow-up activity for consideration by the Russian Federation of possible accession to the Aarhus Convention 		
	REC Central Asia/Tacis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Initiative support programme/support to implementation of Aarhus convention in CA countries 		50 K EUR	
	REC Central Asia/Swiss	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guidelines on Environmental 		46K USD	

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		Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context for Central Asian countries			
Support for Environmental NGOs	REC Moldova/EU/US EPA/DANCEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grants for NGOs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening civil society in Moldova Strengthening Public Participation in decision making process at national and local levels 	700K EUR	
	REC Russia/EU/TACIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1st Grant Programme for Russian NGOs Second Grant Programme for Russian NGOs Caspian NGOs Grant Programme 	<p>9 contests with participation of 463 Russian NGOs from 41 Federation subjects. 91 projects implemented</p> <p>36 projects for NGOs</p>	<p>202K EUR (First grant programme)</p> <p>227,5 K EUR (Second grant programme)</p> <p>For the total sum of 293K EUR</p>	<p>27 projects (30%) from rural areas of Russia</p> <p>“Sustainable Development of Pre-Caspian Communities”</p>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access to environmental /legal information, public participation in drafting legislation process, court practice 			
Strengthening Institutional Frameworks to ensure involvement of general public in decision-making	REC Moldova/US EPA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening public participation in the Local Environmental Action Plan (LEAP) development and implementation in the Edinet County 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The comprehensive survey of the environmental situation of the Edinet county was accomplished. Training program and environmental information campaign were organized for the environmental stakeholders of the county. LEAP was developed. The priority projects were developed and potential financing sources for their implementation were identified. The LEAP Public Advisory Council was established, gathering local public authorities, NGOs, scientific society, business circles, mass media, etc. to monitor the implementation of the LEAP Edinet 	50K USD	
	REC Moldova/European	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The comprehensive survey of the environmental situation 	50K EUR	

	Commission	<p>participation in the Local Environmental Action Plan (LEAP) development and implementation in the Ungheni County</p>	<p>of the Ungheni county was accomplished.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training program and environmental information campaign were organized for the environmental stakeholders of the county. • LEAP was developed and approved by the Ungheni County Council. • The priority projects were developed and potential financing sources for their implementation were identified • The LEAP Public Advisory Council was established, gathering local public authorities, NGOs, scientific society, business circles, mass media, etc. to monitor the implementation of the LEAP Ungheni 		
	REC Moldova/ USEPA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of a Joint Local Environmental Action Plan for the communities of Otaci (Republic of Moldova) and Moghilev Podolskii (Ukraine) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A group of interested inhabitants and experts was set up to identify the local environmental issues of the settlements. • A Joint Environmental Action Plan, highlighting the actions towards the protection of the Dniester River was developed. • An Environmental Information Centre was established in Otaci Town. • A Memorandum of Collaboration in the field of environmental protection was signed between Otaci and Moghilev-Podolskii settlements. • The environmental NGO “Spaseco” was established in Otaci with the assistance of REC Moldova. 	25K USD	
	REC Moldova/Government of the Netherlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening the Local Environmental Planning in the Countries of Eastern Europe, Caucasus, and Central Asia (EECCA) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional cooperation between the experts on the local environmental planning from the EECCA countries and RECs was established; • The Strategy for LEAP promotion in the EECCA countries and several project concept papers in the given area were developed; • Training materials on the LEAP development and implementation were prepared and the training courses for the government officials and NGOs were organised in the Caucasus and Central Asia; • A Conference on the “Local environmental planning in the EECCA countries” was organized, gathering representatives of the RECs, local public administration and 	100K EUR	

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		NGOs from the EECCA countries.		
REC Moldova/EC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental Public Awareness and Communication Program in the Stefan Voda District 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four issues of Stefan Voda Environmental Bulletin were published and distributed in the Stefan Voda District. • Flyers and leaflets on environmental topics were issued and distributed in the Stefan Voda District. • Radio and TV programmes on the project activities and environmental problems in Stefan Voda District were broadcasted. • Trainings and seminars for different target groups were organized. • Public opinion poll on local environmental problems was conducted. • Drinking water chemical analysis from rural wells was conducted. 	115K EUR	
REC Moldova/Government of the Netherlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening Public Participation in the Local Environmental Action Plan (LEAP) Development and Implementation in the Stefan Voda District 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The comprehensive survey of the environmental situation of the Stefan Voda district was accomplished • Training program and environmental information campaign were organized for the environmental stakeholders of the county • The LEAP was developed. • The priority projects were developed and potential financing sources for their implementation were identified. • The LEAP Public Advisory Council was established, gathering local public authorities, NGOs, scientific society, business circles, mass media, etc. to monitor the implementation of the LEAP Stefan Voda. 	40K EUR	
REC Moldova/Tacis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation of the environmental state of the Prut River tributaries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seven environmental expeditions were organized alongside the tributaries of the Prut River; • Inventory of pollution sources was carried out and assessment was performed of the current environmental situation in the basins of the 7 tributaries of the Prut river; a chemical testing of the water from the Prut River tributaries was performed; • Informational seminars were organized for the general public on the environmental problems affecting the water quality; 	121K EUR	

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The analytical summary was issued on the environmental state of the Prut tributaries in the northwest of the country; the album "Picturesque Moldova" was published within the project; other information materials were published and disseminated to the general public A national seminar on the implementation of the Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment in the Republic of Moldova (through the organization of a national seminar on implementation of the aforementioned Protocol). 		
	REC Russia/Government of the Netherlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitating public participation in environmental decision making through the development of a LEAP for the Shatura district of Moscow oblast 		50 K EURO	
	REC Russia/Government of the Netherlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening public participation in environmental decision-making by implementing LEP for Pervomaysky municipal district of the Yaroslavl oblast of Russia 		40 K EURO	
	REC Russia DEPA/DANCEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Participation in EIA in the Russian Federation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of public participation procedure in EIA in the Russian Federation (especially in transboundary context) 	51, 353 EUR	
	REC Russia/Ministry of Natural Resources of RF/ EU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Genetic resources – national wealth and safety 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of procedures for public involvement and control of biosafety and genetic safety in the Russian Federation 		
	REC Central Asia/Tacis/OSCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public initiative support programme/ Support to NGOs projects on Inter-sector dialogue and NGO cooperation at sub-regional level (Central Asian Initiative on SD) 		120 000 EUR	

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	REC Central Asia/Tacis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable development of Caspian coastal communities Small Grant programme/ Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Russia, Turkmenistan 		1200 000 EUR	
	REC Central Asia/Tacis/UK/OSCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public awareness and dissemination of environmental information 		40KEUR	
	REC Central Asia/EC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public participation in environmental decision-making in Central Asia 		35K EUR	
	REC Central Asia/ GWP/UNECE/UNDP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public participation and integration of water and environmental sectors in Central Asia 		70K EUR	

Sub-Objective No 6.3: Environmental Education					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Establishment of a Network for Environmental Education / Exchange of Information					
Environmental Training for Governmental Officials and decision –makers and other target groups	UNECE				
	OSCE				
	UNEP ROE				
	World Bank				
	CAREC/UNECE				
	UNESCO/ Central Asian WG on EE and ESD				
	UNESCO				
	UNU/IAS				
Partnerships and Co-operation between public authorities and NGO on environmental education	ECOFORUM				
	OSCE				
	UNECE				
	UNEP				
	CAREC/UNECE				
	REC Central Asia/UK/ UNESCO/ OSCE/Japan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sub-regional programme on environmental education and education for SD 		100K EUR	
	NGOs of CA countries				
	UNESCO				
	UNU/IAS				
National Systems for Environmental Public					

Information and Awareness Raising					
Introduction of Education for SD in all levels	UNECE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting of Environment and Education Ministers, Vilnius (Lithuania), 17-18 March 2005 Organisation of sub-regional thematic workshop for EECCA countries (tentatively November 2006) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNECE Strategy for Education for SD 		
	UNESCO				
	UNEP Strategy for Education for Sustainable Development				
	CAREC/UNECE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Central Asian Conference on ESD, 21-22 September 2005, Almaty (Kazakhstan) 			
	REC Caucasus/UNECE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5th Annual International Conference on ESD, 1-2 November 2005, Tbilisi (Georgia) 			
	REC CEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation of environmental education kit for Moscow and St.Petersburg regions in Russia Preparation of environmental education kit for Azerbaijan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Development a Green Pack - a new set of multimedia curricular materials e.g. teacher's handbook, a CD-ROM a videocassette, a dilemma game and a number of simulation (interactive) games -Training of teachers in using the Green Pack. - see above 	270K EUR Funded by Ministry of the Environment, Finland and Toyota Environmental Activities Grants Programme 126K EUR Funded by OSCE and British Petroleum	
	UNESCO/ Central Asian WG on EE and ESD				
	UNU/IAS				

OBJECTIVE 7: TRANSBOUNDARY ISSUES AND CONVENTIONS					
Planned Actions	Facilitating/Co-operating Organisations	Project Title/Beneficiary Countries	Project Outputs	Budget/Status	Other Information/References
Support and Promotion of accession by countries to transboundary environmental conventions	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)	The UNECE Capacity for Water Cooperation, CWC project is intended to strengthen the capacity of transboundary water management in EECCA. The objective is to create a framework for cross-fertilization and exchange of experience between river basins and countries on regulatory, institutional, methodological and other aspects of integrated management of transboundary waters, and, at the same time, bring in valuable experience from other parts of the UNECE region.	Recommendations and assessments for various aspects of transboundary water management, capacity building workshops	Budget: 450K USD, partly funded	Website: http://www.unece.org/
	UNECE together with OSCE, UNEP, UNDP, UNITAR, Regional Environmental Centre for Central Asia)	“Implementation of the UNECE Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents”	Capacity-building activities, advisory services, transboundary pilot projects and exercises		
	UNECE together with OSCE	“Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context: Pilot implementation project in Central Asia”.	National implementation mechanisms for the EIA Convention in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan.	12K EURO (partly funded)	
	<u>UNECE</u> together with <u>UNESCAP</u> and <u>UNEP</u>	Project on "Capacity Building for Air Quality Management and the Application of Clean Coal Combustion Technologies in Central Asia" - CAPACT.	A national programme for implementation of the Air Convention.	This project is financed under the Fourth Tranche of the UN Development Account (Project Code 04/05C).	Web page: www.unece.org/ie/capact
	UNDP in partnership with UNEP South East Asia	Regional Environmental Action Plan for Central Asia			
	UNDP in partnership with REC CEE (Strategic Environmental	See objective 1 -EIA			

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	Assessment)				
	REC CEE	Support to the implementation of the Carpathian Convention (Phase 1) in Carpathian countries including Ukraine	- Assessment Carpathian countries of the extent to which the national policy, legal and institutional frameworks support the implementation of the principles by the Carpathian Convention. - Handbook on the Carpathian Convention	119K EUR Funded by the Ministry of Environment and Territory of Italy	This is a part of an umbrella project with 4 components of which 2 implemented by UNEP and 2 By REC CEE in co-operation with EURAC. Implementation period July 2004-August 2006.
Recommendations for compliance / responsibility mechanism	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				
	SCD-CAREC	Development of Guidelines on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context for Central Asian Countries		Finalised.	Website: http://www.unece.org
Identification and Analyses of Transboundary Environmental Problems/ Development of Register	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				
	OSCE (Environment and Security Initiative)				
Sub-regional bi- and multilateral action programmes for transboundary environmental problems	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				
	UNECE/OSCE	- Project on "Support for the creation of a transboundary water commission on Chu and Talas Rivers between Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan". Focus on making the Agreement of 21 January 2000 on Utilization of the Water Facilities of Interstate Use on the Chu and Talas Rivers between the two Governments operational.	- Statutes for the Commission and Procedures for sharing the costs of operation, maintenance and rehabilitation of the water control facilities under the Agreement have been established.		Web-page: http://www.talaschu.org/

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		<p>- Project on Transboundary Cooperation and Sustainable Management of the Dniester River" has been launched to enhance regional cooperation between the Dniester riparian states, Ukraine, and Moldova, including its Transdnestrian region, on the integrated management of the Dniester river basin.</p> <p>Project on "Revision of the legal framework for transboundary cooperation and sustainable management of the Dniester river"</p>	<p>- Formation of working groups on both sides responsible for assessing the situation of the river basin and the opportunities for increased bilateral co-operation;</p> <p>- A set of recommendations for how to deal with problem issues based on the analysis and how to expand bilateral co-operation on the Dniestr formally agreed by both riparian States.</p> <p>- A draft revised legal framework for the transboundary management of the Dniester River Basin.</p>	<p>- Budget: 72K EUR, funded.</p> <p>- Budget 900 K SEK. Project is funded but has not started.</p>	<p>Web-page: http://dniester.org/</p>
	UNDP in partnership with UNEP South East Asia	Regional Environmental Action Plan for Central Asia			
Mechanism for assessment and repay of transboundary damages	UNECE/ UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				
	OSCE (Environment and Security Initiative)				
National Inter-agency procedures for implementation of bilateral agreements	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				
	OSCE				
Monitoring implementation of international conventions	UNEP (GEF funding)	Institutional Strengthening for the implementation of the Montreal Protocol in Moldova		149 334 USD	
Mechanism for responsibility for compliance	UNECE / UNEP Convention Secretariats (regional and global)				