



REC Statement at MoP-2 PRTR Protocol

5 (c) Work Programme for 2015-2017

The REC expresses gratitude for the preparation of the Work Programme for 2015-2017. Recognising the financial constraints in the current economic situation for the parties during the period 2015-2017, the REC expresses hope that this will not jeopardise the implementation of the proposed Work Programme and the Strategic Plan. The implementation of these two documents should go hand-in-hand and support each other. In the future, more attention should be given in the strategic capacity-building meetings on the implementation of the PRTR Protocol, with the involvement of the relevant organisations and stakeholders. We believe that in the next period it will be even more important to strengthen the coordination of activities at the ECE, sub-regional and national levels, as well as at the global level, and to build synergies among the efforts of parties, bodies of the Protocol, stakeholders, the international organisations and MEAs to achieve better results. The REC will continue to support the implementation of the Work Programme through its activities and by carrying out projects especially in the SEE and EECA regions.