

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of the UNECE Committee on Sustainable Energy: Salle XII, Palais des Nations, 28-30 November 2006**

**Final Agenda as at 27 November 2006**

**TUESDAY 28 NOVEMBER: Salle XII**

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	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
<b>10:00</b>	00:05	<b>Items 1 &amp; 2</b>	Introduction, Adoption of Agenda and Procedure for Bureau Elections	George KOWALSKI, Director, Sustainable Energy Division
	00:05	Housekeeping issues		Charlotte GRIFFITHS, Secretary to Committee
<b>10:10</b>	<b>01:35</b>	<b><i>Opening Keynote Session "Sustainable Energy Policies – The Key to Energy Security"</i></b>		
10:10	00:05	Chairman's Introduction		Laszlo MOLNAR, Chairman
10:20	00:15	Welcome Remarks		Marek BELKA, Executive Secretary, UNECE
10:30	01:00	<b><u>Keynote Presentations</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Claude MANDIL, Executive Director, International Energy Agency</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Andrey REUS, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Industry and Energy, Russian Federation</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Stanislav TSYGANKOV, Director, International Business Department, JSC "Gazprom"</li> </ul>		
11:30	00:15	Question and Answer Session with Keynote Speakers		
<b>11:45</b>	<b>01:15</b>	<b><i>Panel Session: "Energy Security: Emerging Energy Security Risks and Risk Mitigation - A Global Overview and Global Energy Security and the Caspian Sea Region"</i></b>		
11:45	00:15	Introduction and Presentation on Energy Security Issues in UNECE Region (ECE/ENERGY/2006/2, ECE/ENERGY/2006/3 and ECE/ENERGY/2006/3/Add.1)		George KOWALSKI
12:00	00:35	<b><u>Panellists</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Togrul BAGIROV, Executive Vice President, Moscow International Petroleum Club, Russian Federation</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Andrei KONOPLYANIK, Deputy Secretary General, Energy Charter Secretariat</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Aydin ALIYEV, Chairman, State Customs Committee, Azerbaijan</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Mahmood KHAGHANI, Director General, Caspian Sea and CIS Oil and Gas Affairs, Ministry of Petroleum, Islamic Republic of Iran</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Magne SELJEFLOT, Chairman, Natural Resources Global Practice, Aon Group, Inc., U.K.</li> </ul>		

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12:35	00:25	<b>Item 4:</b> Energy security: emerging energy security risks and risk mitigation, a global overview; report on global energy security and the Caspian Sea Region; and review of the Energy Security Forum	Discussion session	
<b>13:00</b>	<b>02:00</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>		
15:00	00:05	<b>Item 2:</b> Election of Officers		George KOWALSKI
15.05	00:55	<i>Item 5: Energy for Sustainable Development in the UNECE Region and Input to the 2006/2007 Cycle of the Commission on Sustainable Development</i>		
15.05	00:10	Introduction by Chairman and Overview of ECE Input to CSD-14 (ECE/ENERGY/2006/11)		Jean-Christophe FUËG
	00:30	Panel Discussion: <input type="checkbox"/> Stefanie HELD, Director, Energy and Climate, World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) <input type="checkbox"/> Ambassador H.E. Zohrab MNATSAKANYAN, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Armenia to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations at Geneva <i>on behalf of</i> Areg GALSTYAN, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Energy, Republic of Armenia		
	00:05	Overview of CSD-15 (Policy Session) and the Preceding Intergovernmental Preparatory Meeting (IPM) Process		Monika LINN, Team Leader, Environment for Europe and Sustainable Development, UNECE Environment, Housing and Land Management Division
	00:10	Discussion, including on role of Committee in CSD-15 Process		
16:00	02:00	<i>Item 6: Global Harmonization of Energy Reserves and Resources Terminology and Review of the Ad Hoc Group of Experts on Harmonization of Fossil Energy and Mineral Resources Terminology</i>		

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		<b>Roundtable:</b> Global Harmonization of Energy Reserves & Resources Terminology and the UNFC's Role as a Tool for Improving Efficiency in the Resources Sector Worldwide		
16:00	00:10	Introduction by Chairman: Sigurd HEIBERG, Statoil and Chairman, Ad Hoc Group of Experts on the Harmonization of Fossil Energy and Mineral Resources Terminology		Sigurd HEIBERG
16:10	00:10	UNECE's Efforts in Harmonizing Fossil Energy and Mineral Resources Terminology		Clark TALKINGTON, Secretary
16:20	00:10	Maximising Reserves and Value: How the Irreversible Nature of Development and Production Processes Requires Predictability and Flexibility		Sigurd HEIBERG
16:30	00:10	What do we Need to Understand Better about Reserves and Resources in order to Support Appropriate International Energy Policies with Relevant Studies?		
16:40	00:10	Safeguarding Excellence in Government Petroleum Resources Management by Improved Information on Exploration and Production Activities Viewed by Central Authorities		Yuri PODTURKIN, General Director, State Commission of Mineral Resources, Russian Federation
16:50	00:10	Safeguarding Excellence in Government Petroleum Resources Management by Improved Information on Exploration and Production Activities supported by a Region		Alexander GERT, Deputy Director General, Siberian Research Institute of Geology, Geophysics & Mineral Resources
17:00	00:10	Safeguarding Excellence in Government Petroleum Resources Management by Improved Information on Exploration and Production Activities - View from Norway		Per BLYSTAD, Senior Geologist, Norwegian Petroleum Directorate
17:10	00:10	Adapting Business Processes to a Changing World Requires a Detailed View of not only Reserves and Resources, but also the Opportunities and Risks Obscured by Uncertainty in the Information about them. How can a New Articulated and Project Status Based Resource Classification Help Quality Partnerships in Industry and Government Build Better Decision Support		David MACDONALD, Segment Reserves Manager, BP Exploration Operating Co, Ltd.
17:20	00:10	Research will Design a new International Financial Reporting Standard for Extractive Activities. What Information on Reserves and Resources can help Reduce the Cost of the Enormous Amounts of Capital Required for further Global Economic Development, and what Impact can this Information have on the Items Discussed by the Panel		Michael LYNCH-BELL, Partner-in-Charge, Global Energy, Chemicals & Utilities Transaction Advisory Services, Ernst & Young LLP
17:30	00:30	Discussion		
<b>18:00</b>		<b>End of Session</b>		
<b>18:15</b>		<i>Cocktail Reception – Salon de Genève, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor (ALL DELEGATES INVITED)</i>		

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**WEDNESDAY 29 NOVEMBER: Salle XII**

	Duration	Item	Title	Speaker
10:00	03:00	<b>Item 7:</b> Panel Session on “Regulation and Investment in the Electricity Industry” (ECE/ENERGY/2006/4)		
		<p><b><u>Chairman:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ Branko TERZIC, Regulatory Leader Worldwide, Deloitte, Washington DC, USA</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Panellists:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ Yuriy UDALTSOV, Director of Regulatory Affairs, RAO UES of Russia, Moscow, Russian Federation</li> <li>❑ Paul BULTEEL, Secretary General, Eurelectric, Brussels, Belgium</li> <li>❑ David HALLDEARN, Director, European Affairs, OFGEM, London, UK</li> <li>❑ John GULLIVER, Head, Energy, Pierce Atwood LLP, Portland, USA</li> <li>❑ Andrew STEEL, Managing Director, Head of Energy, Utilities &amp; Project Finance, FitchRatings, London,</li> <li>❑ Helmut WARSCH, Senior Advisor, Areva, Germany, formerly Framatom and Siemens</li> </ul>		
12:30	00:30	Discussion		
13:00	02:00	<i>Lunch Reception to Showcase U.S. Mission Solar Energy Project hosted by United States Mission to the United Nations in Geneva (delegates need to advise U.S. Mission or Secretariat in advance if participating, coach transportation will be arranged)</i>		
15:00	01:00	<b>Item 9:</b> Natural gas, today’s fuel of choice and overcoming future challenges and review of the Working Party on Gas, related Ad Hoc Groups and the Gas Centre		
15:00	00:45	<p><b><u>Chairman:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ Alexandre CHACHINE, Secretary, Working Party on Gas</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Panellists:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ Andrei KONOPLYANIK, Deputy Secretary General, Energy Charter Secretariat</li> <li>❑ Jozsef TOTH, Chief Advisor to the Executive Chairman &amp; CEO, MOL Hungarian Oil and Gas Plc.</li> <li>❑ Alexander KARASEVICH, Director General, Promgaz OAO, Russian Federation</li> </ul>		
15:45	00:15	Discussion		

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16:00	02:00	<b>Item 8:</b> Mitigating Environmental and Social Consequences of Coal Production and Use and Review of the Ad Hoc Group of Experts on Coal in Sustainable Development and Ad Hoc Group of Experts on Coal Mine Methane (ECE/ENERGY/2006/5)		
16:00	00:15	☐ Mitigating Environmental & Social Consequences of Coal Production and Use		Barbara McKEE Chair of the Session, Director, Office of Clean Energy Collaboration, United States Department of Energy and Vice Chair, Committee on Sustainable Energy
16:15	00:15	☐ The Role for Coal: Industry Perspective		Milton CATELIN Chief Executive, World Coal Institute
16:30	00:15	☐ EU Technology Platform for Zero Emissions Fossil Fuel Power Plants (ZEPs)		Nick OTTER Director, Technology and External Affairs, ALSTOM Power Technology Centre, U.K.
16:45	00:15	☐ ZEP: Perspective of a Power Generating Company		Heinz BERGMANN Senior Project Consultant, RWE Power AG, VGB PowerTech e.V., Germany
17:00	00:20	☐ Coal Mine Methane (CMM): A Global Resource for Sustainable Development Including activities and programme of work of the Ad Hoc Group of Experts on CMM		Roland MADER Managing Director, Green Gas International Ltd and Chair, Ad Hoc Group of Experts on CMM
17:20	00:10	☐ CMM - Challenges for the Security of Vital Activities, Energy Saving and Environment		Borys GRYADUSHCHYY Director, Donetsk Research Institute of Coal Mining, Ukraine
17:30	00:30	Discussion		
<b>18:00</b>		<b>End of Session and Day Two</b>		

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	Duration	Item	Title	Speaker
10:00	00:20	<b>Item 10:</b> Energy Efficiency, Import Dependence and Climate Change	(a) Energy Efficiency for Energy Security and Sustainable Development	Bernard LAPONCHE, Chairman, Energy Efficiency 21 (EE21) Project Steering Committee
	00:15		(b) Energy Efficiency 21 Project and the Work on Financing Energy Efficiency Investments	Gianluca SAMBUCINI, Secretary to the EE21 Project Steering Committee
	00:10	Discussion		
10:45	00:35	<b>Item 11:</b> Regional Advisory Services in the Field of Energy	(a) Regional Advisory and Technical Cooperation Activities in the area of Energy	Evgeniy NADEZH DIN, Regional Adviser for Energy
			(b) Environmental aspect of CAPACT Project	Bo LIBERT, Regional Adviser for Environment
		Discussion		
11:20	00:05	<b>Item 12:</b> Meeting of the Extended Bureau of the Committee on Sustainable Energy, 14 December 2005	ENERGY/2005/6	Chairman
11:25	00:25	<b>Item 3:</b> Implementation of the UNECE Reform and Matters arising from 60 <sup>th</sup> Committee Session; and  <b>Item 13:</b> UNECE Programme of Work in the Field of Energy and its Biennial Evaluation	Summary of ECE/ENERGY/2006/1 and ECE/ENERGY/2006/12	George KOWALSKI
			(a) Review and adoption of Programme of Work for 2007-2008 for Committee and its subsidiary bodies, including review of structure of Committee and its subsidiary bodies (ECE/ENERGY/2006/8, ECE/ENERGY/2006/9 and ECE/ENERGY/2006/12)	
11:50	00:15		(b) Evaluation of Implementation of Subprogramme 5 on Sustainable Energy for 2004-2005 (ECE/ENERGY/2006/1, Annex I)	Patrice ROBINEAU, Senior Adviser to Executive Secretary, UNECE

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12:05	00:15	<b>Item 13:</b> UNECE Programme of Work in the Field of Energy and its Biennial Evaluation <i>continued</i>	(c) Consideration and adoption of revised Terms of Reference for Committee and any new subsidiary bodies (ECE/ENERGY/2006/12, Annex I)	Chairman
12:20	00:05		(d) Consideration and approval of Provisional Calendar of Meetings for 2007 (ECE/ENERGY/2006/10)	Charlotte GRIFFITHS
12:25	00:30	<b>Item 14:</b> Cooperation and Coordination with other Bodies  (a) Principal Subsidiary Bodies of the Commission	(i) Cooperation with the Timber Committee on Wood and Energy	Franziska HIRSCH, Trade and Timber Division, UNECE/FAO Timber Section
			(ii) Cooperation with the Committee on Environmental Policy and the UNECE Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision Making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters (Aarhus Convention)	Jeremy WATES, Secretary, Aarhus Convention, UNECE Environment, Housing and Land Management Division
			(iii) Cooperation between the Working Party on Gas and the Inland Transport Committee on the Blue Corridor Project	Alex CHACHINE, Sustainable Energy Division
			(iv) Cooperation with the Committee on Environmental Policy on CSD-14 and CSD-15 and "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference, Belgrade, 10-12 October 2007	<i>Discussed under Agenda Item 5</i>
		(b) Other intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the business community		
12:55	00:05	<b>Item 15:</b> Any Other Business		Chairman
		<b>Item 16:</b> Adoption of Report of Meeting		Charlotte GRIFFITHS
13:00		<b>Close of 15th Session</b>		