Economic Commission for Europe / Environment

Informal network of the Chairs of compliance/implementation bodies under the Multilateral Environmental Agreements First meeting, Geneva, 25 March 2013 Palais des Nations, SALLE VIII

Provisional agenda

10:00 - 10:05	Opening of the meeting by the Chair of the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee / adoption of the agenda
10:05 - 10:15	Tour de table of the Chairs and the secretariat representatives
10:15 - 11:15	Short presentations by the Chairs of the bodies they represent/secretariats and of the procedure typically followed
11:15 - 12:00	Short presentations by the Chairs/secretariats on how Parties react to the Body's decisions (findings, recommendations, etc.)
12:00 - 13:00	The role of other stakeholders (including, NGOs) and the role of the secretariat (discussion)
13:00 - 14:00	Comparative aspects – Discussion (strengths and weaknesses)
14:00 - 15:00	Discussion – how to improve implementation/compliance, especially in cases of continuous non-compliance
15:00 - 15:30	Open discussion on the role of other stakeholders, with the participation of observers