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UNECE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND LAND MANAGEMENT

UNECE JOINT SEMINAR ON LAND USE PLANNING AROUND HAZARDOUS INDUSTRIAL SITES

Provisional agenda

Thursday, 11 November 2010

12:00 - 13:00 Participants registration

13:00 - 13:20 Opening ceremony

Seminar’s Chair Mr. Hans ten Velden
Deputy Director, National Spatial Planning Directorate, Ministry of Housing, Spatial Planning and Environment, the Netherlands

13:00 - 13:10 Welcoming statement
Mr. Harry Paul
Inspector-General, Inspectorate, Ministry of Housing, Spatial Planning and the Environment, the Netherlands

13:10 - 13:20 Welcoming statement
Mr. Marco Keiner
Director, Environment, Housing and Land Management Division, UNECE
13:20 - 14:00 Setting the scene

13:20 - 13:30 Introductory statement by the Chair

13:30 - 13:45 Basic principles of major accident prevention
Mr. Bernard Gay
Head of Section, Prevention of Major Accident and Earthquake Mitigation,
Department of Environment, Transport, Energy and Communications, Switzerland

13:45 - 14:00 Basic principles of land use planning
Mr. Frans Timmerman
Senior Policy Advisor, National Spatial Planning Directorate, Ministry of Housing,
Spatial Planning and Environment, the Netherlands

14:00 - 17:30 Session I – Building understanding between different stakeholders

14:00 - 15:00 Priorities and interests of different stakeholders

Representatives of the stakeholder groups will present the priorities and interests in
their daily work

Safety authorities
14:00 - 14:10 Mrs. Jasmina Karba
Secretary, Environment Directorate, Ministry of Environment and Spatial Planning,
Slovenia

14:10 - 14:20 Mr. Andrzej Kozak
Head of Safety Department, Office of Technical Inspection, Poland

Land-use planning authorities
14:20 - 14:30 Mr. Thomas Noack
Spatial Planner, Swiss Society of Engineers and Architects, Lecturer at Basel
University, Switzerland

Industry
14:30 - 14:40 Mrs. Annemarie van der Rest
Manager, Health, Safety and Environmental Affairs, Shell Nederland B.V.

14:40 - 14:50 Mr. Michal Graczyk
Specialist, Process Safety Team, PKN Orlen Poland

Real estate developer
14:50 - 15:00 Mr. Alfons Metzger, FRICS, CRE
President, Metzger Real Estate Group Vienna, Austria

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break
15:30 - 17:30  Simulation of a scenario

Representatives of all stakeholders will discuss their objectives and interests on a basis of an interactive simulation of a fictitious scenario. During the simulation the differences and overlap should become visible and provide a good basis for discussing the way forward. The simulation will be moderated by the Chair

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17:30  Closing of the first day

20:00  Dinner at the invitation of the Dutch Ministry of Housing, Spatial Planning and Environment

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Friday, 12 November 2010

09:30 - 10:00  Opening of the second day

Chair will open the second day of the seminar with a brief summary of the previous day and introducing day two.

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10:00 - 13:00  Session II – Building cooperation for creating safe neighbourhoods

10:00 - 11:00  Good practice and challenges

Representatives of different stakeholders will share good practices and challenges they face in integrating safety and land use planning

10:00 - 10:10  Planning through negotiations
Mrs. Pauline Nash
Policy Advisor, Risk Communications Policy Unit, Health and Safety Executive, United Kingdom

10:10 - 10:20  Regulation of land-use practices around hazardous storage tanks activities
Mr. Alberto Susini
Director, Service of the Environment for Industries, Security, Police and Environment Department, Republic and Canton of Geneva, Switzerland

10:20 - 10:30  Consultation distances: considering industrial risks in land-use planning
Mr. Thomas Hackbusch
Specialist, Industrial Safety and Accident Prevention, State Institute for Environment, Measurements and Nature Conservation, Germany
10:30 - 10:40  **Spatial Safety Reports**  
Mr. Marc Bogaert  
*Head, Safety Report Division, Flemish Government, Belgium*

10:40 - 10:50  **Role of different stakeholders in ensuring safety**  
Mr. Alexander Moskalenko  
*President, G.C.E. Group*

11:00 - 11:30  **Coffee break**

11:30 - 13:00  **Roundtable on possible policy instruments and recommendations**

The discussion will focus on whether and how to integrate industrial safety and land use planning and will aim at formulating possible recommendations

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13:00 - 13:30  **Closing of the seminar**

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