



"Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference

### AGENDA OF THE SIDE-EVENT

**To review implementation of the UNECE Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment:  
from Kiev to Belgrade and beyond**

Friday 12 October 2007, 08:00-09:30  
Room 3/0, Sava Centre, Belgrade

Chaired by His Excellency Constantin Mihailescu,  
Minister of Ecology and Natural Resources, Moldova

Agenda item	Presenters
Opening	H.E. Constantin Mihailescu Minister of Ecology and Natural Resources, Moldova
<b>I. Status of implementation of the Protocol (UNECE) with an example of its practical application in South-East Europe</b>	Facilitated by Nick Bonvoisin, UNECE
a) Status of implementation	Nick Bonvoisin, UNECE
b) Country case study presentation	Nenad Mikulic, Ministry of the Environment, Croatia,
c) Summary of capacity-development needs	Nick Bonvoisin, UNECE
d) Questions	
<b>II. Capacity development for the implementation of the Protocol</b>	Facilitated by Henrieta Martonakova, UNDP Bratislava
a) Capacity development in EECCA	Henrieta Martonakova, UNDP Bratislava
b) Resource Manual to support application of the Protocol	Nick Bonvoisin, UNECE
c) Lessons learned from implementation of the Sofia EIA Initiative in South-East, Central and Eastern Europe	Marta Szigeti Bonifert, Executive Director, the REC
d) Questions	
<b>III. Way forward with implementation of the Protocol</b>	Facilitated by Ausra Jurkeviciute, REC
a) National capacity-development strategies for implementation of the Protocol in EECCA	Alexander Rachevsky, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, Belarus, Bobbi Schijf, Netherlands Commission for Environmental Assessment
b) Proposed Belgrade SEA Initiative and its work programme	Nick Bonvoisin, UNECE
c) Questions	
<b>Discussion</b>	Facilitated by Henrieta Martonakova, UNDP
<b>Conclusion</b>	Henrieta Martonakova, UNDP

Note: There will be interpretation between English and Russian. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.