

**FYR MACEDONIA GEF NATIONAL DIALOGUE**  
**Holiday Inn, Skopje, 21-23 June 2005**

<i>Tuesday, 21 June 2005</i>			
<b>TIME</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>SPEAKER</b>	<b>CHAIRPERSON</b>
09.00 - 09.30	Registration of participants		
09.30 - 10.10	Opening Session	Mr. Zoran Sapuric Minister of Environment and Physical Planning	Ms. Gordana Kozuharova GEF Operational Focal Point
		Mr. Frode Muring UN Resident Coordinator UNDP Resident Representative	
10.10 - 10.30	Overview of the Workshop	Mr. Alaa Sarhan, GEF Secretariat	
		Stephen Gold Global Manager, GEF Dialogue Initiative	
10.30 - 11.00	Tea/Coffee Break		
11.00 - 12.30	Summary of the GEF <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEF Operational Programmes</li> <li>• GEF Strategic Priorities</li> <li>• Resource Allocation Framework 2006 - 2009</li> </ul>	Neil Pratt, UNEP/GEF  Alaa Sarhan, GEF Secretariat	Ms. Gordana Kozuharova GEF Operational Focal Point
12.30 - 13.00	Q & A		Ms. Gordana Kozuharova GEF Operational Focal Point
13.00 - 14.15	Lunch		
14.15 - 15.15	National Level Coordination	Stephen Gold, GEF Dialogue Initiative	UNDP CO
15.15 - 15.45	Tea/Coffee Break		
15.45 - 16.30	Development and Incremental costs in GEF financed projects	Geordie Colville, UNDP/GEF	UNDP CO
16.30 - 17.30	Q & A		UNDP CO

<b>Wednesday 22 June 2005</b>			
<b>TIME</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>SPEAKER</b>	<b>CHAIRPERSON</b>
09.00 – 10.00	GEF projects in Macedonia - experiences and lessons learnt	Representatives of project financed by the GEF	Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning
10.00 - 10.30	Overview of Macedonia's national environmental and development priorities, with emphasis on the EU accession and decentralization	Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning  Sector for European Integration	Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning
10.30 - 11.00	Tea/Coffee Break		
11.00 - 11.30	How to involve private sector into GEF funded programmes and projects	World Bank/GEF representative, to be determined	World Bank
11.30 - 12.30	Co-funding - how to involve other donors active in the country into GEF funded programmes and projects	Representative of donors coordination group on environment  Representatives of the GEF implementing agencies	World Bank
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch		
14.00 - 15.30	Discussion on links between GEF and national priorities and processes - Areas of convergence - Potential Synergies		Sector for European Integration
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17.17.45	Wrap up session and the way forward		Ms. Gordana Kozuharova GEF Operational Focal Point
<b>Thursday 23 June 2005</b>			
09.00 – 18.00	Field trip to Lake Prespa/Ohrid Lakes UNDP/WB project sites		
20.00	Arrival in Skopje		