



Final Results Workshop for the UNEP/GEF project 'Establishing the Tools and Methods to Include the Nine New POPs into Global Monitoring Plan' and Inception Workshop for the UNEP/GEF project 'Continuing Regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan under the Stockholm Convention in the Africa Region'

**Provisional Agenda
Accra, Ghana, 6 – 8 July, 2016**

Time	Agenda Item	Presenter
Wednesday, 6th July, 2016		
8:30 – 9:00	Registration of participants	
9:00 – 9:15	Opening of the workshop	UNEP, Ghana EPA
9:15 – 9:30	Introduction of participants	All participants
9:30 – 10:00	Overall presentation of the UNEP/GEF projects on analysis and monitoring of POPs	Jacqueline Alvarez (UNEP Chemicals and Waste Branch)
10:00 – 10:30	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
Final Results Workshop for the project 'Establishing the Tools and Methods to Include the Nine New POPs into Global Monitoring Plan'		
10:30 – 11:15	Standard operating procedures for the new POPs	Jacob Boer (IVM)
	Presentation of the PFAS movie	Jacob Boer (IVM)
11:15 – 11:45	Development of the guidance document on PFAS in water	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
	Results of the pilot field study on air (PAS/PUF) and water	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
11:45 – 12:00	Presentation of the instructive movie for the cleaning of PUF disks	Katerina Sebkova (Recetox)
12:00 – 12:30	Results and lessons learned from the second round of the Biennial global interlaboratory assessment of POPs laboratories	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
Inception Workshop of the Project 'Continuing Regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan in the African Region'		
13:30 – 14:00	Monitoring plan and effectiveness evaluation	BRS online / Jacqueline Alvarez



		(UNEP Chemicals and Waste Branch)
14:00 – 14:30	Highlights and outcomes of the UNEP/GEF GMP1 projects	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
14:30 – 15:00	African regional coordination	Vincent Madadi (University of Nairobi, Kenya)
15:00 – 15:30	Country highlights and expectations	All countries
15:30 – 16:00	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
16:00 – 18:00	Country highlights and expectations (con.)	All countries
Thursday, 7th July, 2016		
9:00 – 10:00	Introduction to the UNEP/GEF project “Continuing Regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan in the Africa Region” (including the role of UNEP as the project EA)	Jacqueline Alvarez (UNEP Chemicals and Waste Branch)
10:00 – 10:30	The role of the expert laboratories in the project	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
11:00 – 12:15	WHO: activities undertaken	WHO
12:15 – 12:30	The role of UNITAR in the project	Jost Dittkrist (UNITAR)
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
13:30 – 15:30	Set-up of the national and cross-cutting activities in the UNEP/GEF GMP2 project in Africa	
	A) Air sampling and analysis	Katerina Sebkova (Recetox)
	B) Human milk sampling and analysis: the role of the UNEP/WHO reference laboratory	Ralf Lippold (CVUA)
	C) Water sampling and analysis	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)
	D) National Sampling	Jacob Boer (IVM)
	E) Training of national laboratories	Esteban Abad (CSIC)
	F) Interlaboratory assessments	Heidelore Fiedler (MTM)



15:00 – 15:30	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
15:30 – 17:00	Workplan and timetable	
19:30	<i>Welcome dinner/cocktail</i>	
Friday, 8th July, 2016		
9:00 – 10:00	National budgets	
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
11:00 – 12:30	Discussions on the agreement between UNEP and the countries participating in GMP2	Jacqueline Alvarez, Heidelore Fiedler, Jost Dittkrist
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
13:30 – 15:00	Administrative issues for the implementation	
15:00 – 15:30	<i>Cocoa Break</i>	
Introduction to the IOMC Toolbox for Decision-Making in Chemicals Management		
15:30 – 17:00	Introduction to the IOMC Toolbox and live demonstration	Jost Dittkrist (UNITAR)
	Toolbox exercise in working groups	
	Presentations of findings of working groups in plenary	
	Toolbox evaluation	
17:00 – 17:15	Wrap-up and assessment of the workshops	Jacqueline Alvarez (UNEP Chemicals and Waste Branch)