

DATE:	27-28 June 2006
LOCATION:	Algiers – Hotel Sofitel
SUBJECT:	CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE SEMINAR OF THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT PRELIMINARY AGENDA
VERSION	2006-05-23
WORKING LANGUAGE	French and English
PARTICIPANTS (Invited) :	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• President of the EMWIS Co-ordination Committee (Water Director of Algeria)• Responsible persons of the National Focal Points –NFP- (20 countries)• Representatives of the Technical Unit–EMWIS TU• Invited observers:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Countries still not having nominated a NFP (15 countries)○ European Commission,• Experts



EMWIS COORDINATION SEMINAR OF NATIONAL FOCAL POINTS

AGENDA

ALGIERS – (DZ)

Tuesday 27 June 2006

- 15:00** **Welcome and overview of the conclusions of the last EMWIS Steering & Coordination Committee meetings**
Tahar AICHAOUI, President of Coordination Committee, Algeria
- 15:15** **Review of EMWIS progress & Work programme**
Eric MINO, EMWIS TU
- 15:45** **EMWIS topical study on Non Conventional Water Resources**
Juan Antonio VERA, CEDEX
- 16:15** **New EMWIS web portal**
Jauad El KHARRAZ, EMWIS TU
- 16:45** **Aggregation and syndication of Metadata on the new web portal**
Lylia ABROUK, EMWIS TU
- 17:00** **End of Day 1**

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Wednesday 28 June 2006

- 09:00** **EMWIS orientations for 2007-2010**
Leticia MARTINEZ, CEDEX, Spanish NFP
- 09:15** **Workshop in groups to prepare the terms of reference (objectives, indicators, organisation of work, information sources, case studies, etc.) for the future thematic working groups defined by the Steering Committee:**
- The general topic of the Integrated Water Resources Management but focusing on participative approaches
 - Prevention and risk management related to the extreme phenomena (in particular the water scarcity and floods)
 - Non conventional water resources with two sub-topics: the desalination and the re-use of waste water
 - The local management of sanitation services and the prevention of domestic pollution
- 10:45** **Coffee break**
- 11:05** **Conclusions on each theme by the rapporteurs**
- 11:30** **Towards an impact evaluation of EMWIS and its NFPs**
Eric MINO, EMWIS TU
- 12:00** **Lunch**
- 13:30** **Topical study on water irrigation management**
Juan CANOVAS, IMIDA
- 14:00** **Analysis of European Union projects et programmes in the water sector in the Mediterranean area**
Jauad El KHARRAZ, UT SEMIDE
- 14:20** **NFP presentations of their work programme and progress**
NFP coordinators (10 minutes each)
Moderator: Eric MINO
- 16:00** **Coffee break**
- 16:30** **Planning of activities for 2006 - Conclusions**
Tahar AICHAOUI, President of Coordination Committee, Algeria
Eric MINO, EMWIS TU
- 17:00** **End of the seminar**

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